



Piikani Money Campaign Final Assessment Consent Form

The Piikani Money Campaign is a program that was conducted on behalf of a coalition, comprised of several organizations, institutions and Blackfeet tribal agencies. The purpose of the campaign was to provide urgently needed information about financial and predatory practices to enrolled tribal members who received offers and potential payments from the Federal Land Buy Back program in late 2016.

The final assessment on the following pages is for the Piikani Money Campaign to gauge how the campaign has impacted tribal members' financial decisions regarding Land Buy Back one-time payments.

Confidentiality

Your name will not be connected to the final assessment responses, so your personal identity will remain anonymous. No one will be able to link you to the responses that you make.

Participation

Your participation in this final assessment is voluntary and you are not required to participate.

Benefits

Your responses will help determine the effectiveness of the Piikani Money Campaign with regards to how it has provided education and financial awareness for tribal members to make healthy economic decisions.

Risks

There are no known negative effects for taking part in the survey.

Prize

If you want to be eligible for a new iPad, you must fill in ALL the information below and include it when you mail in the final assessment or if you fill out the final assessment online fill this form out online as well. You will only be eligible for the new iPad if you complete the entire survey. If you do not want to be eligible for the iPad, and want to remain anonymous, check a box below and continue with the final assessment.

Name: _____

Valid Phone Number: _____

Signature (or type name if filling out online): _____

Date: _____

Consent

You MUST check a box below to continue the survey.

- I am at least 18 years of age and agree to the above Consent Form.**
- I am under 18 years of age and my guardian's name is signed and printed below.**

This signature provides permission for the juvenile to participate in the survey.

Signature _____

Printed Name _____

Contact Info:

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You can also take this survey online at: <https://www.tfaforms.com/4624383>

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General Information

1. **Age:**
2. **Gender:**
Male Female Other I prefer to identify as: _____
3. **Estimated yearly/annual household income? \$** _____

How many people are part of YOUR household? "Household" includes anyone you share income and expenses with, including: 1) your financial dependents (for example, your dependent children); 2) anyone you depend on financially (for example, your parents); and 3) anyone you are financially interdependent with (for example, your spouse or partner). Your "household" may or may not be the same as the people you live with.

Number of Adults Over 18
(including yourself)

Number of Children Under 18

Total Size of Household

+

=

4. **Highest Level of Education Completed:**
Elementary Middle School Some High School High School Diploma GED
Associate's Degree Technical Degree Bachelor's Degree Graduate Degree
5. **Are you currently employed?**
Employed Not Employed Retired Other Please Specify: _____
6. **Are you currently on public assistance of any kind?**
Yes No
7. **Do you know about the Piikani Money Campaign?**
Yes No
8. **Did you attend a Native American Community Development Corporation educational workshop to gain a better understanding of the implications of accepting a one-time payment?**
Yes No
9. **If yes, how many did you attend?** _____
10. **Were you offered a payment by the Land Buy Back Program?**
Yes No
11. **If yes, was the offer for land located on the Blackfeet Reservation?**
Yes No
12. **If yes, did you accept an offer from the Land Buy Back Program?**
Yes No
13. **Why/why not?**
14. **Did information from the Piikani Money Campaign help you make your decision?**
Yes No
15. **Please check the ONE box that most applies to you.**
I live on the Blackfeet Reservation
I live off the Blackfeet Reservation, but near the reservation border
I live off the Blackfeet Reservation, but still in Montana.
I live in a different state.

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Land Buy Back

If you accepted the Land Buy Back payment, answer the following questions. If you declined the offer, skip to the next section:

16. How much money was the offer? _____
17. If you do not want to answer the above question, could you at least let us know if it was more or less than \$28,000?
More Less
18. How many acres were involved? _____
19. What did you do with the money? (Check all that apply).
Saved Bought a House Remodeled/Renovated a Home Bought a vehicle
Repaired or maintained a vehicle Invested in agricultural improvements Invested in a new business
Invested in an existing business Paid down existing debt I just blew it
Other 1 Please Specify: _____
Other 2 Please Specify: _____
20. Please explain, in your own words, what you did with your Land Buy Back money:
21. How satisfied are you with what you decided to do with your Land Buy Back Payment?
Very Dissatisfied Dissatisfied Neither Dissatisfied or Satisfied Satisfied Very Satisfied
22. Do you feel the Piikani Money Campaign helped you understand how to utilize your payment in the best way?
Yes No
Why/why not?

Business Information

23. Do you own a business?
Yes No
If yes, what type of business? _____
If yes, is it a farming or ranching related business? Yes No
If yes, did you purchase the business with your Land Buy Back payment? Yes No
If no, are you hoping to start your own business with money from your Land Buy Back payment?
Yes No I did not accept the Land Buy Back offer.
If yes, what type of business? _____
If yes, will it be a farming or ranching related business? Yes No
24. If you utilized your Land Buy Back payment for a business, please indicate how you utilized the money. (Check all that apply).
Paid off business debt
Bought new or used equipment/machinery
Remodeled
Built/Bought/Rented new facilities
Increased/Diversified inventory
Bought land
Utilized existing land
Expanded your product/services
Provided raises, bonuses, and/or new employee incentives
Bought Livestock
Leveraged into new loan
Invested in retirement or Stocks
Increased employees
Other 1 Please Specify: _____

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Other 2 Please Specify: _____

25. **It has been several months since you've received your Land Buy Back payment. How is the money from the payment still impacting you or your family?** (For example, maybe it allowed you to purchase a vehicle, or to pay-off debts so you are now able to save. Maybe it allowed you to purchase a home so your family feels healthier and safer. Maybe it was spent on something that lead to more debt).

26. **Is there anything else you would like us to know?**

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