

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Appropriations.

HB24-1448 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 73, after line 17 insert:
2 "SECTION 19. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 22-54-107.7
3 as follows:
4 **22-54-107.7. Override mill levy match - working group -**
5 **creation - report - repeal.** (1) THERE IS CREATED BY THE LEGISLATIVE
6 COUNCIL STAFF AN OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH WORKING GROUP TO
7 MEET DURING THE 2024 INTERIM AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS
8 CONCERNING MODIFYING THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH, CREATED
9 PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-54-107.9, TO ENSURE MORE EQUITABLE
10 FUNDING DISTRIBUTIONS AND GREATER ACCESS TO FUNDING FOR ELIGIBLE
11 DISTRICTS AND ELIGIBLE INSTITUTE CHARTER SCHOOLS, AND TO IDENTIFY
12 AND ANALYZE INEQUITIES BETWEEN NEIGHBORING DISTRICTS THAT HAVE
13 DIFFERING MILL LEVY OVERRIDES, LEVELS OF PROPERTY TAX BASES, OR
14 DEMONSTRATED LEVELS OF LOCAL EFFORT.
15 (2) (a) THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH WORKING GROUP MUST
16 INCLUDE:
17 (I) SEVEN NONLEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE CHIEF FINANCIAL
18 OFFICERS APPOINTED AS FOLLOWS:
19 (A) THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL
20 APPOINT ONE MEMBER WHO IS A CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF A RURAL
21 DISTRICT, ONE MEMBER WHO IS A CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF A SMALL
22 RURAL DISTRICT, ONE MEMBER WHO IS A CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF A
23 SUBURBAN DISTRICT, AND ONE MEMBER WHO IS A CHIEF FINANCIAL
24 OFFICER OF AN URBAN DISTRICT LOCATED IN OR NEAR THE DENVER
25 METROPOLITAN AREA; AND
26 (B) THE SENATE MINORITY LEADER SHALL APPOINT ONE MEMBER
27 WHO IS THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF A RURAL DISTRICT, ONE MEMBER
28 WHO IS THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF A SUBURBAN DISTRICT, AND ONE
29 MEMBER WHO IS THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF AN URBAN DISTRICT
30 THAT IS NOT LOCATED IN OR NEAR THE DENVER METROPOLITAN AREA.
31 (II) ONE MEMBER OF THE MAJORITY PARTY IN THE HOUSE OF
32 REPRESENTATIVES, APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
33 REPRESENTATIVES, WHO SHALL SERVE AS THE CHAIR; AND
34 (III) ONE MEMBER OF THE MINORITY PARTY IN THE SENATE,
35 APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE, WHO SHALL SERVE
36 AS THE VICE-CHAIR.
37 (b) LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF SHALL ASSIST THE OVERRIDE MILL
38 LEVY MATCH WORKING GROUP IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES REQUIRED
39 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.
40 (3) (a) THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH WORKING GROUP SHALL
41 NOT SUBMIT BILL DRAFTS AS PART OF ITS RECOMMENDATIONS.

1 (b) MEETINGS OF THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH WORKING
2 GROUP ARE SUBJECT TO THE OPEN MEETINGS PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN
3 PART 4 OF ARTICLE 6 OF TITLE 24. EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN
4 PART 2 OF ARTICLE 72 OF TITLE 24, OR OTHER APPLICABLE STATE OR
5 FEDERAL LAW, RECORDS OF THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH WORKING
6 GROUP ARE SUBJECT TO PART 2 OF ARTICLE 72 OF TITLE 24.

7 (4) THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH WORKING GROUP MUST MEET
8 AT LEAST THREE TIMES BUT NO MORE THAN FIVE TIMES DURING THE 2024
9 LEGISLATIVE INTERIM, UNLESS ADDITIONAL MEETINGS ARE AUTHORIZED
10 BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

11 (5) ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2024, THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY
12 MATCH WORKING GROUP SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE EXECUTIVE
13 COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE EDUCATION COMMITTEES
14 OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE, OR ANY SUCCESSOR
15 COMMITTEES, AND THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE CONCERNING ITS
16 RECOMMENDATIONS TO MODIFY THE OVERRIDE MILL LEVY MATCH.

17 (6) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026."

18 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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