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**Office of the State Auditor Releases Reports on
Improper Ballot-related Advocacy**

Salt Lake City, UTAH –

The Office of the State Auditor (Office) recently released reports on Canyons School District's activities related to its 2017 Bond Proposition and Ogden School District's activities related to its 2017 Bond Proposition. The Office received a request from the Lt. Governor's Office to review activities of each of these districts concerning their ballot-related advocacy.

The issued reports may be found on the Office's website at auditor.utah.gov and specifically at:

Canyons School District, Report on 2017 Bond Proposition, Report No. GOL-18-SPb -
<https://reporting.auditor.utah.gov/servlet/servlet.FileDownload?file=0151K000003vyRiQAI> .

Ogden School District, Report on 2017 Bond Proposition, Report No. GOL-18-SPa –
<https://reporting.auditor.utah.gov/servlet/servlet.FileDownload?file=0151K000003vyRdQAI> .

About the Office of the State Auditor

The Office of the State Auditor provides Utah taxpayers and government officials with an independent assessment of financial operation, statutory compliance, and performance management for state and local government.

Specific activities of the Office include performing financial audits, conducting Federal funds compliance audits, providing local government oversight, conducting agency and program performance audits, performing fraud and compliance audits, and operating the State Auditor Hotline for citizens to report suspected financial issues or improprieties. These capabilities strengthen Utah State Government and help taxpayers have confidence in the integrity of Utah's government agencies.

The State Auditor is a Constitutional Officer of the State of Utah, elected directly by the state's citizens every four years. The role of the State Auditor is authorized in Article VII, Section 15 of the Utah Constitution. For more information, see auditor.utah.gov.

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