STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS25502

The proposed legislation amends Section 40-2110, Idaho Code, to remove highway districts and other governmental entities from contributing funds to a Regional Public Transportation Authority. Cities and counties have broad and general statutory powers to fund and operate public transportation services. See Idaho Code 31-876 and 50-322. Highway districts are constitutionally and statutory limited to fund only the contraction, reconstruction and maintenance of highways. This purpose of this legislation is to reaffirm the Legislature's public policy that the limited transportation funding in Idaho shall be only be allocated for the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of highway.

FISCAL NOTE

This legislation has no fiscal impact to the state of Idaho because it does not involve in state funding.

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