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More Schools "Showing Michigan the Money"

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More schools across the state are "Showing Michigan the Money".

The Mackinac Center's "Show Michigan the Money" is a program that enables school districts across the state to allow the public to stay informed on how their money is being spent. The districts involved place their check registers online so taxpayers can view them.

Some of the districts that have recently gone ahead with the program are the Bullock Creek Schools in Midland County and the Chassel Township Schools in Houghton County.

Ken Braun is the Director of the "Show Michigan the Money Project"

"This is in a nutshell just a way where school districts can have a two way dialogue with their community about how they are spending their money in real time and allow every taxpayer, every parent, every media person, anyone that wishes to go online and have a very close idea what their district is doing with the money that they're giving em."

Anyone looking to know more should go to www.showmichiganthemoney.org

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