

# Budget Hearing 2020-2021

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**BUDGET HEARING/ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA** 

#### Monday, September 28, 2020 District Offices Board Room 3555 North Calhoun Road Brookfield, WI 53005

#### BUDGET HEARING – 6:00 p.m.

- 1. Call to Order by the Board President at 6:00 p.m.
- 2. Explanation of Budget Hearing Procedures
- 3. Presentation of the 2020-2021 Budget and Briefing on Financial Planning Ideas for Consideration for 2021-2023
- 4. Opportunity for Questions
- 5. Recognition of Gifts to the District During 2019-2020

#### <u>ANNUAL MEETING – 7:00 p.m.</u>

- 1. Call to Order by the Board President at 7:00 p.m.
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Reading of Published Notice of Meeting by the Board Clerk
- 4. Motion to Elect Chairperson for the Annual Meeting
- 5. Presentation of Rules Governing the Annual Meeting by the Chairperson
  - a. Roberts' Rules of Order
  - b. Designation of Parliamentarian
  - c. Designation of Tellers
- 6. Approval of the Agenda
- 7. Report from the Board President
- 8. Report from the Superintendent
- 9. Oath of Residency
- 10. Motion to Authorize the Reimbursement of Actual and Necessary Board Members' Expenses for Travel Outside the School District in the Performance of Duties
- 11. Motion to Establish Salaries for Board Members
- 12. Motion to Levy Annual Tax
- 13. Motion to Lease Suitable Buildings
- 14. Motion to Lease District Sites, Buildings, and/or Equipment Not Needed for School Purposes
- 15. Motion to Establish Date of 2021 Annual Meeting Monday, September 27, 2021
- 16. Adjournment

PLEASE NOTE:

- To qualify for voting on the business at hand, one must be eighteen years of age or over, a citizen of the United States, and a current resident of the School District of Elmbrook for at least twenty-eight consecutive days.
- All motions and amendments are to be submitted in writing.
- All persons wishing to speak are to identify themselves by indicating their name and whether or not a resident of the District.

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# Message from the Superintendent

Elmbrook Residents,

On behalf of the School District of Elmbrook's Board of Education and senior leadership team, thank you for reviewing the 2020-2021 preliminary budget. The Annual Meeting is another opportunity to celebrate the accomplishments of our students and staff and highlights of the 2019-2020 school year. In addition, our reflection on the past school year helps to inform the planning of the future, reflected in the 2020-2021 budget proposal.

The budget process and philosophy places priority on our strategies, evaluates current costs for greater efficiency and effectiveness, and allows for innovation and change. The district is committed to providing an outstanding educational experience for every student. As a result of the budget process, the 2020-2021 budget prioritizes the following strategic focus areas:

- A Great Place to Learn We will continue to focus on engaging all students in high quality learning that prepares them for life, college, and career. We aspire to remain in the top 10% of school districts in the nation. We will also assess our ability to deliver for every student, every time, all the time regardless of race, religion, disability, or socio-economic status.
- A Great Place to Work We will collaboratively cultivate a positive work environment focused on employee well-being, engagement, and growth opportunities, while maintaining a retention rate that exceeds 90% and attracting highly effective staff to join our team.
- A Great School District We will continue to create maximum value for our community through strategic management, stakeholder engagement, and efficient and effective operations, while controlling health care costs, investing in our infrastructure, and annually evaluating our enrollment projections to determine short and long term facility and financial resources.

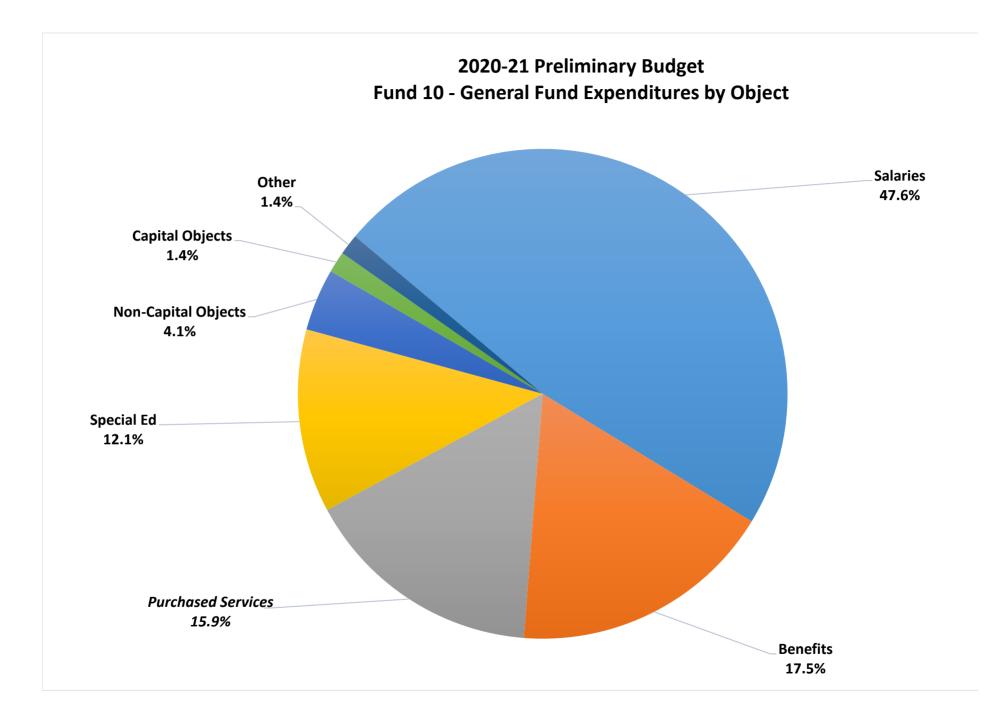
All of this is being done during the most unusual start to a school year in memory. In an effort to mitigate the impact of the pandemic on our financial system, non-essential spending was frozen at the end of last year and this year's budget was analyzed for potential spending delays. This positioned the district to set aside over five million dollars in anticipation of increased expenditures in infrastructure, staffing, cleaning, etcetera. The district's strong financial practices and processes have been validated through our sustained AAA bond rating. We are one of five districts across the state, and about 50 in the nation, to earn this rare rating, reflecting the market's confidence in our financial stability and status. We are thankful to have a Board of Education that successfully balances student learning with fiscal responsibility and stewardship.

