WATERBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS Meeting Minutes

Finance Committee		
Waterbury Arts Magnet School	Norms Reviewed:	Yes
February 20, 2020	Start Time:	
	Finish Time:	
	Waterbury Arts Magnet School	Waterbury Arts Magnet SchoolNorms Reviewed:February 20, 2020Start Time:

Attendance at Meeting

	Name	Position	
1	Kneco Orso	BOE	
2	Verna D. RHFFIN	Superintendent	Verma D. Rull
3	LIZ Brown,	BOE	Claabells Brown
4	AAREN HARVEY	BOE	Alere, Settere 91
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Purpose of Meeting – Instructional Focus:

Meeting Notes, Decisions, Issues (May include the meeting agenda)

- Cthair called meeting to order 5:31pm - MS: 31010 presented the doudget (see power pt.) 2020-21- Projected #13 m. mc. to CCS (alliance dollars 33,124,233 Assumption #36,473,359 Alliance. 6,279,287 - Plat Funded - 158,875,000 + #36,473,359 = 194,848,359 Total

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Meeting Notes Continued

- CCS - Goes to City - Alliance Grant to BOE - MAXIMIZING alliance dollars - Covered Turn Around schools + Veacher - New & million of Alliance PAYS for health benefit raises - MBR-Minum Budget Requirement = \$158,375,000 60-Special Ed 7 bises in # 599, 596 125-Regular Ed out of District Tuition - morease \$1,290,000 Purchased Services _ 11 372,103 - Discussion of reinstating pre-school S.R. programs - Discussion of how to Address & 570,400 - Potenhal Alliance dollars - Attrition motion to send the budget as presented to the Full Board. Jason U.S. -2rd koren Uharveg 5 yeg / 0 avey Adjourned - 6 - 13 pm In Brown

Next Steps (Include action items)

Action		Assigned to	Due Date
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Date:	Time:	Location:	
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Meeting Minutes guidelines:

- Publish Minutes within 48 hours of any meeting
- Minutes available to all stakeholders (binders, shared drive, e-mail, website)
- Send Minutes via email to all team members

WATERBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS **Meeting Agenda**

Group/Team: BOE Finance Committee			
Location:	Date of Meeting:	Start Time:	Finish Time:
Waterbury Arts Magnet School Media Center	February 20, 2020	5:30 p.m.	

Team Norms:

1. All Meetings will start on time

2. All issues will be approached with a positive attitude

3. A specific agenda will be set for all meetings

All team members will agree to stay on specific agenda topics
Decisions regarding future directions will be based upon actual data

Purpose of Meeting – Instructional Focus:

Agenda Items – (Items should reflect next steps from previous meeting.)				
	Agenda Item	Time Allotted	Person Responsible	
1.	2020/2021 Proposed Budget		Dr. Ruffin D. Biolo	



WATERBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2020-2021

BOE Finance Committee Budget Presentation February 20, 2020

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The Mission

The Mission of Waterbury Public Schools is to inspire and prepare every student to be successful in and beyond school.

The Vision

All Waterbury Public Schools students will graduate ready to transform their world.



Core Values

- Holds high expectations for excellence in teaching and learning.
- Promotes equity in policy, practice and resources
- Provides students quality learning experience aligned to our Portrait of the Graduate
- Acts as stewards for community resources, managing our assets to ensure equity and excellence.
- **Recognizes that meaningful relationships are the foundations of a high-quality education.**
- Commits to embracing a diverse community.
- Commits to civility, honesty, responsibility and transparency.

District Accountability Model Concerns

In 2018-19, schools whose three-year average of the accountability index is in the bottom 5 percent of all schools statewide will be identified as **Turnaround Schools**.

