

**DISCUSSION/ACTION**  
**February 17, 2012**

**HIGHER EDUCATIONAL AIDS BOARD**

**BOARD REPORT #12-09**

**2012-13 WHEG - TRIBAL PROGRAM FORMULA**

**PROPOSED 2012-13 FORMULAS  
WISCONSIN HIGHER EDUCATION GRANT  
TRIBAL COLLEGES**

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**Recommendation of Dr. Verna Fowler, President, College of Menominee Nation**

$(\$6,560 - \text{EFC}) \times 27.44\% = \text{Award}$

$(\text{Student Budget} - \text{Expected Family Contribution}) \times \text{Student Award Percentage} = \text{Award}$

Maximum Award: \$1,800    Minimum Award: \$250

This reflects no change from the current year's formula.

Other Information

2012-2013 Appropriation: \$440,000

2011-2012 Appropriation: \$440,000

2010-2011 Appropriation: \$440,000

2009-2010 Appropriation: \$432,500

2008-2009 Appropriation: \$424,000

2007-2008 Appropriation: \$414,000

**Current Formula:**

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**Current Year Spending:** All of the 2011-2012 funds will be spent. Awards were suspended April 29, 2011 when all funds were fully committed.



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Mr. John Reineman, Executive Secretary  
Wisconsin Higher Education Aids Board  
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Dear Executive Secretary Reineman:

The College of Menominee Nation thanks you for the opportunity to make a recommendation regarding the Wisconsin Higher Education Grant formula for the 2012-2013 academic year. The College of Menominee Nation recommends that the formula remain the same as for the 2011-2012 academic year. In making this determination I worked with my administration and financial aid staff and we believe this formula will help us in serving the greatest number of students.

The College of Menominee Nation, however, looks forward to working with the HEAB staff and Board members to increase the appropriations. We serve some of the State's neediest citizens and our enrollment continues to increase each semester.

On behalf of our students, faculty and staff I thank you for working with us to serve our students. We look forward to hearing the final decision of the Higher Education Aids Board. I greatly anticipate working with you in securing more support for more students in this State.

Respectfully,

S. Verna Fowler, Ph.D  
President