Thank you for your continued support of our students and our schools. I am confident that the 2020-2021 year will be another year of excellence and celebrations for the School District of Elmbrook.

Dr. Mark Hansen Superintendent

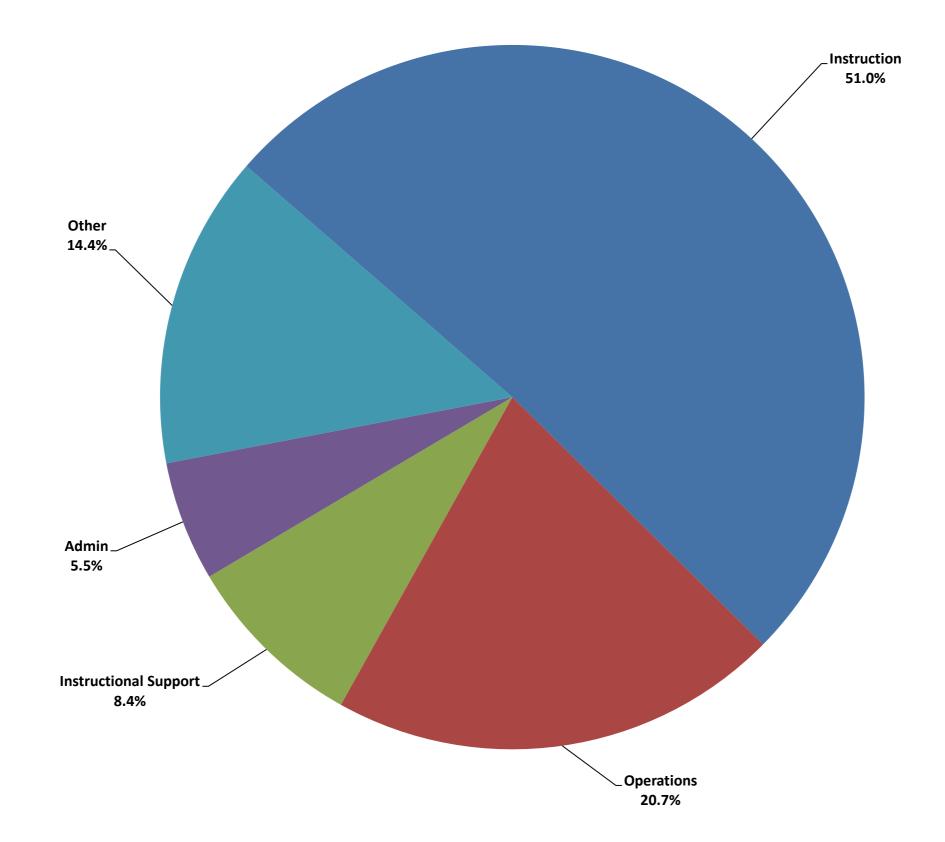
### 2020-21 Preliminary Budget Expenditures by Object Fund 10 - General Fund

Object	Description	2019-20 Adjusted Budget	2020-21 Preliminary Budget		Amount Change	% Change
	Salaries & Benefits					
100	Salaries	44,266,750	46,027,951		1,761,201	3.98%
200	Employee Benefits	16,674,813	16,900,999		226,186	1.36%
	Total Salaries & Benefits	\$ 60,941,563	\$ 62,928,950	\$	1,987,387	3.26%
	Purchased Services					
310	Personal Services	1,241,676	1,178,418		(63,258)	-5.09%
320	Property Services	6,427,837	5,217,707		(1,210,130)	-18.83%
331	Natural Gas	233,142	227,344		(5,798)	-2.49%
336	Electricity	1,001,270	901,146		(100,124)	-10.00%
337-338	Water and Sewer	103,650	103,650		-	0.00%
341	Pupil Travel	3,948,394	4,295,159		346,765	8.78%
342	Employee Travel	244,574	275,868		31,294	12.80%
343	Contracted Service Travel	17,966	19,566		1,600	8.91%
345	Pupil Lodging and Meals	38,500	34,418		(4,082)	-10.60%
348	Vehicle Fuel	330,223	326,966		(3,257)	-0.99%
350	Communications	250,701	242,551		(8,150)	-3.25%
360	Information Technology	381,700	362,556		(19,144)	0.00%
370 380	Payments to Non-Governmental Agencies Intergovernmental Pmts for Services	942,044 1,418,511	868,848 1,290,459		(73,196) (128,052)	-7.77% -9.03%
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	Total Purchased Services	\$ 16,580,188	\$ 15,344,656	\$	(1,235,532)	-7.45%
	Non-Capital Objects					
410	Supplies and Materials	1,627,890	1,589,666		(38,224)	-2.35%
420	Apparel	48,728	52,138		3,410	7.00%
430	Media	329,381	227,351		(102,030)	-30.98%
440	Non-Capital Equipment	133,459	111,923		(21,536)	-16.14%
450	Items for Resale	67,620	42,215		(25,405)	-37.57%
460	Equipment Components	69,408	82,977		13,569	19.55%
470 480	Textbooks and Workbooks	531,786	416,036		(115,750)	-21.77%
480 490	Non-Instructional Computer Software Other Non-Capital Objects	1,453,665 61,072	1,299,316 106,973		(154,349) 45,901	-10.62% 75.16%
430	Total Non-Capital Objects	\$ 4,323,009	\$ 3,928,595	\$	(394,414)	-9.12%
	Operated Objects					
540	Capital Objects	500			(500)	100.000/
540	Building Component - Addition & Replacement	500	-		(500)	-100.00% 33.70%
550-560 580	Equipment/Vehicle Purchase Technology	964,949 900	1,290,150 23,500		325,201 22,600	2511.11%
500	Total Capital Objects	\$ 966,349	\$ 1,313,650	\$	347,301	<u>35.94%</u>
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	Debt Retirement - General Fund		0 500		0 500	0.000/
682	Temporary Borrowing - Interest	<u> </u>	9,523		9,523	0.00%
	Total Debt Retirement-Gen Fund	<u>\$</u> -	\$ 9,523	\$	9,523	0.00%
	Insurance					
711-719	District Insurance	682,549	690,916		8,367	1.23%
730	Unemployment Compensation	40,000	40,000		-	0.00%
	Total Insurance	\$ 722,549	\$ 730,916	\$	8,367	1.16%
	Operating Transfers-Out					
827	Special Education	10,282,730	11,751,843		1,469,113	14.29%
	Total Operating Transfers-Out	\$ 10,282,730	\$ 11,751,843	\$	1,469,113	14.29%
	Other Objects					
930	<u>Other Objects</u> Revenue Transits	22,000	21,500		(E00)	0.00%
930 940	Dues and Fees	490,616	581,262		(500) 90,646	0.00% 18.48%
940 970	Aidable & Non-Aidable Refunds	490,010 55,000	55,000		30,040	0.00%
575	Total Other Objects	\$ 567,616	\$ 657,762	\$	90,146	15.88%
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	Total General Fund Expenditures - Fund 10	\$ 94,384,004	\$ 96,665,895	\$	2,281,891	2.42%