In addition, schools with six-year adjusted cohort graduation rates for all students that are less than 70 percent in each of the three most recent cohorts will also be identified for comprehensive support as a Turnaround School. New turnaround schools will be identified every three years. **Turnaround Schools**

North End Wallace West Side Wilby



Goals:

Academic Excellence

Safe and Healthy Schools

General Stability and Sustainability

Academic Excellence

Lead the organizational efforts and resource allocation to ensure all students have access to:

- Quality Curriculum
- Instruction Materials
- Resources Aligned to CT Standards
- Highly Effective Teaching and Learning
- Rigorous Academics
- Fine Arts
- Physical Education in an Environment that is Safe and Orderly

Curriculum:

- Ensures that all instructional staff design effective and rigorous standards-based units of instruction consisting of well-structured lessons with measurable outcomes.
 - Instruction ensures that practices in all settings reflect high expectations regarding content and quality of effort and work, engage all students, and are personalized to accommodate diverse learning styles, needs, interests, and levels of readiness.

Assessment:

 Ensures that all principals and administrators facilitate practices that propel personnel to use a variety of formal and informal methods and assessments to measure student learning, growth, and understanding and make necessary adjustments to their practice when students are not learning.

Data-Informed Decision Making:

 Uses multiple sources of evidence related to student learning—including state, district, and school assessment results and growth data—to inform school and district goals and improve organizational performance, educator effectiveness, and student learning.

Human Resources Management and Development:

 Implements a cohesive approach to recruiting, hiring, induction, development, and career growth that promotes high-quality and effective practice.

Scheduling and Management Information Systems:

• Uses systems to ensure optimal use of data and time for teaching, learning, and collaboration, minimizing disruptions and distractions for school-level staff.

Commitment to High Standards:

- Fosters a shared commitment to high standards of service, teaching, and learning with high expectations for achievement for all.
 - Demonstrates strong interpersonal, written, and verbal communication skills.

Continuous Learning:

 Develops and nurtures a culture in which staff members are reflective about their practice and use student data, current research, best practices, and theory to continuously adapt practice and achieve improved results. Models these behaviors in his or her own practice.

Shared Vision:

 Successfully and continuously engages all stakeholders in the creation of a shared educational vision in which every student is prepared to succeed in postsecondary education and become a responsible citizen and global contributor.

Safe and Healthy Schools

Lead the relationship of our culturally diverse community by expanding the Community Outreach Partnership to engage parents and community members by making them active participants in our schools.

Environment:

 Develops and executes effective plans, procedures, routines, and operational systems to address a full range of safety, health, emotional, and social needs.

Law, Ethics, and Policies:

 Understands and complies with state and federal laws and mandates, school committee policies, collective bargaining agreements, and ethical guidelines.

Cultural Proficiency:

 Ensures that policies and practices enable staff members and students to interact effectively in a culturally diverse environment in which students' backgrounds, identities, strengths, and challenges are respected.

Managing Conflict:

 Employs strategies for responding to disagreement and dissent, constructively resolving conflict and building consensus throughout a district or school community.

Engagement:

 Actively ensures that all families are welcome members of the classroom and school community and can contribute to the effectiveness of the classroom, school, district, and community.

Sharing Responsibility:

 Continuously collaborates with families and community stakeholders to support student learning and development at home, school, and in the community.

Communication:

 Engages in regular, two-way, culturally proficient communication with families and community stakeholders about student learning and performance.

Family Concerns:

 Addresses family and community concerns in an equitable, effective, and efficient manner.

Financial Stability and Sustainability

Execute a plan with Board of Education, Finance and Operations to fund annual facilities repairs and maintenance projects to provide for a healthy and safe educational environment for all educational community members.

Lead the development of a proposed balanced 2020-2021 budget that supports a quality educational experience for all students.

Measures:

- Creating a staffing plan
- Elimination of possible duplication of services
- Special Ed Audit

Fiscal Systems:

Develops a budget that supports the district's vision, mission, and goals; allocates and manages expenditures consistent with district- and school-level goals and available resources.

