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| BILL # | BILL TITLE | SPONSOR | DESCRIPTION | STATUS UPDATE | POSITION |
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| H292 | Property tax relief | Monks, Moyle, Grow, Ricks | Multi-facted property tax relief bill that incorporates many aspects of the three previous bills.....more detail to come. | LAW. Governor VETOED on March 27. House VETO override 58-12. Senate VETO override 24-11. | |
| H287 | Energy Conservation Codes Grandfather clause | Rep. Palmer | Eliminates provision allowing some cities to adopt energy conservation building codes above and beyond allowed and adopted by the Idaho Building Code Board | LAW. Signed by Governor on March 31. Passed Senate 29-6 on March 29. Passed House 59-10 on March 14. | SUPPORT |
| H337 | Journeyman electrician standards | Rep. Dixon, Rep. Palmer, AFL-CIO | Codifies the electrical code and adopts 2023 National Energy Code. Splits Journeyman electrician requirements into two "tiers", One Residential and one Commercial. Residential requirements would be first tier requiring 2,000 as apprentice, Commercial would require additional to total of 4,000 hours. | LAW. Signed by Governor on March 31. Passed Senate 35-0 on March 30. Passed House 70-0 on March 20. Effective July 1, 2023 | SUPPORT? |
| S1073 | Annexation/Area of City Impact | Sen. Lakey | A complicated and ambitious re-write of Idaho's Annexation and City Area of Impact law. Clarifies the roles and method by which counties and cities interact in determining impact area boundaries. Eliminates overlapping areas of impact, Limits area of impact to 1 mile from city boundaries and reasonable expectation of services within 5 years. | HELD by the Speaker. Did not advance. Passed Senate 31-3 on March 17. Amended by the Senate on March 7. | SUPPORT with Caveats |
| S1040 | Annexation | Rep. Okuniewicz | Allows a property owner who borders two or more city areas of impact the ability to choose which city to join in an annexation. | FAILED in Senate Commerce and Human Resources Committee. Dead for the year. | NEUTRAL |

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| S1062 | Annexation | Rep. Young | Puts into place new method/standards for annexation of neighborhoods/property by cities. Requires express permission by all surrounding property owners. | FAILED in Senate Commerce and Human resources committee. Dead for the Year. | OPPOSE |
| H041 | Impact Fees for School Facilities | Rep. Necochea | Adds School buildings to the list of "public facilities" for which development impact fees may be used. | NO HEARING GRANTED. Dead for the year. | OPPOSE |
| S1060 | Impact Fees for School Facilities | Sen. Schroeder | Adds School buildings to the list of "public facilities" for which development impact fees may be used. | NO HEARING GRANTED. Dead for the year. | OPPOSE |
| H106 | Natural Gas hookups | Rep. Dixon | Prohibits a City from making natural gas usage illegal | LAW. Signed by Gov on March 20. Passed Full Senate 28-7 on March 14. Passed House 58-12 on Feb 17. Introduced Feb 8. | SUPPORT |
| H136 | Impact Fees for Recreational Districts | Rep. Nelsen | Would add Recreational Districts to the list of entities that can enter into agreements with Local Governments to collect Development Impact Fees | FAILED in House Local Government Committee on Feb 28. | OPPOSE |
| S1114 | Impact Fee Advisory Committee membership | Sen. Schroeder | Clarifies Impact fee advisory committee membership parameters for Fire districts that straddle other jurisdictions and allows for impact fee advisory committee membership to include persons who live within the service area of that district. | LAW. Signed by Governor on March 27. Passed House 59-9 on March 22. Passed full Senate 34-0 on March 8. Introduced on Feb 23. | NEUTRAL |

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| draft | Impact Fee Advisory Committee membership | Rep. Cornilles | Places a population threshold of 40,000 on the provision requiring that members of Impact Fee Advisory Committee must reside within the boundaries of that jurisdiction. | Did not get introduced. NOT moving forward this session | SUPPORT |
| H255 | Impact fee intergovernmental agreements | Rep. Monks | Clarifies that an entity cannot collect development impact fees simply by having an intergovernmental agreement with another entity that has ordinance authority. | NO HEARING GRANTED. DID NOT ADVANCE | |
| H256 | Impact Fee collection, refund of fees | Rep. Monks | Institutes a refund of impact fees paid to an entity that, by law, has no legal authority to collect impact fees. | NO HEARING GRANTED. DID NOT ADVANCE | |
| H077 | Property Tax relief | Sen. Grow | Utilizes 4.5% of sales tax income to be dedicated toward property tax relief (estimated to be roughly \$150 million/year). Utilizes \$150 million of this year's surplus revenue as seed money for the effort. | DEAD for the year, incorporated into H292. | |
| H078 | Homeowners exemption | Rep. Skaug | Increases the Homeowners exemption from \$125,000 to \$224,360 and indexes the exemption to home sales price changes thereafter. | DEAD for the Year | |
| H079 | Property tax relief | Reps. Moyle and Monks | Provides \$300 million to school districts for the purpose of 1) paying down general obligation bonds, 2) paying down Plant Facilities Levys, and 3) saving for school facilities maintenance and safety needs. Eliminates March and August Bond election dates. Increases homeowners exemption to \$150,000. | DEAD for the year. | |

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