

BILL SUMMARY
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

HB 4173, as introduced, updates state law regarding public school notifications that are published in newspapers. The measure requires notifications for the following to be posted on the State Department of Education's website instead of local newspapers:

- A school district's preliminary budget estimates and any associated tax rate estimates;
- Notice of the date, time, place, and budget summary for the public hearing about the proposed budget;
- Notices for district bond levy elections;

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.