## 2020-21 Preliminary Budget Expenditures by Function Fund 10 - General Fund

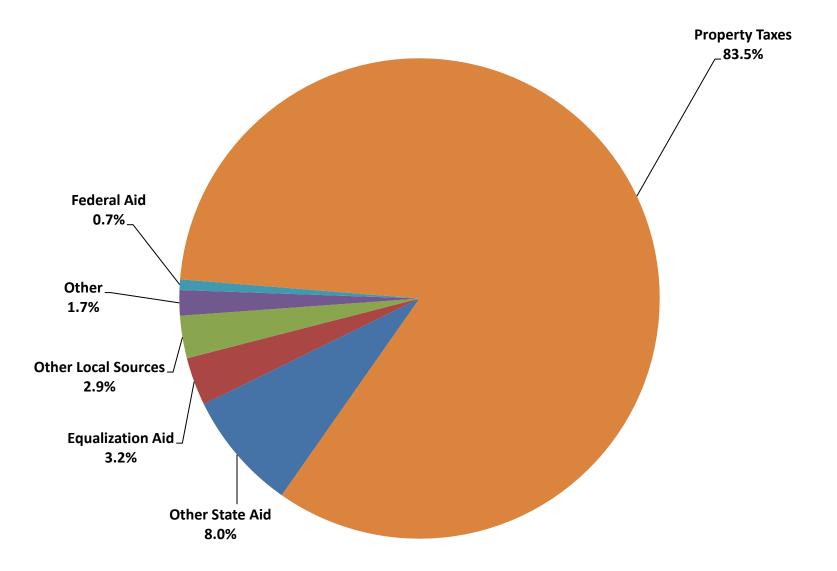
Function	GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES	2019-20 Adjusted Budget	2020-21 Preliminary Budget	Amount Change	% Change
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110000	Undifferentiated Curriculum	15,518,098	15,591,043	72,945	0.47%
120000	Regular Curriculum	26,412,847	27,946,980	1,534,133	5.81%
130000	Vocational Curriculum	1,954,801	2,042,978	88,177	4.51%
140000	Physical Curriculum	2,131,782	2,137,854	6,072	0.28%
160000	Co-Curricular Activities	1,402,102	1,533,927	131,825	9.40%
170000	Special Needs	48,300	64,100	15,800	32.71%
	Total Instruction	\$ 47,467,930	\$ 49,316,882	\$ 1,848,952	3.90%
210000	Pupil Services	3,220,319	3,287,399	67,080	2.08%
220000	Instructional Staff Services	4,922,611	4,852,802	(69,809)	-1.42%
230000	General Administration	1,555,793	1,493,826	(61,967)	-3.98%
240000	School Building Administration	3,720,582	3,814,118	93,536	2.51%
250000	Business Administration	17,743,064	17,167,056	(576,008)	-3.25%
260000	Central Services	413,462	409,360	(4,102)	-0.99%
270000	Insurance & Judgments	830,176	736,916	(93,260)	-11.23%
280000	Debt Service	-	9,523	-	0.00%
290000	Other Support Services	1,856,727	1,664,118	(192,609)	-10.37%
	Total Support Services	\$ 34,262,734	\$ 33,435,118	\$ (827,616)	-2.42%
400000	Non-Program Expenditures	\$ 12,653,340	\$ 13,913,895	\$ 1,260,555	9.96%
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Total Gen	eral Fund Expenditures - Fund 10	\$ 94,384,004	\$ 96,665,895	\$ 2,281,891	2.42%
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#### 2020-21 Preliminary Budget Revenue by Source - Fund 10

