



Federal Lands Impacted Schools Association

Education For Children, Fairness for Taxpayers

The Federal Lands Impacted Schools Association (FLISA) Mission

🇺🇸 The Mission of National 7002 (Formally Section 8002) Impacted Schools is to secure federal funding which reimburses eligible districts for tax revenue lost (for student programs) due to the federal government's removal of land from the local tax rolls; such revenue to be used for the public education of students.

Reasons to become an Active Member of FLISA

- 🇺🇸 Over the past 15 years, the president has proposed eliminating section 7002 Federal Properties funding from the budget seven times. Only the advocacy efforts from FLISA members, and the NAFIS family, have prevented the funding from ultimately being cut.
- 🇺🇸 Recently, proposed bills from former House Leader Kevin McCarthy and Senator Bernie Sanders would have ultimately eliminated the 7002 funding your district currently receives. Members are kept up to date on these proposed bills and provided with detailed information to send to your representative legislators asking for their support.
- 🇺🇸 As a member of FLISA you will have a say and vote when it comes to new initiatives, budgets, funding formula changes, etc.
- 🇺🇸 As a member of FLISA you will understand how to maximize the funding your district receives and when you will receive funding.
- 🇺🇸 Your membership dollars will help provide the resources FLISA needs to increase funding levels and move toward a fully funded program. Currently, section 7002 Federal Properties funding is funded approximately 10 cents on the dollar.
- 🇺🇸 As a member of FLISA you will have access to the FLISA website and resources necessary to keep fully up to date on the program and your district's funding.
- 🇺🇸 Section 7002 Federal Properties is the smallest section of the Impact Aid program. We need to continue to grow our membership to have a say and remain relevant.
- 🇺🇸 The law that provides for Impact aid funding gets re-authorized and updated periodically which includes proposed changes to the funding formula. Proposed updates are written by the 7002 members. Becoming a member and being involved protects your district's funding and future financial interests.

How to Become a Member of FLISA

- 🇺🇸 School leaders looking to protect their Impact Aid Funding can join FLISA by completing our membership form sent annually or contacting the FLISA Executive Director, Tom Schneider directly at: schneiderthomasw@hotmail.com or 219-545-1011. Information is also available on our website: www.FLISA.org.