

BOF QUESTIONS

<u>RC</u>	<u>QUESTION</u>	<u>ANSWER</u>
12	Do we have enough resources to clean the fields?	The district was short one groundskeeper during the summer due to a retirement in June. That position has since been filled. While facilities in general has less staff than needed the fields should be adequately maintained based on the current staffing.
Capital	Can we have more information on the basement renovation for the copy center?	The current space is disruptive for public meetings and inadequate for the copy center. The relocation of the copy center to the basement will address both these concerns.
25	Is health insurance part of the plan that administration entered into last year? What would our costs be if there were no rate cap?	Yes, the district was offered a renewal last year by Connecticare of 34.1%. As a result, the district shifted all employees to Anthem and negotiated a rate cap of 7.95% for FY22. Based on the trend of health insurance claims, it is projected by our insurance consultant Brown and Brown that we would have received a +19.0% rate increase for FY22 if not for the rate cap.
26	How many ELP students can be accommodated in the new Ox Ridge building?	The original Ed Spec called for 10 classrooms at a max of 15 students or 150 students. The revised building plans reduced ELP by 1 classroom which would bring this down to 135 students.