Source	Description	2019-20 Adjusted Budget		2020-21 Preliminary Budget		Amount Change	% Change
	Local Sources						
211	Current Property Tax	78,584,260		81,289,556		2,705,296	3.44%
211	Chargeback Property Tax	16,797		17,000		2,705,290	1.21%
241	Regular Day School (Non-Res Tuition)	451,500		446,500		(5,000)	-1.11%
248	Transportation Fees-Individually Paid	13,005		14,500		1,495	11.50%
262	Sale Material - Resale	60,970		45,060		(15,910)	-26.09%
271	Admissions	215,512		191,500		(24,012)	-11.14%
279	Other School Activity Income	295,000		154,000		(141,000)	-47.80%
280	Interest on Investments	60,000		60,000		-	0.00%
291	Gifts	19,300		28,719		9,419	48.80%
292	Student Fees	1,179,954		1,173,882		(6,072)	-0.51%
293	Rental of School Bldgs. and Sites	272,708		279,008		6,300	2.31%
295	Summer School Revenue	1,875		-		(1,875)	-100.00%
297	Student Fines	330		850		520	157.58%
	Total - Local Sources	\$ 81,171,211	\$	83,700,575	\$	2,529,364	3.12%
	Inter-District Payments Within WI						
343	Co Curr Activities WI Schools	43,340		34,040		(9,300)	-21.46%
345	General Tuition - Open Enrollment	1,084,176		999,000		(85,176)	-7.86%
348	Transportation Fees	4,500		-		(4,500)	-100.00%
349	Payments for Other Services	220,000		100,000		(120,000)	-54.55%
390	Other Pmts from WI School Districts			40,000		40,000	0.00%
	Total-Inter-Dist Payments Within WI	\$ 1,352,016	\$	1,173,040	\$	(178,976)	-13.24%
	Other Revenue From Intermediate Sources						
517	Transit of Federal Aid	20,000		27,841		7,841	39.21%
011	Total - Other Revenue Intermediate Sources	\$ 20,000	\$	27,841	\$	7,841	39.21%
	State Sources	<u> </u>				- ,	
612	Gen. Transportation Aid	152,000		152,000			0.00%
613	Library Aid (Common Sch Income)	336,237		300,000		(36,237)	-10.78%
616	Integration Aid	769,938		688,806		(81,132)	-10.54%
621	Equalization Aid	2,873,140		2,832,192		(40,948)	-1.43%
630	Special Projects Grant	54,080		44,080		(10,000)	-18.49%
691	Tax Exempt Computer Aid	1,381,671		1,381,671		(10,000)	0.00%
695	Per Pupil Aid	5,324,592		5,400,771		76,179	1.43%
	Total - State Sources	\$ 10,891,658	\$	10,799,520	\$	(92,138)	-0.85%
	Revenue From Federal Sources	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	-, -,		<u> </u>	
730	Special Projects Grant	445,958		445,958		_	0.00%
751	ECIA - Title I	148,461		148,461		_	0.00%
780	Other Revenue From State Sources	100,000		100,000		_	0.00%
100	Total - Rev From Federal Sources	\$ 694,419	\$	694,419	\$	-	0.00%
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060	Other Revenues Other Adjustments	0E 000		25 000			0.000/
969 971	Other Adjustments Refund of Disb Aidable	25,000 206,000		25,000 221,000		-	0.00% 7.28%
971 990	Other Miscellaneous Revenues	206,000 23,700		221,000 24,500		15,000 800	7.28% 3.38%
330	Total - Other Revenues	<b>\$ 254,700</b>	\$	24,500	\$	15,800	<u> </u>
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	TOTAL GENERAL FUND - FUND 10	\$ 94,384,004	\$	96,665,895	\$	2,281,891	2.42%

