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SPECIAL BUDGET EDITION

MAY 2022

BUDGET VOTE & BOE ELECTION

Tuesday, May 17, 2022

Poll Hours:

7:00 am - 9:00 pm

2022-23 Proposed Budget:
\$271,000,000

Budget Increase: 3.04%

Tax Levy Increase: 0.60%

Section 203 of the Federal Voting Rights Act requires school districts in Suffolk County to provide all election information in both English and Spanish.

In accordance with this act, print materials produced by Longwood Schools pertaining to the 2022-23 School District Election and Budget Vote will be distributed in both languages.

A Message from the Board President and Superintendent

Dear Longwood School Community,

On Thursday, April 7, the Board of Education adopted a proposed budget for the 2022-23 school year. The budget totals \$271,000,000 and carries a projected tax levy increase of 0.60 percent, the lowest increase in more than a decade.

This fiscal plan maintains the long-term goals of the Board of Education, including strong curriculum, instruction, and assessment practices; empowered students, staff, and school community; collaborative school and community partnerships, and efficient and effective operations.

Our proposed budget reflects our ongoing commitment to building upon past successes to support a strong and diversified educational program for our students while maintaining our fiscal responsibilities to our community.

Despite the ongoing challenges faced this year, our school community continued to promote a learning environment rooted in effective and supportive teaching practices, the achievement of individual and collective educational goals, the establishment of strong and meaningful relationships, a sense of school community, and physical and emotional safety and well-being for all.

As we pause and reflect on the enormous accomplishments made by our school community, we want to thank you for your partnership in supporting the work of our schools, our staff, and our students.

Our community budget vote will take place on Tuesday, May 17, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. at all elementary schools. Additionally, six community members are running for two seats on the Board of Education.

Please take a moment to review the information contained in this newsletter. Additional information is available on our website at www.longwoodcsd.k12.ny.us.

Remember, your vote – every vote – counts! As always, we extend our sincere thanks to you for your ongoing support of our students and our schools.

Rhonda Stitham, Ed.D.
Board of Education, President

Lance Lohman, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools



Longwood

Central School District

35 Yaphank Middle Island Road
Middle Island, NY 11953

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Proposition One: 2022-2023 Proposed Budget

