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**PDF Print for Application 7002 - Number. 9104**

**LEA Information**

**Name:** Oelrichs Public Schools #23-3  
**Impact Aid Number:** 514203  
**Application Number:** 9104  
**Late:** No  
**Version:** 2  
**Address:** 214 West 7th, P.O. Box 65, Oelrichs, SD 57763  
**County(ies):** Fall River  
**Application Year:** 2027  
**Charter School:** No  
**PR Award Number:** S041A 20276382  
**New or Non-Continuing:** No  
**Foundation Basis Year:** 2009  
**Foundation Basis:** 113019  
**Consolidated LEA:** No

**Contact Info**

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**Eligible Federal Acres**

<b>Existing Property</b>	<b>Property Name</b>	<b>Jurisdiction Type</b>	<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>Eligible Acres (30)</b>
Yes	Buffalo Gap National Grasslands	County	Fall River	34,275.4

**Revenue from Eligible Federal Property**

<b>Source</b>	<b>Agency</b>	<b>Program or Description Type</b>	<b>Funds Received</b>
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**Total Acreage and Taxable Value in LEA**

Type	Jurisdiction	Total Acres	Total Taxable Value
LEA	Oelrichs Public Schools #23-3	1.0	\$1.00

**LEA Opted Out:** Yes  
**Total Acres:** 1.0  
**Total Taxable Value:** \$1.00

**Tax Levy Information**

Jurisdiction Type	Jurisdiction	Tax Rate
City; County; LEA; State		1.000000

**Notes**

**Statements:**

**7002 Assurances, Certifications and Signing Statement**

I certify that I have read the statements contained in this application and that these statements and all of the data included in this application are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, complete, and correct. I certify that I am authorized to make the representations and commitments in this application, for and on behalf of the applicant and otherwise to act as the applicant's authorized representative in submitting this application for funding under section 7002 of the Impact Aid Program (Title VII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act). I declare that the applicant will mail a complete copy of this application to the SEA at the same time that it submits this application to the U.S. Department of Education.

**General Assurances - Non-Construction Programs**

NOTE: Certain of these assurances may not be applicable to your project or program. If you have questions, please contact the awarding agency.

As the duly authorized representative of the applicant, I certify that the applicant:

1. Has the legal authority to apply for Federal assistance and the institutional, managerial and financial capability (including funds sufficient to pay the non- Federal share of project cost) to ensure proper planning, management and completion of the project described in this application.
2. Will give the awarding agency, the Comptroller General of the United States and, if appropriate, the State, through any authorized representative, access to and the right to examine all records, books, papers, or documents related to the award; and will establish a proper accounting system in accordance with generally accepted accounting standards or agency directives.

3. Will establish safeguards to prohibit employees from using their positions for a purpose that constitutes or presents the appearance of personal or organizational conflict of interest, or personal gain.
4. Will initiate and complete the work within the applicable time frame after receipt of approval of the awarding agency.
5. Will comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed standards for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System of Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
6. Will comply with all Federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination. These include but are not limited to: (a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88- 352) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin; (b) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681- 1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex; (c) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicaps; (d) the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age; (e) the Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse; (f) the Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism; (g) §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records; (h) Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §§3601 et seq.), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing; (i) any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for Federal assistance is being made; and, (j) the requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
7. Will comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of Federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of Federal participation in purchases.
8. Will comply, as applicable, with provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328) which limit the political activities of employees whose principal employment activities are funded in whole or in part with Federal funds.
9. Will comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis- Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327- 333), regarding labor standards for federally-assisted construction subagreements.
10. Will comply, if applicable, with flood insurance purchase requirements of Section 102(a) of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (P.L. 93-234) which requires recipients in a special flood hazard area to participate in the program and to purchase flood insurance if the total cost of insurable construction and acquisition is \$10,000 or more.
11. Will comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §§1451 et seq.); (f) conformity of Federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under Section 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§7401 et seq.); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L. 93-523); and, (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205).

12. Will comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 (16 U.S.C. §§1271 et seq.) related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system.
13. Will assist the awarding agency in assuring compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §§469a-1 et seq.).
14. Will comply with P.L. 93-348 regarding the protection of human subjects involved in research, development, and related activities supported by this award of assistance.
15. Will comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §§4801 et seq.) which prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.
16. Will cause to be performed the required financial and compliance audits in accordance with the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and OMB Circular No. A-133, 'Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations.'
17. Will comply with all applicable requirements of all other Federal laws, executive orders, regulations, and policies governing this program.

### **Assurances - Impact Aid Programs**

The LEA further assures that:

1. It is a local educational agency that was created and authorized to operate schools, has administrative control and direction of free public education in the school districts, and that it may legally accept and disburse Federal funds to aid in financing its expenditures
2. It will comply with all applicable statutes, regulations, and requirements concerning this grant, including requirements of the Impact Aid law (Title VII of the ESEA), the program regulations (34 CFR Part 222), and program administrative requirements;
3. It is hereby advised that, under section 7011 of the Impact Aid law, it is entitled to request an administrative hearing on, and/or review or reconsideration of, any action of the Department under the Impact Aid law that adversely affects or aggrieves the applicant; any such requests are governed by the regulations in 34 CFR Part 222, Subpart J, except for requests for hearings concerning Indian policies and procedures, tribal complaints, and withholdings that are governed by the regulations at 34 CFR Part 222, Subpart G. Any request for a hearing, review or reconsideration under 34 CFR Part 222, Subpart J, must be made in writing and submitted within 60 calendar days from the date of the applicant's notice (receipt) of the adverse action to: Director, Impact Aid Program, United States Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20202-6244.

### **Certifications Regarding Lobbying**

Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans, and Cooperative Agreements. The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," in accordance with its instructions.
3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under

grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

**Statement for Loan Guarantees and Loan Insurance**

The undersigned states, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that: If any funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this commitment providing for the United States to insure or guarantee a loan, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," in accordance with its instructions. Submission of this statement is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required statement shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

I have reviewed the Impact Aid application and the certifications and assurances on this page, and I am ready to sign and submit the application on behalf of my LEA.

**Signed by** Mitchell Stone

**Signed on** 1/6/2026

**Submitted on** 1/6/2026