Fast Facts

School Budget Vote

Tuesday, May 17, 2022
7 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Frank G. Lindsey School Gymnasium
57 Trolley Road, Montrose, NY

Budget

- Expands social emotional support, with the addition of an elementary school counselor and social worker.
- Includes $15,430,667 million in Cessation Funds to help offset tax increases due to Indian Point’s closure
- 3.2% tax levy increase, well below the state tax cap of 15.2%

Transportation Upgrades

- Includes two 72-passenger transit-style buses, two 18-passenger single-wheel vans, one with wheelchair lift; and one multi-purpose vehicle.
- Not to exceed $500,000

Hendrick Hudson Free Library Budget

Voters may also vote on the Hendrick Hudson Free Library budget — not affiliated with the school district.

School Board Election

- Lisa Anderson
- Jeremy Basso
- Stephanie Hickey
- Erica Mills
- William Oricchio

Information on the candidates is available online at www.henhudschools.org

Budget Increase

Total Proposed 2022-23 Budget
$86,634,308

2.8%

Absentee Ballots

Absentee Ballots must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 16, 2022. Information on absentee ballots can be found on the district website.

Everyone has a stake in the success of our public schools. When schools are strong and students succeed, our community benefits!

For more information, visit https://www.henhudschools.org/Page/12449
WHAT DOES THE PROPOSED 2022-23 BUDGET ACCOMPLISH?

- Maintains all current academic & extracurricular programming for students.
- Focuses on physical, mental and emotional well-being of students at all levels.
- Continues to offer expansive Advanced Placement course selection; preserves university & college dual-credit partnerships.
- Provides technology upgrades to classrooms, infrastructure, and security and supports 1:1 Chromebook initiative for students.
- 3.2% tax levy increase, well below the state tax cap of 15.2%

CONTINGENT BUDGET

Under state law, school boards can submit a budget to voters a maximum of two times. If the proposed budget is defeated twice, the board must adopt a contingent budget. A school board also has the option of going directly to a contingent budget after the first budget defeat. Under a contingent budget, the district must adopt a budget with the same tax levy as the prior year. For Hendrick Hudson, this would require a $1,571,157 million reduction to the proposed budget.