<u>Projected Expenses</u>	<u>Budget 2021-22</u>	<u>Budget 2022-23</u>
<u>Administrative (Instructional Support)</u>		
Board of Education Includes District Clerk/Secretary, memberships, conferences, district meetings, and supplies.	\$ 218,531	\$ 228,173
Central Administration Includes the Office of Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent for District Operations, auditor, treasurer, legal services, clerical staff, contracted services and supplies, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources and personnel office.	3,278,812	3,199,713
Central Services Includes Assistant Superintendent for Pupil Personnel and Community Services, public information, clerical staff, contracted services, records management, printing, mailing, supplies, equipment, AV technicians and BOCES services.	4,867,754	5,264,896
Special Items Includes insurance and BOCES administrative costs.	2,804,639	2,793,753
Building Administration Curriculum Development Includes Assistant Superintendent for Instruction and Learning, directors, coordinators, principals, asst. principals, clerical staff, retirement, memberships, in-service education, educational conferences, equipment, and supplies.	11,780,859	12,403,192
Benefits Includes retirement costs, social security, health/dental/life insurance, disability, and worker's compensation; and unemployment insurance.	6,990,531	7,258,198
Subtotal	<u>\$ 29,941,126</u>	<u>\$ 31,147,925</u>
<u>Program (Instruction and Service)</u>		
Legal	\$ 265,500	\$ 274,500
Teaching Includes elementary and secondary teachers, staff assistants, substitute teachers, home tutoring, clerical staff, contracted services, textbooks, testing materials, equipment, supplies, BOCES services, memberships and conferences.	70,208,214	70,657,499
Charter School Tuition	1,400,000	1,400,000
Pupil Personnel Services Includes K-12 special education teachers, PCEN teachers, teaching and staff assistants, school counselors, nurses, speech and hearing teachers, psychologists, social workers, testing materials, clerical staff, contractual services, health services for students attending private and parochial schools, textbooks, teaching materials, equipment, memberships, supplies, BOCES services, tuition paid to other districts, drivers' education, and attendance services.	59,270,267	61,119,858
Instructional Support Includes library/media specialists, library services, technology, computer hardware and software, supplies, library books, memberships, conferences, and equipment. 2022-23 is the first year of a four-year contract for leased copiers, with a total cost of \$252,399.	3,360,758	3,831,676
Sports and Activities Includes co-curricular program, club advisors, interscholastic programs, coaches' salaries, officials, medical and security fees, participation fees, equipment, supplies, and clerical staff.	2,072,894	2,111,196
Pupil Transportation Includes clerical, computer services, all bus contracts (including BOCES; private, parochial, and special schools; field trips; interscholastic and co-curricular); central registration, materials, and supplies. 2022-23 is the first year of a four-year contract for home to school vans totaling \$29,581,522.82 and a four-year contract for summer transportation totaling \$1,766,061.08.	16,612,525	17,651,862
Charter School Transportation	286,985	298,547
Benefits Includes retirement costs, social security, health/dental/life insurance, disability, workers' compensation and unemployment insurance.	49,120,260	52,924,742
Interfund Transfers The District shared costs for summer special education program.	575,000	575,000
Subtotal	<u>\$203,172,403</u>	<u>\$ 210,844,880</u>
<u>Capital (Buildings Grounds)</u>		
Operations/Maintenance Includes Director of Plant Facilities, custodians, maintenance staff, groundsman, equipment, security guards, utilities, clerical staff, maintenance of buildings grounds, vehicles, contracted services, supplies, judgments and claims.	\$ 14,360,055	\$ 15,201,654
Capital Project Structural beams at Ridge Intermediate Center and PA system upgrades.	450,000	450,000
Debt Service Includes principal and interest on school construction bonds, public library construction bonds, interest on Tax Anticipation Notes. Please note that this component of the budget includes payments on lease purchases of copier equipment.	10,494,206	8,780,642
Benefits Includes retirement costs, social security, health/dental/life insurance, disability, workers' compensation and unemployment insurance.	4,582,210	4,574,899
Subtotal	<u>\$ 29,886,471</u>	<u>\$ 29,007,195</u>
Total School Budget	<u>\$263,000,000</u>	<u>\$ 271,000,000</u>
Percentage of Budget Increase		0.60%



Anticipated Revenue Budget

Where does the money come from?

<u>Category</u>	<u>2021-22</u>	<u>2022-23</u>	<u>Revenue Percentage</u>
Real Estate Taxes	\$154,136,252	\$ 155,055,333	57.22
State & BOCES Aid	95,604,300	102,328,309	37.76
Applied Fund Balance	5,400,000	6,000,000	2.21
Reserves	1,250,000	1,250,000	0.46
PILOT Payments	1,800,000	1,900,000	0.70
Other Revenue	<u>4,809,448</u>	<u>4,466,358</u>	<u>1.65</u>
Total	<u>\$263,000,000</u>	<u>\$271,000,000</u>	<u>100%</u>

Percentage of Tax Levy Increase: 0.60%

Estimated Tax Rate per \$100 Assessed Value*: \$296.90

*Based upon the assessed value for 2021-22. The assessed value is subject to change for 2022-23.

Estimated Increase for Average Home (assessed at \$2,442): \$54.78

Budget Vote

Voter Registration: Registration is available at the Office of the District Clerk, 35 Yaphank Middle Island Road, Middle Island, Monday through Friday between 8:00 am - 3:00 pm, Central Registration, 15 Everett Drive, Yaphank, Monday through Friday between 8:00 am and 2:30 pm, or at any one of the schools during school hours. Registration is also available through the district website at www.longwood.k12.ny.us - visit the home page and follow the links to Voter Registration. The last day to register to vote is May 12, 2022.

Voter Eligibility: You must be a citizen of the United States, 18 years of age or older on the day of the vote, and a resident of the Longwood School District for at least 30 days prior to May 17, 2022.

Absentee Ballots: Applications can be found on the district website under District - 2022-2023 Budget - Voting Information. Absentee Ballot Applications cannot be accepted prior to April 18, 2022. Applications must be received no later than May 10 if the ballot is to be mailed. Applications must be received by the day before the election if the ballot is to be personally delivered.

Board of Education

In addition to voting on the proposed budget, you are also asked to vote for two board members for a term of three years commencing July 1, 2022 and expiring June 30, 2025.

