

FERGUS HIGH SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

BALLOTS MAILED
Sept. 10, 2026
ELECTION
Sept. 29, 2026

PROTECTING OUR

Students



SAFETY - SECURITY
ENTRIES / CORRIDORS
EMERGENCY SYSTEMS

PROTECTING OUR

Skillssets



ART - SCIENCE - WELDING
FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCES
VENTILATION SYSTEMS

PROTECTING OUR

Facilities



ROOF
CRITICAL BUILDING
INFRASTRUCTURE

For more information visit:

<https://www.lewistown.k12.mt.us/district/school-elections/school-bond-election-fhs>



General Obligation Bonds - 20 Year Term

Estimated Mill Levy Computation:

Par Amount of Bonds:	\$10,500,000
Total Estimated Interest:	\$6,691,625
Estimated Annual Payment:	\$858,125
Divided by 20.627 Mill Value:	\$21,211.255
Estimated Mills Required:	40.46

Estimated Tax Increase -

"Homestead Qualified" RESIDENTIAL:

20.627 Tax Year "MARKET VALUE" Residential Property	Year 20.627 Tax "TAXABLE VALUE" Residential Property	Estimated ANNUAL Tax	Estimated MONTHLY Tax
\$100,000	\$760	\$30.75	\$2.56
\$200,000	\$1,520	\$61.49	\$5.12
\$300,000	\$2,280	\$92.24	\$7.69
\$400,000	\$3,040	\$124.24	\$10.35

All property owners (including farming and ranching operations, commercial businesses, home owners, etc.) should use the following formula to calculate the estimated tax impact of the Bond issue.

$$\text{Estimated Tax Impact Formula}$$

$$\text{Taxable Value} \times \text{Number of Mills} + 1,000 =$$

$$\text{Estimated Annual Tax Impact of the Bonds}$$

PROTECTING OUR Community Investment

For 40 years, Fergus High School has served generations of students. The building has been well cared for, but several original systems now require replacement rather than continued maintenance.

The Lewistown Public Schools Board of Trustees is asking voters to consider a \$10.5 million bond focused on student security, essential building repairs, and outdated ventilation in school shops and labs, as well as in art and Family and Consumer Sciences spaces.

This bond is not about replacing the school. It is about responsibly renewing an asset our community already owns so it can continue to serve students for decades to come.



Learn more at our upcoming events:

September 3 & September 15 | Fergus High School Cafeteria | Listening Session & Tours