

Revenues From State, Local and Federal Sources

Revenues from State Resources

The responsibility for financing public education in Washington falls primarily upon the state. To provide educational services beyond the levels possible under the basic education allocation, the district must depend upon state and federal special purpose funding programs and grants or enrichment levies approved by district voters.

Revenues from Local Resources

Local Revenues

The University Place School District will use local revenues for documented and demonstrated enrichment of the state's statutory program of basic education as authorized in RCW 28A.150.276.

Levies

The University Place School District may submit for voter approval levies for enrichment of the operations of the general fund, for capital project fund purposes, for transportation vehicle fund purposes and to issue bonds for major capital improvements. Levy proceeds shall be used for allowable purposes.

Revenues from the Federal Government

The objective of the board is to provide the best educational services possible within the resources available to the district. Federal grants and programs may provide helpful financial resources towards pursuing that objective.

Compliance

The board agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state requirements that may be a condition to receipt of funds including, but not limited to:

- Maintenance of fiscal records that show the receipt and disposition of such funds;
- Provision for eligible private school students to participate in programs and/or services designed for the educationally disadvantaged as well as other programs that are supported by such funds;
- Provision for testing to identify target students as well as to measure program results; and
- Provision for staff and parent involvement, program planning, budget development, and program evaluation as contained in statutes and regulations;
- Provision of a district-wide salary schedule for employees;
- Conducting a public hearing, within thirty days of issuance, if the State Auditor issues an official audit finding that the district failed to comply with the restrictions for local enrichment levies.

Further, the board grants authority to directors and staff to participate in the development of any state and/or federal regulations deemed to be necessary for the implementation of federally-funded programs.

Legal References:

RCW 28A.150.230 District school directors' responsibilities
RCW 28A.150.250 Annual basic education allocation — Full funding — Withholding of funds for noncompliance
RCW 28A.300.070 Receipt of federal funds for school purposes — Superintendent of public instruction to administer
RCW 84.52.0531 Levies by school districts — Maximum dollar amount for maintenance and operation support — Restrictions — Maximum levy percentage — Levy reduction funds — Rules.
Chapter 180-16 WAC State Support of Public Schools

Public Law 81-874 Impact Aid

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