1. William Massian

2. Rhonda Stitham

3. Nadia Chanza

4. Maye Abdella

5. Michael Bryne

6. Christina Jackson

Polling Locations

11727 Coram, 11763 Medford, and
11766 Mt. Sinai
**CORAM ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL**
Intermediate Building
Multi-Purpose Room
61 Coram Mt. Sinai Rd.
Coram, NY
Election District 1

11953 Middle Island and
11764 Miller Place
**WEST MIDDLE ISLAND
ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL**
Intermediate Building
Multi-Purpose Room
30 Swezey Lane
Middle Island, NY
Election District 2

11961 Ridge and
11786 Shoreham
**RIDGE ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL**
Intermediate Building
Multi-Purpose Room
105 Ridge Rd.
Ridge, NY
Election District 3

11980 Yaphank, 11973 Upton and
11967 Shirley/E.Yaphank
**CHARLES E. WALTERS
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**
Primary Building
Cafeteria
15 Everett Dr.
Yaphank, NY
Election District 4

For information about the proposed budget, visit our website at
www.longwoodcsd.k12.ny.us



In spite of unprecedented challenges, our students continue to excel in academics, athletics, the arts, and community leadership:

Academics

The Class of 2021 earned more than \$11 million in scholarships and was accepted into the nation's top colleges and universities.

More than 1,035 high school students participated in Advanced Placement and credit-bearing college courses.

Seniors received more than 250 credits through the Early College Entrance Partnership Program.

A high school junior was selected as a National Delegate to the 2022 Washington Youth Summit on the Environment at George Mason University.

A senior was named one of only three top finishers in the Auto Tech Challenge hosted by Universal Technical Institute-Exton.

Students continue to participate in the Amazon Future Engineer (AFE) program to prepare for careers in Computer Science. Students are also provided access to Amazon Web Services, web and game design, and cloud computing.

The Junior High School maintains its position as one of only 30 New York State Elite Schools designated as an Essential Elements School-to-Watch.

Longwood High School received the Silver Milestone Badge from the New York State Department of Education for its Seal of Biliteracy Program.

Athletics

Longwood was selected to participate in the girls flag football program in partnership with Section XI and the New York Jets.

For the first time in 25 years, the girls varsity soccer team qualified for playoffs and won their first playoff game in program history.

A senior was named a National Finalist for USA Football's Heart of a Giant Award posthumously.

The boys and girls bowling teams won the League One Championship, with the girls' earning the second Suffolk County Girls Bowling title in Longwood history and the first since 1989. The team also finished second at the NYSPHSAA Girls Bowling State Championship.

Individual student-athletes qualified to participate in the NYSPHSAA State Championships in girls' tennis, swimming, winter track, wrestling, and boys bowling.



The girls varsity basketball team finished undefeated in League One, earning the top seed in the Class AA postseason tournament. The team also captured the Class AA Suffolk County Title and overall Section XI Girls Basketball Championship.

Track and Field Coach, Joe Reilly, was named the NYS recipient of the NFHS Coach of the Year Award in Track and Field.

Music and Fine Arts

For the fourteenth consecutive year, the district has been named among the "Best Communities for Music Education" in the nation as designated by the NAMM Foundation.

Sixty-three students were selected for All-County ensembles in band, chorus, and orchestra, and five students were selected All-State for NYSSMA.

A junior performed in the National Association for Music Education's All-National Concert, a first in Longwood history.

Two students earned first place in the Photographic Federation of Long Island Youth Showcase competition.

Seven high school students earned top honors in the Bay Area Friends of the Fine Arts exhibit, with one student earning a scholarship.

The music education program was honored by Music for All with the inaugural Advocacy in Action Gold Award.

Community Leadership

The district maintains an outstanding financial credit rating of A++.

Our School-to-Business Partnerships with local businesses continue to enrich our Pathways to Learning Academies program.

Through our partnership with Brookhaven National Laboratories, K-12 students participate in cutting-edge Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics (STEAM), research topics, contests, and summer programs.

Districtwide parent workshops offered to focus on ongoing mental health issues due to the pandemic.