# 2020-21 Preliminary Budget Fund 10 - General Fund Revenue by Source

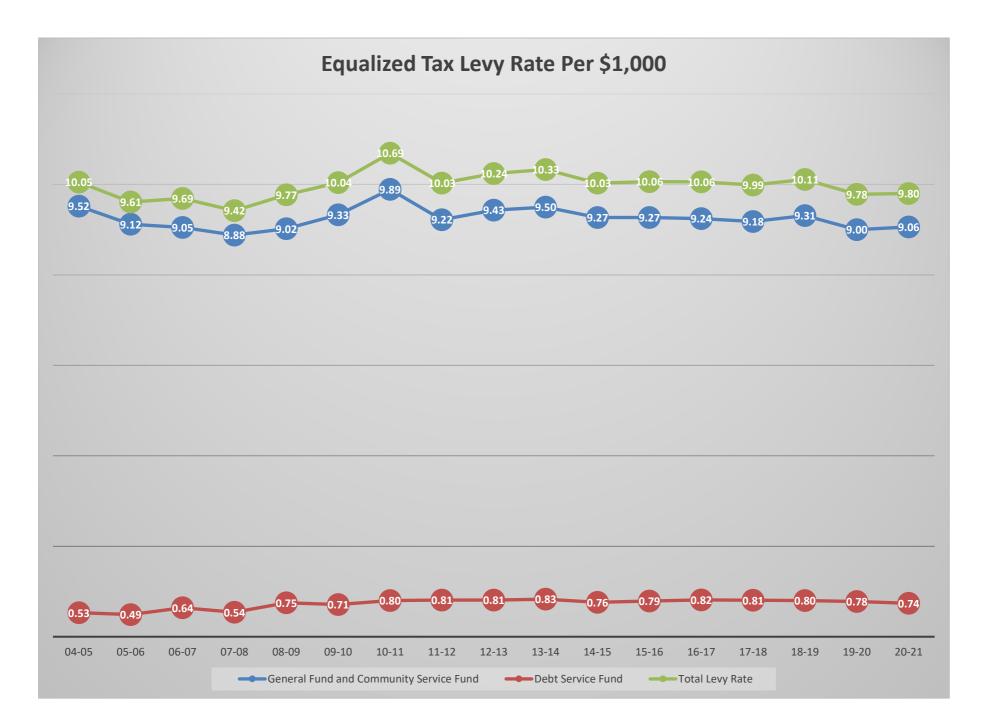


## 2020-21 Preliminary Budget - Fund Summary

		2018-19 Actuals		2019-20 Actuals		2020-21 Preliminary Budget	Percentage of Increase or Decrease
GENERAL FUND (Fund 10) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	36,773,104	\$	34,504,240	\$	34,504,240	0.0%
REVENUES							
200 Local Sources		81,351,636		81,216,799		83,700,575	3.1%
300 Interdistrict Payments		1,625,865		1,702,424		1,173,040	(31.1%)
500 Intermediate Sources 600 State Sources		23,609 10,952,217		22,974		27,841 10,799,520	21.2%
700 Federal Sources		807,730		11,431,699 807,576		10,799,520 694,419	(5.5%) (14.0%)
800 Other Financing Sources		25,902		21,952		0	(100.0%)
900 Other Revenues		447,520		582,872		270,500	(53.6%)
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE	\$	95,234,479	\$	95,786,296	\$	96,665,895	0.9%
EXPENDITURES							
110000 Undifferentiated Curriculum	\$	14,731,579	\$	14,856,956	\$	15,591,043	4.9%
120000 Regular Curriculum		23,690,048		24,760,142		27,946,980	12.9%
130000 Vocational Curriculum		1,970,599		1,967,014		2,042,978	3.9%
140000 Physical Curriculum 160000 Co-Curricular Activities		2,026,484 1,444,099		2,111,911		2,137,854 1,533,927	1.2% 20.1%
170000 Special Needs		44,099		1,277,268 71,864		64,100	(10.8%)
TOTAL INSTRUCTION	\$	43,906,878	\$	45,045,155	\$	49,316,882	9.5%
210000 Pupil Services	\$	3,108,181	\$	3,131,317	\$	3,287,399	5.0%
220000 Instructional Staff Services	Ŷ	4,393,694	Ψ	4,549,647	Ψ	4,852,802	6.7%
230000 General Administration		1,457,540		1,448,038		1,493,826	3.2%
240000 School Building Administration		3,475,850		3,626,423		3,814,118	5.2%
250000 Business Administration		22,027,015		25,138,173		17,167,056	(31.7%)
260000 Central Services		415,933		387,440		409,360	5.7%
270000 Insurance & Judgments 280000 Debt Services		686,837		704,164		736,916 9,523	4.7% 100.0%
290000 Other Support Services		1,818,402		1,786,007		1,664,118	(6.8%)
TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES	\$	37,383,452	\$	40,771,209	\$	33,435,118	(18.0%)
400000 TOTAL NON-PROGRAM TRANSACTIONS	\$	11,939,972	\$	12,238,796	\$	13,913,895	13.7%
TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES	\$	93,230,302	\$	98,055,160	\$	96,665,895	(1.4%)
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE	\$	95,234,479	\$	95,786,296	\$	96,665,895	0.9%
TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES	\$	93,230,302	\$	98,055,160	\$	96,665,895	(1.4%)
General Fund Reserve	\$	2,004,177	\$	(2,268,864)	\$	0	(100.0%)
<u>GIFT FUND (Fund 21)</u>							
FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	316,306	\$	613,452	\$	613,452	0.0%
TOTAL GIFT FUND REVENUE	\$	530,780	\$	1,484,591	\$	300,000	(79.8%)
TOTAL GIFT FUND EXPENDITURES Gift Fund Reserve	\$ \$	579,078	<u>\$</u> \$	<u>1,187,445</u> 297,146	<u>\$</u> \$	300,000	(74.7%) (100.0%)
Gift Fund Reserve	\$	(48,298)	\$	297,140	•	0	(100.0%)
SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND (Fund 27) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	0.0%
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REVENUES 100 Operating Transfers In	\$	9,939,740	\$	10,262,585	\$	11,751,843	14.5%
200 Local Sources	φ	9,939,740	φ	10,202,585	φ	11,751,845	0.0%
300 Interdistrict Payments		1,330,863		1,677,660		1,546,032	(7.8%)
500 Other Revenue from Intermediate Sources		9,990		16,462		4,000	(75.7%)
600 State Sources		3,453,860		3,938,687		3,626,813	(7.9%)
700 Federal Sources		1,450,511		1,508,465		2,257,674	49.7%
900 Other Revenues	¢	839	¢	24,359	¢	990	(95.9%)
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND REVENUE	\$	16,185,803	\$	17,428,218	\$	19,187,352	10.1%
EXPENDITURES							
100000 Instruction	\$	11,364,442	\$	12,120,254	\$	13,717,307	13.2%
200000 Support Services 400000 Non-Program Transactions		3,590,164 1,231,197		3,963,597 1,344,367		4,136,500 1,333,545	4.4% (0.8%)
TOTAL SPECIAL ED. FUND EXPENDITURES	\$	1,231,197	\$	1,344,367	\$	1,333,343	(0.8%) 10.1%
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# 2020-21 Preliminary Budget - Fund Summary

