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This bill provides for truth-in-taxation statements to be sent out between October 10 and October 17 of each year, rather than the time frame of November 10 to November 24 in current law. Makes changes in deadlines of various actions in the property tax system necessary to accomplish the October mailing schedule. The below chart summarizes the major changes in due dates (excluding those related to fiscal disparities).

Action due	Required by	Old due date	New due date
Proposed levy certified to county auditor	County or city	September 30	August 31
Proposed levy certified to county auditor	Town or special taxing district	September 15	August 31
Proposed levy certified to county auditor	School districts that have not elected to delay certification	September 30	August 30
Proposed levy certified to county auditor	School districts that have elected to delay certification	October 7	September 7

Notice of proposed property taxes sent to taxpayers	County auditor and treasurer	November 10 – November 24	October 10 – October 17
Public meeting regarding levy and budget	Taxing authority	After November 24	After November 14
Certification of met council levy limitation	Commissioner of revenue	August 1	July 15
Proposed levy certified to Dept. of Revenue	Met council	September 1	August 7
Determination of whether met council levy is within levy limit	Commissioner of revenue	September 10	August 15
Certification of transit tax levy limit to met council	Commissioner of revenue	August 1	July 15
Determine whether transit levy is within limit	Commissioner of revenue	September 10	August 15
Determine whether metro mosquito control proposed levy is within levy limit	Commissioner of revenue	September 10	August 15