Regional School District #4 Supervision District Committee Public Hearing

on the 2019-2020 Proposed Budget – February 4, 2019

This Public Hearing was held at the John Winthrop Middle School's Library with the following Committee members in attendance:

David Fitzgibbons, Charlene Fearon, Jane Cavanaugh, Paula Weglarz, Jennifer Clark, Lon Seidman, Loretta McCluskey, and DG Fitton

Also in attendance: Superintendent Ruth Levy, Assistant Superintendent Kristina Martineau, and Business Manager Kim Allen

There were approx. 30 citizens in the audience

CALL TO ORDER

Lon Seidman, Committee Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ITEMS

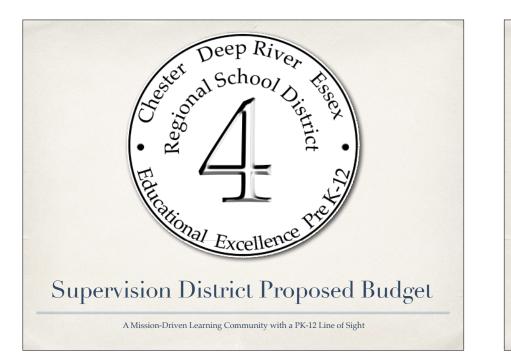
Chair Seidman presented the proposed 2019-2020 Supervision District Budget.

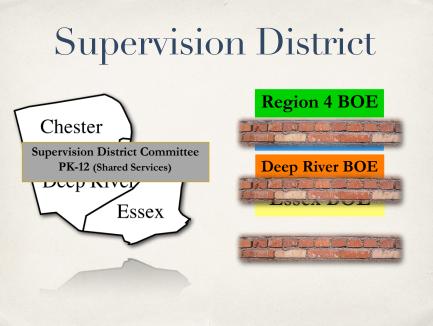
The floor was opened to the public for questions and comments.

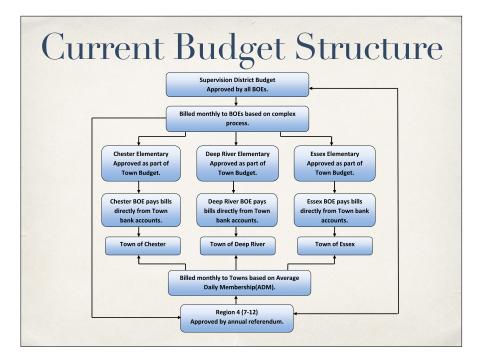
On motion duly made and seconded, the Committee unanimously VOTED to adjourn at approx.. 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ruth Levy







What is the Supervision District? Shared Expenses

5	Superintendent			Director of Pupil Se	rvices
Assis	tant Superintendent			Director of Techno	ology
Bu	usiness Manager			Related Functio	ons
Administrative Services	PK-12 Curriculum	Spe Educ	cial ation	Elementary Enrichment	Summer School
Fiscal Services	Professional Development			FLES Instruction	Preschool Services
Legal Support	Student Transportation	Perso Serv	onnel vices	Elementary Music	Elementary Art

Supervision Cost Allocation

- * 3 way allocation based on elementary students
- * 4 way allocation based on total K-12 population
- * 1 way allocation when benefiting one board
- Use allocation for expenses that can be segregated based on frequency or volume of use

\$7,719,403

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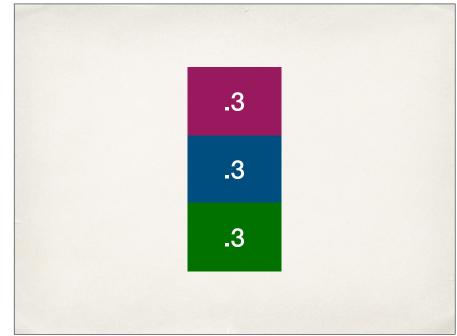
+903,233 (before revenues) +13.23%

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93% offset by decreases in other budgets

Position	Amount
Library Media Specialists	\$204,078
PE Teachers	\$285,612
Network Techs	\$351,555
TOTAL	\$841,245

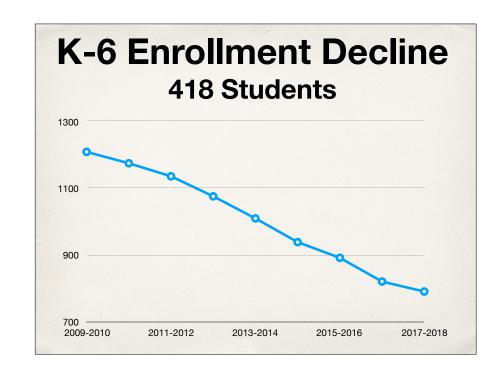


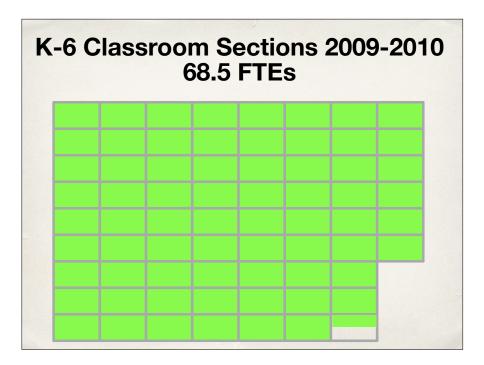


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Other Increases

Item	Amount	
Asst. Business Manager	\$14,871	
Salaries and Benefits	\$200,568	
Tech Subscriptions	\$27,444	
Central Office Maintenance	\$14,000	
Transportation	\$26,391	
Minor Increases/Decreases	\$20,946	
TOTAL	\$304,220	





K-6 Classroom Sections 2018-2019 -19.5 Classrooms to 49 FTEs



Staff Reductions

Amount	
\$16,785	
\$6,611	
\$8,940	
\$17,028	
\$8,514	
\$46,992	
\$65,104	
\$54,866	
-\$224,840	

K-6 Sections by School

	2009-2010	2018-2019	Change	Percent
Chester	17.5	14	-3.5	-20%
Deep River	20.5	15	-5.5	-27%
Essex	30.5	20	-10.5	-34%
TOTAL	68.5	49	-19.5	-28%
Music	6.2	4.6	-1.6	-26%
Art	3.2	2.4	-0.8	-25%
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Offset Expenditures	\$841,245
Other Increases	\$304,220
Staff Reductions	-\$224,840
Other Adjustments	-\$17,392
TOTAL	\$903,233

