

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) A reworked proposal for a publicly aided Mayo Clinic expansion plan relies on a heavier local match and requires a bigger private ante before the state of Minnesota chips in.

Revisions aired today in the Senate Taxes Committee would withhold state dollars until \$250 million is spent on upgrading the clinic and associated development around Rochester. That's \$50 million higher than the trigger in a companion House bill.

But in exchange, the Senate proposal would allow for a higher total state contribution, approaching \$400 million in aid and tax breaks. A range of local taxes would generate at least \$128 million.

Mayo says none of the public money would go toward its buildings. The goal is to have the state assist with roads, sewers and other public infrastructure.