

GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS and YOUR TAXES:

It has been a long time since the school district board of directors has come to the community to ask for funding for the building or refurbishment of your school buildings. The last time was to build what is today known as Pirate Hall on the Marshfield campus.

The Facilities Committee continues to target the May 2016 ballot to present a general obligation bond proposal to the Coos Bay School District voters. What the amount will be and how the bond will be configured is yet to be determined.

The school district's facilities committee has spent the last 5 years in the planning and assessment of the educational needs which impact the design needs of a building. Why 5 years, because we have been in a recession and not the ideal time to ask folks to vote on having their property taxes increased.

The best way to stay on top of what is going on and how this might or will impact you in the future is to start attending our facilities meetings and workshops.