



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF  
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

## Fiscal Note 2027 Biennium

Bill#/Title: SB0306.02 (001): Prohibit sale of tax deed to foreign entity

Primary Sponsor: Kenneth Bogner Status: As Amended in Senate Committee

☐ Included in the Executive Budget ☐ Needs to be included in HB 2 ☐ Significant Local Gov Impact  
☐ Significant Long-Term Impacts ☐ Technical Concerns ☐ Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

### FISCAL SUMMARY

	<u>FY 2026 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2027 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2028 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2029 Difference</u>
<b>Expenditures</b>				
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Revenues</b>				
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Net Impact</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<b>General Fund Balance</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

### Description of fiscal impact

SB 306 prohibits a County Treasurer from issuing a tax deed to a foreign entity.

The tax lien and deed process is a function of the county treasurer and therefore would have no impact on the Department of Revenue. The amendment adds a definition of domestic entity and requires proof from the entity that it is a domestic entity .

### FISCAL ANALYSIS

#### Assumptions

1. The tax lien and deed process is a function of County treasurers and therefore would have no impact on the State of Montana.

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Sponsor's Initials

Date

Budget Director's Initials

3/1/2025

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