2022-2023 Program Priorities and Programs

Strong Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment Practices

- Further develop K-12 curriculum aligned to the Next Generation Standards
 - ◊ Collaborative curriculum mapping K-12
 - ◊ Developing K-12 systems of monitoring student progress
 - ◊ Professional development cycles
- STEAM academic enrichment programs and partnerships
 - ◊ LEGO K-4
 - ◊ Smart Start computer science and coding
 - ◊ Amazon Future Engineer Program
 - ◊ STEAM Lab/Media Arts Lab development



Empowered Students, Staff, and School Community

- Continue to support student recovery from pandemic learning loss
 - ◊ Special Education staffing
 - ◊ Credit-Recovery
 - ◊ Extended day programs
 - ◊ Summer learning recovery programs
 - ◊ Summer Transition programs
 - ◊ Maintaining mental health trainings, programs, and supports
- Continue to support student mental health and wellness
 - ◊ Creating opportunities for staff and students to build strong, positive relationships
 - ◊ Promoting an environment rooted in personal growth, dignity, mutual respect and support
 - ◊ Supporting parent and community involvement
 - ◊ Providing training for staff and parents in social-emotional well-being and support



Collaborative School and Community Partnerships

- Build upon long-standing community partnerships
 - ◊ Increase support for the Longwood Academies and Pathways
 - ◊ Provide our students with expanded opportunities for internships
 - ◊ Increase Career and Technical Education (CTE) opportunities
 - ◊ Sustain credit-bearing courses offerings
 - ◊ Reaffirm partnerships with local colleges and universities
 - ◊ Strengthen school-to-business partnerships
 - ◊ Engage Longwood alumni



Efficient and Effective Operations

- Continue to implement our districtwide technology plan, including:
 - ◊ Technology upgrades in school auditoriums
 - ◊ Expanding interactive Promethean Board installation in classrooms
 - ◊ Continuing partnerships with local colleges and universities
 - ◊ Strengthening our district network and security
 - ◊ Upgrading and re-launching the district website
 - ◊ Building a responsive system of two-way communication
- Progressing districtwide capital improvement projects
- Maintaining an outstanding financial credit rating of A++
- Providing additional administrative support at our middle school
- Furthering initiatives to “go digital” in all areas
- Recruiting, hiring, training, and retaining the best in all areas
- Advancing the campus branding project



Candidates for Board of Education: The PTA Council submitted the following questions to school board candidates to provide information and goals of each candidate. The profiles are printed as submitted, without editing, when submitted before the April 1 deadline. Each candidate has submitted a Candidate Nominating Petition to the District Clerk and are listed as appearing on the ballot. School board members serve three-year terms and receive no pay or benefits for their services.



William Massian

Children Attending/Attended Longwood Schools: 2

Education: Longwood High School Graduate. Continued Education within my Industries through Certification Programs and in field hands on Training Opportunities

Current Occupation/Professional & Business Experience:

Self Employed Local Business Owner (Facility & Property Construction and Maintenance)

Past Union Heavy Road and Construction worker with Local 1298 Nationally and locally certified in my field

Longwood Schools/Community Involvement and Number of Years Served:

Lifetime resident

Collaborates with local officials, civics, community organizations to benefit all community stakeholders inside and out of Schools This publication is limited so please visit my Facebook page for further community involvement and qualifications. Look for my letter to the community and you should find many answers to your questions there.

Why are you running for the Longwood BOE?

The Community voted for CHANGE 3 years ago and I helped deliver it and will continue to deliver on my promises and continue filling the needs of our students and community.

If you could focus your efforts and advocacy on only one issue, what would it be, why, and how would you approach?

I will continue to help set up and enact a new vision for the entire Longwood School District & Community. We as a community desire a better quality of life both inside and out of our school. The School is the one bonding agent in our 53 square miles and the key element in every solution. It is time to restore the Longwood Brand that kept alumni here to raise their families. I will continue to work with all stakeholders in order to increase the opportunities and quality of life we all deserve and are paying for.



Rhonda Stitham

Children Attending/Attended Longwood Schools: Both of my twins attend the Longwood Middle School.

Education: 2018 Concordia University-Doctorate (Ed.D)
2014 Liberty University-Educational Specialist

2000 Dowling College-MA Education

1994 Lynchburg University-BA Education

Current Occupation/Professional & Business Experience:

Educator for over 25 years with a background in STEM (Science, Technology Engineering and Mathematics), English Language Learners, and Elementary Education. I have also held positions as an Enrichment Instructor for grades 2-5 and Academic Intervention Instructor for grades 1-2. During the pandemic I was a virtual instructor for grades 4 and 5. Currently, I am a collaborative grade 2 instructor focusing on Tier Interventions for struggling students.