2020 – 2021 BUDGET PROCESS

Fall through December:

Planning and Preparation

January-February:

Review by Board of Education and Recommendation to Mayor

First week of April:

Mayor's Budget to Board of Aldermen

April to first week of June:

Board Of Aldermen Holds Meetings, Hearings, Considers Actions, Adopts Budget

Early June:

Board of Education makes Line Item Changes, Adopts Final Budget

2020 - 2021 BUDGET PRIORITIES

- Work toward a balanced and equitable budget for long term financial stability and sustainability.
- Allocate resources strategically that is equitable, transparent and aligned with instructional and operational needs.

2020 - 2021 BUDGET INCREASE

- 2019-2020 Approved Budget \$158,375,000
 - Total Increase\$570,400
 - Percentage Increase 0.4%
- 2020-2021 BOA Budget Assumption \$158,375,000
 - 2020-2021 Budget Gap \$ 570,400

ECS Alliance Grant

	Total	Reform*	Non-Reform Operating Budget
Year 1 2012-2013	\$4,395,509	\$3,395,509	\$1,000,000
Year 2 2013-2014	\$11,855,075	\$7,113,045	\$4,742,030
Year 3 2014-2015	\$19,115,441	\$10,513,493	\$8,601,948
Year 4 2015-2016	\$20,911,528	\$9,410,188	\$11,501,340
Year 5 2016-2017	\$19,988,884	\$10,105,972	\$9,620,113
Year 6 2017-2018	\$19,988,884	\$13,614,121	\$6,374,763
Year 7 2018-2019	\$22,584,082	\$16,164,432	\$6,419,650
Year 8 2019-2020	\$29,403,470	\$23,124,233	\$6,279,237

ECS/Alliance 2020-2021

\$36,473,359 ***ASSUMPTION*** Non Deform

GENERAL FUND & ALLIANCE EDUCATION BUDGET

FISCAL	APPROVED	STATE APPROVED	COMBINED
YEAR	CITY BUDGET	ALLIANCE BUDGET	YEARLY BUDGET
2012-2013	\$155,625,000	\$4,395,509	\$160,020,509
2013-2014	\$155,625,000	\$11,855,075	\$167,480,075
2014-2015	\$155,625,000	\$19,115,441	\$174,740,441
2015-2016	\$155,625,000	\$20,911,528	\$176,536,528
2016-2017	\$158,375,000	\$19,988,884	\$178,363,884
2017-2018	\$158,375,000	\$19,988,884	\$178,363,884
2018-2019	\$158,375,000	\$22,584,082	\$180,959,082
2019-2020	\$158,375,000	\$29,403,470	\$187,778,470
2020-2021	\$158,375,000	\$36,473,359	\$194,848,359

EDUCATION COST SHARING GRANT

FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL ECS (WATERBURY)	CITY	ALLIANCE
2016-2017	\$133,606,066	\$113,617,182	\$19,988,884
2017-2018	\$133,356,066	\$113,367,182	\$19,988,884
2018-2019	\$136,201,264	\$113,617,182	\$22,584,082
2019-2020	\$143,020,652	\$113,617,182	\$29,403,470
2020-2021	\$150,090,541	\$113,617,182	\$36,473,359

Education Department 2020-2021 Proposed Budget Summary

	Expenditures	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget	
	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
Salaries	\$118,207,783	\$140,452,145	\$138,971,229	(\$1,480,916)
Health Benefits Expense	\$81,121	\$94,800	\$6,094,800	\$6,000,000
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Instructional Expense	\$3,344,140	\$2,489,340	\$2,488,840	(\$500)
Purchased Services Expense	\$27,247,972	\$27,201,679	\$29,428,006	\$2,226,327
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Property Expense	\$8,101,481	\$8,929,617	\$8,595,607	(\$334,010)
Miscellaneous Expense	\$1,778,085	\$275,200	\$265,200	(\$10,000)
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New Items	\$0	\$0	\$169,500	\$169,500
Gross Budget Proposal	\$158,760,581	\$179,442,781	\$186,013,182	\$6,570,401
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Alliance Year 8		(\$17,442,781)	\$0	\$17,442,781
Alliance Reform & Non Reform Year 9 Assumption		\$0	(\$23,442,782)	(\$23,442,782)
General Fund 2016-2017 Surplus		(\$450,000)	(\$450,000)	\$0
General Fund 2015-2016 Surplus		(\$1,000,000)	(\$1,000,000)	\$0
General Fund 2014-2015 Surplus		(\$1,000,000)	(\$1,000,000)	\$0
City Non Lapsing Account		(\$500,000)	(\$500,000)	\$0
Contingency Surplus		(\$675,000)	(\$675,000)	\$0
Net Budget Proposal	\$158,760,581	\$158,375,000	\$158,945,400	\$570,400

