

A dynamic splash of water in shades of blue and white, with droplets and bubbles, set against a light blue background.

HOUSE BILL 406aa

AMENDMENTS
IDAHO WATER & SEWER DISTRICT LAW

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WHAT DOES H.B. 406aa PROPOSE TO DO?

Amend the water and sewer district law by providing a process for the governing bodies of a water and/or sewer district and a city to include or remove area, within a city, to or from a water and/or sewer district by resolution and/or ordinance, subject to certain minimum qualifications where there is an existing water or sewer system;

Process includes a public hearing and a special election option;

Maintains the status of a recreational water and sewer district upon completion of annexation; and

Provides an option to establish residence zones for election of directors of water and/or sewer districts.



WHY IS H.B. 406aa GOOD PUBLIC POLICY ?

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- BECAUSE it provides an option for cities and districts, subject to public notice and approval, to consolidate water and/or sewer services under one governance to reduce costs and improve efficiencies.

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- BECAUSE of the expense of constructing and maintaining potable water and sanitary sewer systems – requires a critical mass of users to be economically affordable.

3

- BECAUSE clean potable water and sanitary sewer services sustains life, preserves health, and protects the environment.

IDAHO AREAS H.B. 406aa MAY AFFECT:

Resort – Recreational Areas

- *Where there is a mix of development and population in and out of cities*

Payette Lakes Recreational Water & Sewer District and City of McCall

- *Where existing systems of a district and a city are interlinked*

Garden Valley area

- *Where existing wastewater treatment plant is in a district that could serve city residents*

MAPS DEPICTING:

A background image showing a splash of water with bubbles and ripples, transitioning from a light blue to a darker blue.

Garden Valley area – Boise County

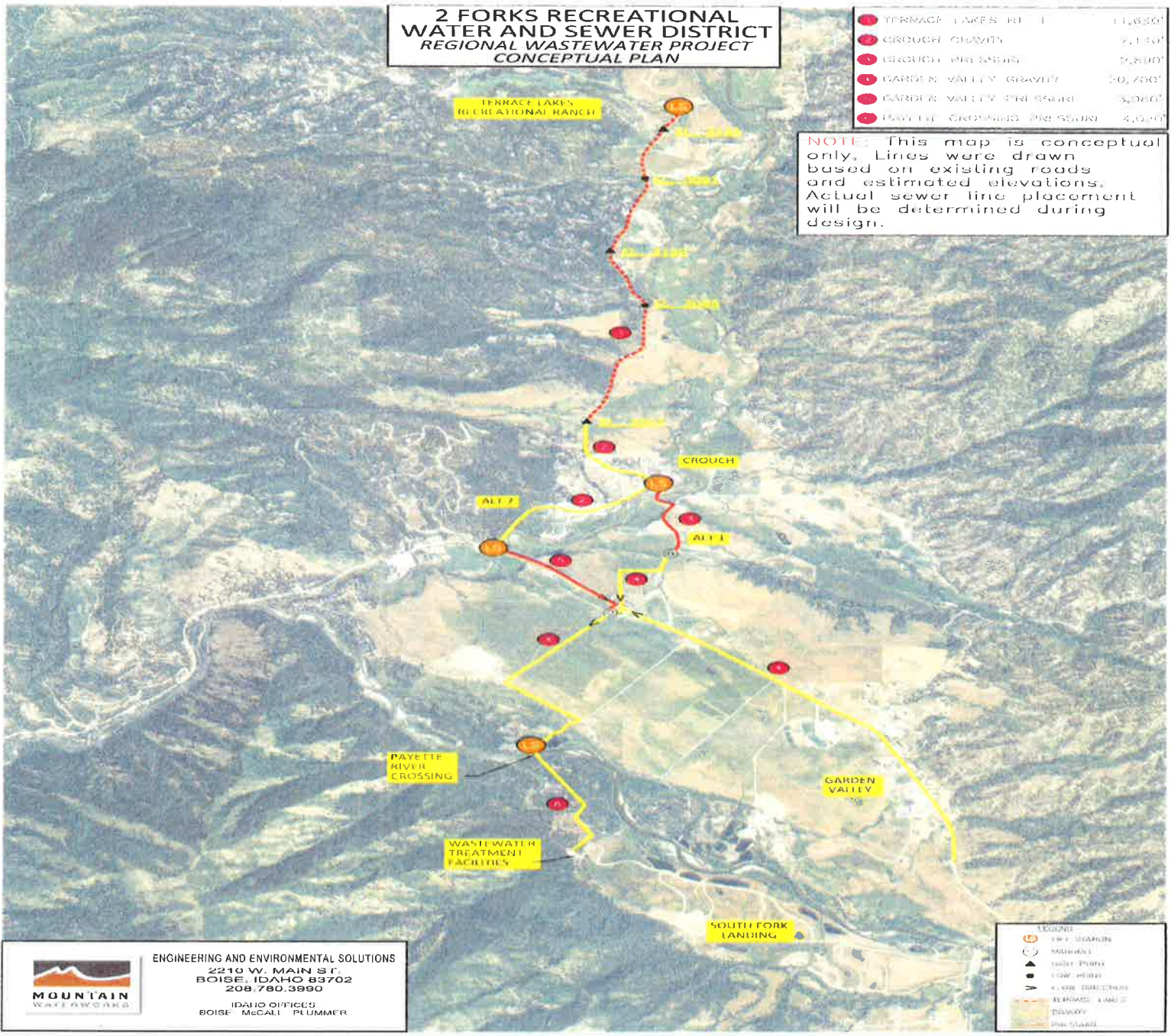
*City of McCall and Payette
Lakes Water & Sewer District*



2 FORKS RECREATIONAL WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT REGIONAL WASTEWATER PROJECT CONCEPTUAL PLAN

● TERRACE LAKES RECREATION	11,650'
● CROUCH GRAVITY	9,130'
● CROUCH PRESSURE	5,800'
● GARDEN VALLEY GRAVITY	20,700'
● GARDEN VALLEY PRESSURE	5,050'
● PAYETTE CROSSING PRESSURE	4,000'

NOTE: This map is conceptual only. Lines were drawn based on existing roads and estimated elevations. Actual sewer line placement will be determined during design.