Longwood Schools/Community Involvement and Number of Years Served:

- Board of Education President 2021-Current
- Board of Education 2019-Present
- ESBOCES Strategic Planning Committee 2 years
- ESBOCES Budget Committee
- Longwood Legislative Committee 5 years
- Longwood Policy Committee 3 years
- Longwood Budget Committee 3 years
- Coach for LYSA Basketball and Soccer 4 years
- Long Island Harvest 2 years
- NYS PTA member/CEW PTA member 4 years/SEPTO/Longwood Middle School PTA currently

Why are you running for the Longwood BOE?

I have served the educational needs of our community for over 25 years. My knowledge and experience in teaching will assist in providing leadership and stability. Being an educator as well as a parent gives me a unique perspective and the ability to communicate effectively with parents, community members, Teachers and Staff to gain ideas and collaborate for what is best for the students of Longwood. My priorities include maintaining a safe environment, continuing to establish alternate pathways of learning through Career Technical Education and Academics, create a strong curriculum that enables all students to thrive through curriculum mapping, and maintain our diverse values whereas students feel empowered. Moreover, I would like to continue the important work that I began in 2019 and continue to focus on the well being of our students while creating programs to prepare our students for the future.

If you could focus your efforts and advocacy on only one issue, what would it be, why, and how would you approach?

I would focus on creating more Career Technical Education and Academy opportunities for students. I would approach this by collaborating with fellow Board members, Students, Teachers and Community members to determine which programs are needed and how we can structure the program to meet the needs of students. This includes advocating for an ROTC program in Longwood. Students actively engaging in work-based learning opportunities provide potential partnerships with businesses. Students will be better prepared and more equipped for the future.

Nadia Chanza

Children Attending/Attended Longwood Schools: 2, a 2020 graduate and a junior at the HS.

Education: BA, Political Science, Stony Brook University
JD, Fordham University School of Law
Facebook: Nadia Chanza for Longwood Board of Education



Current Occupation/Professional & Business Experience:

- Chief of Staff, New York State Justice Center for the Protection of People with Special Needs (JC).
- Deputy Director of Quality Assurance for the JC.
- Assistant Chief of Investigations for the Office of People with Developmental Disabilities.
- For 14 years, I served as an Assistant District Attorney, prosecuting homicides, assaults, robberies, and child sexual and physical abuse. The last 3 years at the DA's Office, I lead the Child Abuse Response Team which worked with the NYPD Special Victim's Unit to investigate allegations of child physical and sexual abuse.
- Member of the NY State Bar Association; NY Women in Law Enforcement, bilingual in Spanish.

Longwood Schools/Community Involvement and Number of Years Served:

- Member: PTA and PTSA;
- Parent of student athletes in school and in LYSA;
- Volunteer, Longwood's Blessings in a Backpack;
- Member of the Community and Culture school committee;
- Volunteered for local Cub Scout den;
- Class parent several times at Coram Elementary.

Why are you running for the Longwood BOE?

As the world evolves, we need to ensure our kids are ready for the future. I appreciate how the evolving world changes what our kids must learn, including science, technology, and skills for those that choose to go directly into a trade. I want to be part of the team that will prepare our kids to be competitive in whatever field they choose.

If you could focus your efforts and advocacy on only one issue, what would it be, why, and how would you approach?

As a parent, the safety of my kids is always of utmost importance. As someone who has spent her professional career protecting the safety of others, I'm particularly concerned about the fights in school, the training of staff/teachers on sexual abuse, and ensuring a fair process to all when school rules are violated. I will work to secure the funds for the Superintendent to put procedures in place to best ensure the safety of our kids and will prioritize the review of student discipline procedures to ensure an equitable process for all parties.

Christina Jackson

Children Attending/Attended Longwood Schools: My residency within the Longwood community started in 1997, with my children, Rebecca 2009, Leah 2012, Joshua 2018 and Isaiah, currently a 6th grader. I chose Longwood because it provided both a quality education, and a diverse environment for my family. The district provided stability and opportunities.



Education: My education includes an MBA from Benedictine University, BSN from SUNY Stonybrook.

