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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to bonuses for employees of county tax
3 collectors and property appraisers; amending s.
4 445.09, F.S.; authorizing specified county tax
5 collectors or property appraisers to budget for and
6 pay specified bonuses to employees, pending a
7 specified approval; providing an effective date.
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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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11 Section 1. Section 445.09, Florida Statutes, is amended to
12 read:

13 445.09 Bonuses for employees of county tax collectors or
14 property appraisers.—Notwithstanding any other law, a county tax
15 collector or property appraiser may budget for and pay a hiring
16 or retention bonus to an employee if such expenditure is
17 approved by the Department of Revenue in the respective budget
18 of the county tax collector or property appraiser.

19 Section 2. This act shall take effect June 1, 2025.