LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1063

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Committee: Education

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 79-10,120,
- 2 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2022; to require a vote
- 3 prior to a school district using special building funds as
- 4 prescribed; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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1 Section 1. Section 79-10,120, Revised Statutes Cumulative

- 2 Supplement, 2022, is amended to read:
- 3 79-10,120 (1) The school board or board of education of any school
- 4 district may establish a special fund for purposes of acquiring sites for
- 5 school buildings or teacherages, purchasing existing buildings for use as
- 6 school buildings or teacherages, including the sites upon which such
- 7 buildings are located, and the erection, alteration, equipping, and
- 8 furnishing of school buildings or teacherages and additions to school
- 9 buildings for elementary and high school grades and for no other purpose.
- 10 The fund shall be established from the proceeds of an annual levy, to be
- 11 determined by the board, of not to exceed fourteen cents on each one
- 12 hundred dollars upon the taxable value of all taxable property in the
- 13 district which shall be in addition to any other taxes authorized to be
- 14 levied for school purposes. Such tax shall be levied and collected as are
- other taxes for school purposes.
- 16 (2) Whenever it is deemed necessary by the school board or board of
- 17 <u>education to (a) erect a schoolhouse or school building or an addition or</u>
- 18 additions and improvements to any existing school property or (b)
- 19 purchase equipment for such schoolhouse, school buildings, or school
- 20 property in any school district in this state, the school board or board
- 21 of education shall submit to the people of the school district at the
- 22 next general election or special election a proposition to vote approval
- 23 of any proposed building fund expenditure for such purpose over two
- 24 <u>hundred fifty thousand dollars.</u>
- 25 Sec. 2. Original section 79-10,120, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 26 Supplement, 2022, is repealed.