

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

WHEN: Wednesday, April 29, 2015
WHO: Baboquivari Unified School District
WHERE: Administration District Office - Board Room
TIME: 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Baboquivari Unified School District will hold their annual public hearing to collect information, comments and suggestions from parents, students, teachers of Indian students and members of the Indian community regarding all federal & state funding:

IMPACT AID - The Impact Aid law (now Title VIII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965) has been amended numerous times since its inception in 1950. The program continues, however, to support local school districts with concentrations of children who reside on Indian lands, military bases, low-rent housing properties and other federal properties, or who have parents in the uniformed services or employed on eligible federal properties. The law refers to local school districts as local educational agencies, or LEAs. Most Impact Aid funds are considered general aid to the recipient school districts; these districts may use the funds in whatever manner they choose in accordance with their local and state requirements. Most recipients use these funds for current expenditures, but recipients may use the funds for other purposes such as capital expenditures. Some Impact Aid funds must be used for specific purposes, such as the additional payment for children with disabilities.

TITLE VII INDIAN EDUCATION- The mission of the Office of Indian Education is to support the efforts of local educational agencies, Indian tribes and organizations, postsecondary institutions, and other entities to meet the unique educational and culturally related academic needs of American Indians and Alaska Natives so that these students can achieve to the same challenging state standards as all students.

TITLE I -The purpose of this title is to ensure that all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high-quality education and reach, at a minimum, proficiency on challenging State academic achievement standards and state academic assessments. This purpose can be accomplished by ensuring that high-quality academic assessments, accountability systems, teacher preparation and training, curriculum, and instructional materials are aligned with challenging State academic standards so that students, teachers, parents, and administrators can measure progress against common expectations for student academic achievement.

Instead of speaking at the hearing, you may make written comments by mailing them to the address below or email them directly to Jfigueroa@busd40.org :

Baboquivari Unified School District
C/o Public Hearing Comments
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If you have any questions, please contact José Figueroa at 383-6746 ext 6712.