	2018-19 Actuals		2019-20 Actuals			2020-21 Preliminary Budget	Percentage of Increase or Decrease
DEBT SERVICE FUNDS (Fund 38 & 39) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	2,067,730	\$	2,000,238	\$	1,921,731	(3.9%)
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE FUNDS REVENUE TOTAL DEBT SERVICE FUNDS EXPENDITURES Debt Service Funds Reserve	\$ \$ \$	7,016,021 6,712,294 303,727	\$ \$ \$	6,640,667 6,708,159 (67,492)	\$ \$ \$	6,805,532 6,884,039 (78,507)	2.5% 2.6% 16.3%
LONG TERM CAP IMPROVE TRUST FUND (Fund 46) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	1,035	\$	1,048	\$	1,048	0.0%
TOTAL LONG TERM CAP IMPROVE TRUST REVENUE TOTAL LONG TERM CAP IMPROVEMENTS EXP Capital Projects Fund Reserve	\$ \$ \$	21 0 21	\$ \$ \$	13 0 13	\$ \$ \$	0 0 0	(100.0%) 0.0% (100.0%)
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND (Fund 49) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	0.0%
TOTAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND REVENUE TOTAL CAPITAL PROJ. FUND EXPENDITURES Capital Projects Fund Reserve	\$ \$ \$	8,379 375,047 (366,668)	\$ \$ \$	0 0 0	\$ \$ \$	0 0 0	0.0% 0.0% 0.0%
FOOD SERVICE FUND (Fund 50) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	649,503	\$	388,789	\$	381,452	(1.9%)
TOTAL FOOD SERVICE FUND REVENUE TOTAL FOOD SERVICE FUND EXPENDITURES Food Service Fund Reserve	\$ \$ \$	3,078,938 2,926,720 152,218	\$ \$ \$	2,435,266 2,695,980 (260,714)	\$ \$ \$	3,172,954 3,180,291 (7,337)	30.3% 18.0% (97.2%)
<b>PRIVATE BENEFIT TRUST FUND (Fund 72)</b> FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	17,860	\$	17,618	\$	17,618	0.0%
TOTAL PRIV. BENEFIT TRUST FUND REVENUE TOTAL PRIV. BEN. TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES Private Benefit Trust Fund Reserve	\$ \$ \$	422 1,285 (863)	\$ \$ \$	258 500 (242)	\$ \$ \$	1,200 1,200 0	365.1% 140.0% (100.0%)
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT TRUST FUND (Fund 73) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	73,535	\$	264,250	\$	301,250	14.0%
TOTAL EMPLOYEE BEN. TRUST FUND REVENUE TOTAL EMPL. BEN. TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES Employee Benefit Trust Fund Reserve	\$ \$	1,814,857 1,988,700 (173,843)	\$ \$	2,472,717 2,282,002 190,715	\$ \$	1,774,555 1,737,555 37,000	(28.2%) (23.9%) (80.6%)
COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND (Fund 80) FUND BALANCE (End of Year)	\$	114,855	\$	271,466	\$	271,466	0.0%
TOTAL COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND REVENUE TOTAL COMMUNITY SERV. FUND EXPENDITURES Community Service Fund Reserve	\$ \$	372,601 392,904 (20,303)	\$ \$	658,860 502,249 156,611	\$ \$	658,860 658,860 0	0.0% 31.2% (100.0%)
Gross Total Expenditures - All Funds Less: Interfund Transfers and Payments - All Funds NET TOTAL EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS	\$ \$	122,392,133 9,939,740 112,452,393	\$ \$	128,859,713 10,262,585 118,597,128	\$ \$	128,615,192 11,751,843 116,863,349	(0.2%) 14.5% (1.5%)
Property Tax Levy - Fund 10 Property Tax Levy - Fund 38 Property Tax Levy - Fund 39 Property Tax Levy - Fund 80 TOTAL PROP. TAX LEVY (FDS. 10, 38, 39 & 80)	\$ \$	77,685,082 1,799,671 4,715,729 372,601 84,573,083	\$ \$	78,602,720 1,802,113 4,716,451 658,860 85,780,144	\$ \$	81,306,556 1,798,171 4,902,875 658,860 88,666,462	$\begin{array}{c} 3.4\% \\ (0.2\%) \\ 4.0\% \\ 0.0\% \\ 3.4\% \end{array}$



#### School District of Elmbrook Tax Levy and Levy Rate Computation

_	A	2019-20 \djusted Budget	2020-21 Preliminary Budget	Amount Change	% Change
General Fund		78,601,057	81,306,556	2,705,499	3.44%
Debt Service Fund (Non-Referendum)		1,802,113	1,798,171	(3,942)	-0.22%
Debt Service Fund (Referendum)		4,716,451	4,902,875	186,424	3.95%
Community Service		658,860	658,860	-	0.00%
=	\$	85,778,481	\$ 88,666,462	\$ 2,887,981	3.37%

#### Estimated Equalized Tax Levy Rate

	 2019 Actual		2020 Estimated		Estimated Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
All Municipalities	9.72	*	9.80	*	0.08	0.82%
Taxes on Home Valued at \$300,000	\$ 2,916	**	\$ 2,940	**		

\*We are assuming a 2.5% increase in property values.

\*\*Please note that property taxes for individual District taxpayers will vary depending on the equalized value that their municipalities use for their assessed valuations.

2019-20 Equalized Value	8,823,824,813
2020-21 Estimated Equalized Value	9,044,420,433

## 2019-2020 Gift Donors

Thank you for the generous donations made to School District of Elmbrook students and schools from July, 2019 through June, 2020. Gifts to the District totaled over \$300,000.

#### **Brookfield Elementary**

American Cancer Society Soerens - Borkowski Memorial Fund

#### **Burleigh Elementary**

Artsonia Burleigh PTO Elmbrook Education Foundation Fed Ex First Financial USS Huterra Foundation NML School Sport Pics

#### **Dixon Elementary**

Artsonia City of Brookfield Dixon PTO Elmbrook Education Foundation

#### **Swanson Elementary**

Artsonia Burghardt Sporting Goods Coca Cola Elmbrook Education Foundation Nancy Yttre Swanson PTO

#### Tonawanda Elementary

Artsonia Elmbrook Education Foundation Kiwanis Club Tonawanda PTO

#### **Pilgrim Park Middle School**

Elmbrook Education Foundation KM Sports Lifetouch National School Studios PPMS PTO

#### Wisconsin Hills Middle School

Burghardt Sporting Goods Dr. & Mrs. Amir Daniel Elmbrook Education Foundation Fernanda Lima WHMS PTO

#### Fairview South School

Allgaier Foundation Box Tops Burghardt Sporting Goods Elmbrook Education Foundation Knights of Columbus United Way

