

School Trust Lands are an important part of our history and the development and funding of our educational system. As an Association, we believe that any funding derived from these school land trusts should always be used to supplement already existing state revenue sources, never supplanting the funds. NEA will utilize existing media resources to educate our members of the history and value of these land trusts. We as an Association need to support those states with existing school land trusts and help them to maintain their funds.

*This position statement was brought forward by Tom Wellman and Ken Buhrmann of the Nevada State Education Association.*

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