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Budget Comment Increase concern

Hello,

I see there is approximately a \$200,000 increase in the budget causing a nearly 2 mil increase. My concern is there could be a \$100,00 increase if we were still getting the CT Education money from the tribes. We are losing this money because the BOE will not change the high school mascot name. I do not think my taxes should increase by their refusal to change the mascot name. If they want that name, they should do fundraising to offset the \$100,000 shortfall and not cause taxpayers to pick up the \$100,000 loss.

The BOE needs to either change the name of the mascot and be sensitive to the hurt the current mascot name instills or come up with another way to fund the loss of the tribe education monies.

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