Current Occupation/Professional and Business Experience:

I have worked as a Registered Nurse since 1995, as a staff nurse, to leadership in Nursing Administration, in local hospitals, skilled nursing facilities, homecare and was a former American Red Cross Volunteer Nurse. I am currently a Nurse Educator, within the Stonybrook organization.

Longwood Schools/Community Involvement and Number of Years Served:

The Longwood Budget Advisory, Policy & Procedure and Community Culture sub-committees. PTA member in WMI & MS - various years, LYSA baseball & basketball-various years.

Why are you running for the Longwood BOE?

My candidacy is to provide the Board with, an increase of parental representation, promote a diverse board, and to maintain accountability of taxpayers hard earned money. Balanced support for administration, faculty & staff, the unions, parents and the community are vital. I fully understand the impact of decisions to be made at this level, as it effects all involved, however MOST importantly, our students.

If you could focus your efforts and advocacy on only one issue, what would it be, why, and how would you approach?

I am advocating to be the VOICE to ensure ALL students receive EQUAL opportunities, resources and emotional support towards their future, whether their chosen path includes college or a career trade, so the student can be their best, and to contribute to their families and society. Diversity among our students is expanding, many are misunderstood, and unaccepted, YET we all have more in common with each other than we realized. I would like to bridge that gap, by supporting current and new programs/policies, so all students will benefit. Thank you for your support.

ACCOUNTABILITY – CHANGE - DIVERSITY.

School District Budget Notice

Overall Budget Proposal	Budget Adopted for the 2021-22 School Year	Budget Proposed for the 2022-23 School Year	Contingency Budget for the 2022-23 School Year *										
Total Budgeted Amount, Not Including Separate Propositions	\$ 263,000,000	\$ 271,000,000	\$ 270,080,919										
Increase/Decrease for the 2022-23 School Year		\$ 8,000,000	\$ 7,080,919										
Percentage Increase/Decrease in Proposed Budget		3.04 %	2.69 %										
Change in the Consumer Price Index		4.7 %											
A. Proposed Levy to Support the Total Budgeted Amount	\$ 154,136,252	\$ 155,055,333											
B. Levy to Support Library Debt, if Applicable	\$ -	\$ -											
C. Levy for Non-Excludable Propositions, if Applicable **	\$ -	\$ -											
D. Total Tax Cap Reserve Amount Used to Reduce Current Year Levy	\$ -	\$ -											
E. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy (A + B + C - D)	\$ 154,136,252	\$ 155,055,333	\$ 154,136,252										
F. Total Permissible Exclusions	\$ 6,637,531	\$ 4,450,531											
G. School Tax Levy Limit, <u>Excluding</u> Levy for Permissible Exclusions	\$ 147,498,721	\$ 150,604,802											
H. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy, <u>Excluding</u> Levy to Support Library Debt and/or Permissible Exclusions (E – B – F + D)	\$ 147,498,721	\$ 150,604,802											
I. Difference: G – H (Negative Value Requires 60.0% Voter Approval – See Note Below Regarding Separate Propositions) **	\$ -	\$ -											
Administrative Component	\$ 29,941,126	\$ 31,147,925	\$ 30,747,250										
Program Component	\$ 203,172,403	\$ 210,844,880	\$ 208,642,545										
Capital Component	\$ 29,886,471	\$ 29,007,195	\$ 30,691,124										
<p>* Provide a statement of assumptions made in projecting a contingency budget for the 2022-23 school year, should the proposed budget be defeated pursuant to Section 2023 of the Education Law.</p>													
<p>** List Separate Propositions that are not included in the Total Budgeted Amount: (Tax Levy associated with educational or transportation services propositions are not eligible for exclusion and may affect voter approval requirements)</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 80%;">Description</th> <th style="width: 20%;">Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>				Description	Amount		\$		\$		\$		\$
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	Under the Budget Proposed for the 2022-23 School Year
Estimated Basic STAR Exemption Savings ¹	\$ 1,178

The annual budget vote for the fiscal year 2022-23 by the qualified voters of the Longwood Central School District, Suffolk County, New York, will be held at Charles E. Walters, Coram, Ridge, West Middle Island Elementary Schools in said district on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, between the hours of 7:00am and 9:00pm, prevailing time in the Longwood Central School District, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting ballot or machine.

1. The basic school tax relief (STAR) exemption is authorized by section 425 of the Real Property Tax Law.