		Expenditures	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget	
	Salaries	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
511	Instructional Regular Payroll	\$70,832,966	\$90,850,132	\$87,114,937	(\$3,735,195)
511	Special Education Payroll	\$31,515,575	\$33,131,249	\$34,430,702	\$1,299,453
511	Administration Payroll	\$891,613	\$1,058,408	\$1,218,624	\$160,216
511	Fiscal Administration Payroll	\$351,099	\$514,229	\$570,154	\$55,925
511	Operation and Maintenance Payroll	\$6,459,514	\$7,626,289	\$8,360,883	\$734,594
511	Human Resources Payroll	\$360,796	\$528,197	\$533,289	\$5,092
511	Student Transportation Payroll	\$731,197	\$714,094	\$689,659	(\$24,434)
511	Adult Education Payroll	\$1,304,187	\$1,350,000	\$1,350,000	\$0
511	Operation and Maintenance Overtime	\$668,331	\$700,000	\$650,000	(\$50,000)
511	Outside Activities Overtime	\$290,078	\$200,000	\$250,000	\$50,000
511	Administration Overtime	\$59,779	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$0
511	Athletic & Extra Compensatory	\$868,637	\$861,000	\$875,000	\$14,000
511	Extra Police Protection	\$67,720	\$55,000	\$55,000	\$0
511	Substitute Teacher Payroll	\$2,411,181	\$2,945,000	\$2,945,000	\$0
511	Education Longevity	\$20,145	\$15,300	\$12,865	(\$2,435)
511	Projected Resignations/Attrition Certified	\$0	(\$1,000,000)	(\$1,000,000)	\$0
511	Projected Resignations/Attrition Non-Certified	\$0	(\$180,000)	(\$180,000)	\$0
511	Certified Early Incentive & Vacation Sick Time Buyout	\$1,374,964	\$1,043,247	\$1,055,115	\$11,868
	Total Salaries	\$118,207,783	\$140,452,145	\$138,971,229	(\$1,480,916)

	Benefit Expense	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
522	Health Benefit Fund	\$0	\$0	\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000
529	Car & Meal Allowance	\$81,121	\$94,800	\$94,800	\$0
	Total Benefits	\$81,121	\$94,800	\$6,094,800	\$6,000,000

		Expenditures	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget	
	Instructional Expense	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
561	Instructional Supplies	\$2,526,757	\$1,620,000	\$1,620,000	\$0
561	Office Supplies	\$63,074	\$71,840	\$71,840	\$0
561	Emergency/Medical Supplies	\$386	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$0
561	Intake Center Supplies	\$993	\$1,500	\$3,500	\$2,000
561	Recruitment Supplies	\$56,739	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$0
561	Medicaid Supplies	\$5,285	\$15,000	\$12,500	(\$2,500)
561	Janitorial Supplies	\$232,918	\$235,000	\$235,000	\$0
561	Buildings & Grounds Supplies	\$279,217	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$0
567	Clothing	\$33,966	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$0
567	Crossing Guard Uniforms	\$1,741	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$0
569	Recreational Supplies	\$11,604	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$0
569	Athletic Supplies	\$132,232	\$130,000	\$130,000	\$0
	Total Instructional Expense	\$3,344,140	\$2,489,340	\$2,488,840	(\$500)