### Brookfield Central High School

All American Publishing Ascention Avid Class 21 **BC Booster Club** BC Jr Lancer Basketball BCHS Applause **BCHS Wrestling** BSN Burghardt Sporting Goods Capitol Hill Senior Apts Class Of '69 Reunion Compton/Jacobsen Family **Country Financial** Edina HS Elm Grove Women's Club Elmbrook Education Foundation Elmbrook Rotary Empire Photography Health-E-Vending I Level Media Inc Jets Pizza Junior Lancers K12 Licensing **KM Sports** Luke Homan Foundation Menomonee Falls School District Ohiopyle Pasternak & Zirgibel Pepsi **Royal Publishing** Rush Media Company Ryan & Beth Keane Sarah and Gregory Heideman Scholarship America Shorewest Realtors Spartan Athletic Booster Club Toby & Scott Turner Waukesha State Bank WI State Golf Association WIAA Host School

## <u>Strive</u>

DW & B Kellogg WHMS PTO

## Teaching and Learning

Burleigh PTO Elmbrook Education Foundation Tonawanda PTO

#### **District Wide**

Brookfield East High School

All American Publishing Alonso Munoz American Family Insurance Hansen Agency Andrew Klimpel **Anthony Peters** Assoc Engineering Corp **BEHS Friends Of Fine Arts Inc.** Beth Zupec-Kania **Bob Schneider** Brew City Entertainment Brian Dombrowicki Brian Rusk **Brookfield Fastpitch Stars Brookfield Hockey Center Ice Club Brookfield Youth Jr Spartan Brooks Fleming** Brvant & Stratton **Burghardt Sporting Goods Daniel Doyle Daniel Meissner** Empire Photography **Engman Taylor** Enterprise Rent A Car Eric Hess First Bank Ford Drive 4ur School Game Day Media Gigi Nails Health-E-Vending Joseph Schick Jr Spartan Basketball **Junior Spartan K12** Licensing **Kelly Frank** Kenneth Dembny Kevin Honkamp Jayson Kielar Madan Kandula Margaret Kang Mark Ehlinger Mark Megal Menomonee Falls High School Michael Munnagle Pat Mirasola Muddy Pubbles Wall Paper & Paint LLC Nguyen Phan **Nicole Crnkovich** Andrew Nosbusch **Orlander Group** Pel Industries Pepsi **Play On Sports** Kevin Rigg Spratan Athletic Booster Club Mitch Weber Stephen M Fisher & Associates The Hoff Group, Inc. Thomas Karst **Tim Cross** Waukesha County Community Foundation Westmoor Country Club William Aslin

#### LAUNCH

Elmbrook Education Foundation Elmbrook Rotary Pro Health Care Medical Associates Inc

<u>Community Relations</u> Elmbrook Education Foundation City of Brookfield Forever Friends SFM Insurance

Approved at the 10-8-19 Board Meeting



Budget Hearing and Annual District Meeting of the School District of Elmbrook Central Administration Offices Board Room September 23, 2019

Present: Allgaier, Boucher, Lambert, Malnar, Sun, Wheeler, Wilson; Hansen, Sereno, Sobocinski and approximately 14 electors.

The Budget Hearing for the 2019-2020 Operating Budget of the School District of Elmbrook was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Board President Kathryn Wilson. Ms. Wilson introduced members of the Board of Education and administrators.

Board Treasurer Glen Allgaier provided District financial comparison data with benchmark districts and highlighted revenue and expenditure changes in all funds. Allgaier reported on three areas of strategic focus for the district: personalized learning for all students, competitive compensation for all staff, and financial stability and sustainability. Financial highlights for 2019-20 include an increase in per pupil funding, stabilization of healthcare costs, low administrative expense, and a tax increase of 3.24%. Allgaier also reported on capital improvement projects, the Administration Building Relocation, Tonawanda gymnasium and HVAC projects, Athletic Facilities improvements, and Innovation Projects. Ongoing and future areas of investigation will include athletic facilities, large learning spaces such as cafeterias and libraries, and major infrastructure maintenance such as HVAC, roofs, and paving.

Tom Gehl asked the board about the enrollment figures cited and whether the decline is evenly spread over all grade levels. Amy Abplanalp asked about student fees, what the average cost per pupil is and recommended listing it on the website.

Board President Kathryn Wilson thanked 2018-2019 donors of gifts to the District, noting extraordinary donations of more than \$500,000. Donors and the schools to which they donated included:

- <u>Brookfield Elementary</u> Brookfield Elementary School Families, Brookfield Elementary School PTO, Outsource America, Stephanie L Soerens, and Visual Image Photography.
- <u>Burleigh Elementary</u> Burleigh Elementary School Families, Burleigh Elementary School PTO, Elmbrook Education Foundation, and Visual Image Photography.
- Dixon Elementary Dixon Elementary School PTO and Lee Recreation.
- <u>Swanson Elementary</u> Coca Cola, G9, Hardie Razz Kids Subs, JP Morgan Chase, Jump Rope for Heart, Swanson Elementary School PTO, and VIP Photography.
- Tonawanda Elementary Artsonia, Kiwanis Club of Elm Grove, and Tonawanda Student Senate.
- <u>Pilgrim Park Middle</u> Brookfield Wrestling, Elmbrook Education Foundation, Lifetouch, Pilgrim Park Middle School PTO, Pilgrim Park Middle School Senate, and Scholastic Book Fair.
- <u>Wisconsin Hills Middle</u> Brookfield Wrestling Club, Elmbrook Education Foundation, State of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, and Wisconsin Hills Middle School PTO.
- <u>Brookfield Central High School</u> All American Publishing, BC Cares, Brookfield Central High School Lancers Booster Club, Brookfield Central High School PTO, Bigler Baseball, Elmbrook Education Foundation, Empire Photography, Jostens, Karen Gill and Kenneth Schellin, Ohiopyle Prints, Royal Publishing, Storyville Holdings, WIAA New Sports Radio, WIAA Yellow Dog Broadcasting.
- <u>Brookfield East High School</u> All American Publishing, Brookfield East High School PTO, Boulder Junction, Brookfield Hockey Center Ice Club, Charles Fleming, Elm Grove Women's

Club, Elmbrook Education Foundation, Elmbrook Swim Club, Empire Photo, Gerald F. Stern – Pershing, Hayden Financial, Home Team Marketing, Huddle Tickets, Moston Contracting & Remodel, Play On Sports, Spartan Athletic Booster Club, and Study A Thon.