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SPECIAL MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF ANNEXATION OR WITHDRAWAL IF A WATER OR SEWER SYSTEM ALREADY EXISTS WHICH SERVES THE AFFECTED AREA



Is capable of providing all the essential functions of the existing system;

Has agreed to assume and perform the essential existing system functions;

Either has or is acquiring sufficient assets, infrastructure and other resources to perform the essential operations of the existing system;

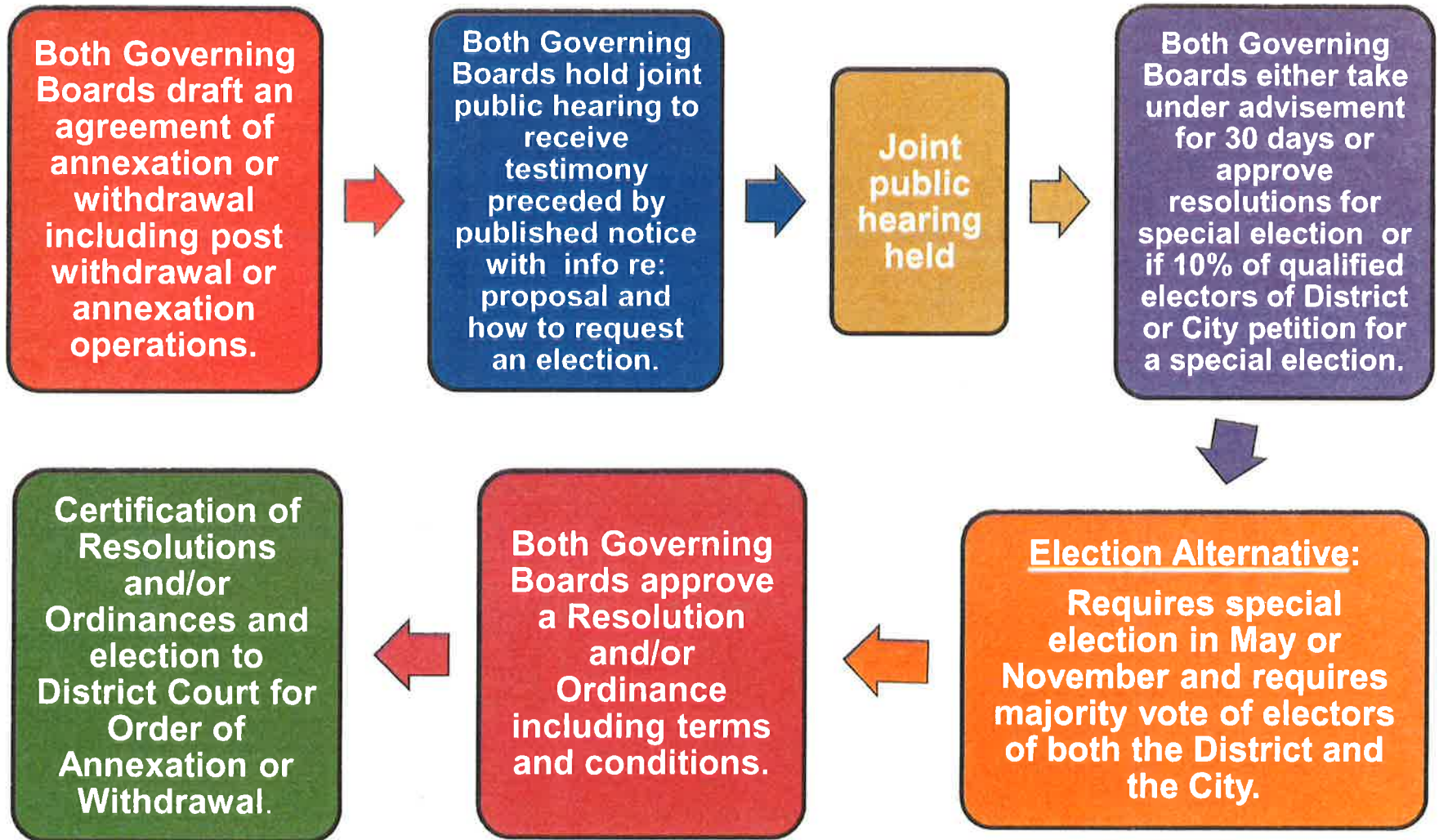
Provisions have been made for the retirement, payment or assumption of any debt, bonds, or other liabilities and obligations of existing system;

Provisions have been made for the liquidation and disbursement of the existing system assets and infrastructure not intended to be transferred; and

Provisions setting forth requirements for post-annexation or withdrawal operations.

PROCESS

All steps required:



OTHER PROVISIONS
OF
H.B. 406aa

*Provides for the option to create
DIRECTOR ZONES for election.*

*Protects the status of a recreational
water and sewer district upon
annexation in order to prevent
disenfranchisement of non-resident
property owners who qualify to be
electors in Idaho.*