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Representative Adam Robertson proposes the following substitute bill:

LOCAL DISTRICT MODIFICATIONS

2022 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Adam Robertson

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies provisions related to the tentative budget of a local district.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ requires a local district to make ~~{the local district's}~~a tentative budget ~~{, including any proposed changes to the tentative budget,}~~ available to the public at least seven days before adopting the ~~{tentative}~~ budget:
 - at the local district's principal office during regular business hours; ~~{and}~~
 - on the Utah Public Notice Website; and
 - on the local district's website, ~~{or}~~ if the local district ~~{does not have a website; the public finance website under the direction of the state auditor}~~ has a website;
- and

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- ▶ makes technical changes. ~~{ }~~

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

~~{~~ ~~17B-1-607~~, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2015, Chapter 436

~~}~~ ~~17B-1-608~~, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 329

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section ~~{17B-1-607}~~ 17B-1-608 is amended to read:

~~{~~ ~~17B-1-607. Tentative budget to be prepared -- Review by governing body.~~

~~_____ (1) On or before the first regularly scheduled meeting of the board of trustees in November for a calendar year entity and May for a fiscal year entity, the budget officer of each local district shall prepare for the ensuing year, in a format prescribed by the state auditor, and file with the board of trustees a tentative budget for each fund for which a budget is required.~~

~~_____ (2) (a) Each tentative budget under Subsection (1) shall provide in tabular form:~~

~~_____ (i) actual revenues and expenditures for the last completed fiscal year;~~

~~_____ (ii) estimated total revenues and expenditures for the current fiscal year; and~~

~~_____ (iii) the budget officer's estimates of revenues and expenditures for the budget year.~~

~~_____ (b) The budget officer shall estimate the amount of revenue available to serve the needs of each fund, estimate the portion to be derived from all sources other than general property taxes, and estimate the portion that shall be derived from general property taxes:~~

~~_____ (3) [The] A tentative budget, when filed by the budget officer with the board of trustees, shall contain the estimates of expenditures together with specific work programs and any other supporting data required by this part or requested by [the] a board.~~

~~_____ (4) The board of trustees shall review, consider, and tentatively adopt [the] a tentative budget in any regular meeting or special meeting called for that purpose and may [amend or revise the] propose changes to the tentative budget in any manner that the board considers advisable prior to public hearings, but:~~

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~~— (a) no appropriation required for debt retirement and interest or reduction of any existing deficits under Section 17B-1-613, or otherwise required by law, may be reduced below the minimums so required[.]; and~~

~~— (b) a tentative budget, including any proposed changes to a tentative budget, shall be made publicly available at least seven days before adopting the tentative budget and any proposed changes in accordance with Section 17B-1-608.~~

~~— (5) When a new district is created, the board of trustees shall:~~

~~— (a) prepare a budget covering the period from the date of incorporation to the end of the fiscal year;~~

~~— (b) substantially comply with all other provisions of this part with respect to notices and hearings; and~~

~~— (c) pass the budget as soon after incorporation as feasible.~~

~~— Section 2. Section 17B-1-608 is amended to read:~~

‡ **17B-1-608. Tentative budget and data -- Public records.**

(1) The tentative budget adopted by the board of trustees and all supporting schedules and data are public records~~[, and are available for public inspection for a period of at least seven days prior to the adoption of a final budget].~~

(2) ~~At least seven days before adopting a {tentative budget in a public meeting, including adopting any proposed changes to a tentative}~~ final budget in a public meeting, the local district shall:

(a) ~~make { the tentative budget and any proposed changes to }~~ the tentative budget available for public inspection at the local district's principal place of business during regular business hours;~~{ and }~~

(b) ~~(i) publish the tentative budget {and any proposed changes to}~~ on the Utah Public Notice Website in accordance with Section 63A-16-601; and

(c) if the local district has a website, publish the tentative budget on the local district's website~~{, if the local district has a website; or~~

~~(ii) submit the tentative budget and any proposed changes to the tentative budget to the state auditor in a format approved by the state auditor for posting on the public finance website described in Section 67-3-12}.~~