- <u>Fairview South School</u> Eppstein Uhen Foundation, The Braeger Family, and West Allis Knights of Columbus Charities.
- <u>LAUNCH</u> Medical College of WI.
- <u>Project STRIVE</u> Modern Woodmen.

The Budget Hearing was adjourned by Board President Kathryn Wilson at 6:45 p.m.

Board President Kathryn Wilson called the Annual District meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in accordance with Wis. Stats. 120.08. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Board Clerk Linda Boucher read the official meeting notice.

Ms. Wilson requested nominations for Chair of the Annual Meeting. Tom Gehl nominated Ms. Sibylle Tasker as Chair of the Annual Meeting. There were no further nominations from the floor. The nomination of Sibylle Tasker as Chair of the Annual Meeting was carried on a voice vote. The meeting was turned over to Sibylle Tasker at 7:03 pm. Rules governing speaking and voting during the Annual District Meeting were introduced.

**Motion** by Scott Wheeler to approve the 2019 Annual Meeting agenda. The motion was seconded by Allison Malnar and carried on a voice vote.

**Report from the Board President** – Board President Kathryn Wilson reflected on living in a period of unprecedented change. Through most of human history, change has come slowly. We were hunter-gatherers, then herders, then farmers living in permanent settlements. Empires rose and fell. Epochs endured for centuries. Then the Rubicon and the Rhine and the Mighty Oceans were crossed, our knowledge and technology expanded, and the pace of change quickened. Today ideas and opportunities, developments for good and for ill, swirl around us so rapidly it can be hard to separate the blips and flashes from the true advances. We love innovation, and we are unsettled by change. For some of us, cognitive dissonance is the new norm. We are living in an age of unprecedented change, and it was ever thus.

Our common history as North Americans is punctuated—nay, imbued--with revolution of one sort and another. From colonial days, we have experienced the agricultural revolution with advances in agronomy and animal husbandry, religious reforms and religious freedom, the Enlightenment, the age of exploration, the abomination of slavery and the cataclysm to end it, the industrial revolution that moved from horse power to water power to steam power to electricity and the internal combustion engine, two world wars, the defeat of fascism, the cold war, the space age, and what we *thought* of as the information age only to learn that THIS is the information age.

Common medical equipment has more computing power than the Space Shuttle. The smart phone you carry around--and even drop occasionally--has more computing power than the Apollo navigation computer, perhaps more computing power than all of NASA at the time of the moon landing. We have immediate access to so much information that we struggle to manage it. That is just one of the many reasons educators are more important now than ever. Teachers facilitate the learning that our children will need to navigate the vast and expanding universe at their fingertips. Teachers are the warm demanders who build mental stamina, intellectual curiosity, and capacity for critical thinking. Teachers impart the knowledge and skills necessary for citizens of a self-governing nation.

As you consider the financial information shared by Dr. Allgaier a bit earlier, as you hear Dr. Hansen speak about innovative programs and student achievement, consider all that our teachers do to make Page 2 of 3

these things possible. Elmbrook truly is a destination district, a fact that I attribute to good governance by this school board and excellence in teaching. This is a time of unprecedented change. And the more things change, the more things stay the same: thriving communities depend on great teachers. Without our teachers, no amount of money or technology or good governance would suffice.

**Report from the Superintendent** – Superintendent Mark Hansen highlighted how the work of the District aligned to the District Strategy. The District's vision of a Great Place to Learn, a Great Place to Work, and a Great School District resulted in community engagement, and statewide student and staff recognition.

All electors were properly registered to vote, so the Oath of Residency was not necessary.

Motion by Jian Sun to authorize reimbursement of actual and necessary board members' expenses for travel outside the School District in the performance of duties. The motion was seconded by Jean Lambert. Mrs. Tasker reported that the 2019-2020 budget for actual and necessary Board members' expenses for travel outside the District in performance of duties is \$2,000 for the entire Board. The motion carried on a voice vote.

Motion by Glen Allgaier that the 2019-2020 salary for each Board of Education member include a salary stipend of \$4,200. The motion was seconded by Jean Lambert. The motion carried on a voice vote.

**Motion** by Jean Lambert that a tax levy of \$77,097,610 be approved for the General Fund; that a tax levy of \$1,802,446 be approved for the non-referendum debt service fund; that a tax levy of \$4,716,451 be approved for the referendum-approved debt service fund; and that a tax levy of \$536,749 be approved for the Community Service Fund to support the School District of Elmbrook's 2019-20 Budget. The motion was seconded by Linda Boucher and carried on a voice vote.

Motion by Glen Allgaier to authorize the School District of Elmbrook Board of Education to lease suitable buildings for a period not exceeding 20 years with annual rentals fixed by the lease pursuant to Section 120.10(5), Wisconsin Statutes. The motion was seconded by Linda Boucher and carried on a voice vote.

Motion by Scott Wheeler to authorize the School District of Elmbrook Board of Education, in addition to any other authority, to lease school sites, buildings, and/or equipment not needed for school purposes to any person for any lawful use at a reasonable rental pursuant to Section 120.13(25), Wisconsin Statutes. The motion was seconded by Linda Boucher and carried on a voice vote.

Motion by Allison Malnar to establish the date of the 2020 Annual Meeting as Monday, September 28, 2020. The motion was seconded by Linda Boucher and carried on a voice vote.

Mrs. Tasker announced that there was no further business to come before the Annual District Meeting and adjourned the meeting at 7:23 p.m.

Wilson, Board President