HIGHLIGHTS OF 2019 NYS ADOPTED BUDGET

Board of Education Workshop Meeting April 4, 2019

2019 STATE BUDGET UPDATE

\$961 million School Aid increase

- ✓ \$618 million Foundation Aid increase
- ✓ \$342 in Expense-based aids
- A variation on the Executive's proposal to implement a Foundation Aid redistribution or "equity" plan. Districts with like schools that are identified by DOB as high need and underfunded (5% below district average) will be required to file a report with SED by September 1 each year to identify how they will "effectuate prioritizing equity" for those schools.
- Making the Tax Cap permanent.
- Rejecting the proposal to consolidate expense-based aids (ie. services aid) into a block grant that would result in less aid for most districts.
- > Rejecting a proposal to reduce building aid reimbursements.

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- Making changes to APPR to eliminate the mandate to use state assessments in APPR and requiring that districts collectively bargain what assessment will be used.
 - This is the same language that was approved by the legislature earlier this year.
- ➢ Increasing the BOCES DS Cap for the first time since 2003.
- > Authorizing districts and BOCES to establish TRS reserve funds.
 - ✓ Will be a Sub-fund within the ERS Reserve,
 - Funding any fiscal year –limited to 2% teachers compensation paid during the immediate preceding fiscal year,
 - ✓ The balance of TRS Reserve may not exceed 10% of all teachers total compensation paid during the immediate preceding fiscal year.
- Authorizing SUNY schools to partner with high schools to offer no or reduced cost tuition and fees to dually enrolled students.

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- > Authorizing "piggy-back" transportation contracts.
- > Authorizing a three-year extension of NYC mayoral control.
- Staggering building condition surveys.
- Rejecting the proposed requirement to mandate seat belt use on school buses.
- Requiring that all employers provide all employees with three hours of paid leave to vote.

SAYVILLE STATE AID

Governor's Executive Budget (January 2019)

Total State Aid: \$26,459,284

 Change Prior Year: \$ -207,213

 % Change:
 -0.78

 Change w/o Bldg. Aid: 144,341

 % Change:
 0.60

NYS Adopted Budget (March 30, 2019)

Total State Aid: \$26,532,003

 Change Prior Year: \$ -151,544

 % Change:
 -0.57

 Change w/o Bldg. Aid: 234,230

 % Change:
 0.97

Increase In Total State Aid: \$72,719 Foundation Aid: \$ + 92K BOCES Aid: \$ -20K Building Aid: \$ 763