



LAKE TAHOE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Tuesday, June 27, 2006 – 6:00 pm

Public Hearing on the High Priority Schools Grant Program

The Lake Tahoe Unified School District Board of Education shall hold a Public Hearing to discuss the rationale for not accepting the invitation to participate in the HIGH PRIORITY SCHOOLS GRANT PROGRAM (HPSGP).

General Description:

Education Code Section 52055.600-52055-660 establishes and defines school and district responsibilities for the High Priority Schools Grant Program (HPSGP). The HPSGP is a state intervention and assistance program for schools whose Academic Performance Index (API) state rank places them in the lowest half of schools statewide. Bijou Community School has been identified as a school that is eligible for this grant. For each school accepted for participation, the school board is required to contract with an external entity charged with supervision and facilitation of the legislated school improvement action plan development process. The District has already taken steps to develop and implement a Comprehensive Action Plan K-12 to address standards-based assessments and academic intervention programs. The District intends to decline the invitation to accept the HPSGP at this time. This public hearing is required, per Education Code 52055.715, to discuss the reasons and rationale for the decision and to explain how the district is addressing the needs of the school and students.

This hearing will take place at the Lake Tahoe Unified School District Board Room located at 1021 Al Tahoe Boulevard, South Lake Tahoe, California on Tuesday, June 27, 2006 at 6 p.m.

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