

# Federal Lands Impacted Schools Association

## Education For Children, Fairness for Taxpayers

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## Who We Are

FLISA represents 900,000 children as well as our local taxpayers from roughly 200 school districts that have federally owned land within our boundaries under Program Section 7002. FLISA is part of the National Association of Federally Impacted Schools (NAFIS), which also includes schools with military bases and Indian reservations.

## Why Our Children, Schools, and Taxpayers Need Federal Impact Aid

- This is essential replacement of lost revenue for our students that is delivered and utilized efficiently and controlled locally.
- Our taxpayers and communities rely on Federal Impact Aid to provide essential educational instruction and services, as well as partially offset the loss of local property tax dollars.

### Impact Aid is...

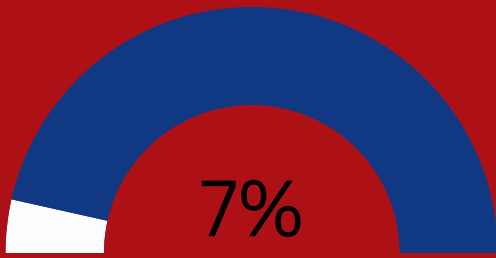
- Vital to maintain educational programs and services
- Highly efficient, flexible, and locally controlled
- Essential for our students as well as our local taxpayers
- Supported through many years of bipartisan efforts
- Funded at just 7 percent, so continued support is critical

### Funding is Used for...

- Smaller Class Sizes
- Direct Student Instruction
- Highly Qualified Teachers
- Academic Interventions
- Art, Music, STEM, Gifted
- Career and Technical Ed
- Physical and Mental Health
- School Safety and Security
- Before and After School Care
- Summer School Programs



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## Remember This!

Federally impacted schools receive on average seven cents on the dollar in Impact Aid, compared to what would be received from local property taxes.

New property added by the federal government results in existing schools getting a smaller portion of the funding.

Section 7002 has not been fully funded in decades, putting our local schools and communities at a disadvantage compared to our neighboring districts.



## Our Request for Support of our Schools and Students

- Provide \$80.0 million in Section 7002 funding for FY26, an increase of \$1 million.
- Join the bipartisan Congressional Impact Aid Caucus (formerly the Coalition).
- Support the Advancing Toward Full Impact Aid Funding Act.



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