		Expenditures	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget	
	Purchased Services Expense	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
533	Evaluation and Testing	\$14,983	\$74,250	\$25,000	(\$49,250)
533	Consulting	\$437,252	\$371,125	\$422,125	\$51,000
533	Auditing	\$50,054	\$54,000	\$52,000	(\$2,000)
539	Sport Officials	\$34,040	\$35,000	\$35,000	\$0
539	Report Cards	\$7,619	\$9,000	\$0	(\$9,000)
539	Messenger Service	\$27,136	\$28,600	\$24,978	(\$3,622)
551	Pupil Transportation	\$14,470,628	\$15,241,207	\$15,840,803	\$599,596
553	Postage	\$56,426	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$0
553	Telephone	\$201,882	\$250,000	\$250,000	\$0
553	Wide-area Network	\$80,923	\$93,600	\$93,600	\$0
556	Out of District Tuition	\$9,061,708	\$8,225,000	\$9,515,000	\$1,290,000
556	Purchased Services - Outside Special Ed	\$2,735,192	\$2,627,897	\$3,000,000	\$372,103
557	Tuition Reimbursement	\$2,300	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$0
558	Travel Expenses	\$17,972	\$18,000	\$20,000	\$2,000
559	Advertising	\$11,412	\$25,000	\$20,000	(\$5,000)
559	Printing & Binding	\$16,389	\$50,000	\$30,000	(\$20,000)
559	Insurance - Athletics	\$22,057	\$23,000	\$23,500	\$500
	Total Purchased Services Expense	\$27,247,972	\$27,201,679	\$29,428,006	\$2,226,327

		Expenditures	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget	
	Property Expense	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
543	General Repairs & Maintenance	\$1,249,134	\$1,740,700	\$1,370,700	(\$370,000)
543	Maintenance - Service Contracts	\$410,232	\$730,000	\$730,000	\$0
544	Building Rental	\$499,514	\$555,539	\$562,674	\$7,135
545	Water	\$270,647	\$255,000	\$270,000	\$15,000
545	Electricity	\$2,985,075	\$3,129,855	\$3,129,855	\$0
545	Security & Safety	\$134,764	\$125,000	\$125,000	\$0
561	Diesel/Propane	\$358,218	\$442,523	\$456,378	\$13,855
561	Gasoline	\$27,181	\$35,000	\$35,000	\$0
561	Natural Gas	\$1,631,952	\$1,666,000	\$1,666,000	\$0
575	Furniture	\$39,604	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$0
575	Office Equipment	\$148,513	\$160,000	\$160,000	\$0
575	Plant Equipment	\$16,950	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$0
575	Building Improvement	\$329,697	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Total Property Expense	\$8,101,481	\$8,929,617	\$8,595,607	(\$334,010)

		Expenditures	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget	
	Miscellaneous Expense	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Inc/Dec
589	Mattatuck Museum	\$10,638	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$0
589	Board of Ed Commissioners	\$20,701	\$20,700	\$20,700	\$0
589	Emergency Fund	\$9,500	\$9,500	\$9,500	\$0
589	Mileage	\$13,366	\$30,000	\$20,000	(\$10,000)
589	Coaches Reimbursements	\$2,830	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$0
589	Dues & Publications	\$51,051	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$0
591	Athletic Revolving Fund	\$115,000	\$135,000	\$135,000	\$0
591	Sinking Fund	\$1,555,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Total Miscellaneous Expense	\$1,778,085	\$275,200	\$265,200	(\$10,000)

New Items	Proposed Budget 2020-2021
Early College High Bussing (3 busses estimated)	\$169,500
Total New Items	\$169,500

2020 – 2021 Budget Summary

2020-2021 BOE Proposed Budget	\$158,945,400
2019-2020 BOA Budget Assumption**	\$158,375,000
2020-2021 Proposed Budget Gap	\$570,400

** Based on FY21 Budget Assumption - Develop Budget Mitigation Plan

- Minimize Redundancies
- Maximize Efficiencies
- Repurposing of Funds
- FY21 ECS Alliance Increase