

HB 815 -- Published County Financial Statements

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This bill requires each county to publish a financial statement that includes detailed compensation information for all county employees, including adopted salary schedules; all extra duty compensation; all employee benefits; and the county budget. The Office of Administration must establish clear standards for budget format and detail to ensure that all county government budgets contain the necessary information and present the information according to consistent reporting standards. The published financial statement must provide county government financial and policy information as a means of creating better public understanding of county government policies, practices, and operations.