

# Proposed General Operating Budget

2024-2025

### Estimated General Fund 2023-2024

DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED AMOUNT
Estimated Surplus (Deficit) After Federal Funding – Adopted Budget	(\$73,612,073)
Additional Federal Stimulus Funding	5,000,000
Decrease SHARS Federal Funds	(10,300,000)
Interest Income Increase	10,000,000
ESSER Indirect Costs	11,800,000
Estimated Unfilled Positions	42,000,000
Estimated Windstorm Damage	(5,622,180)
Estimated Surplus (Deficit) June 30, 2024	(\$20,734,253)

### **Potential Factors Impacting Deficit:**

- ✓ Unfilled positions
- ✓ Interest income
- ✓ Prior year property value audit
- ✓ Average daily attendance
- ✓ Unspent funds other than payroll
- ✓ Windstorm damage
- ✓ 50% recognition LOHE



# **Budget Goals**



RETAIN AND RECRUIT QUALITY STAFF



PRESERVE QUALITY OF INSTRUCTION AND SERVICES



PRIORITIZE STUDENT AND STAFF SAFETY



# **Property Values and Tax Compression**

M&O Tax Rate Compressed to Lower of:

**State Compressed Rate** 

**Local Compressed Rate** 

Current Year Property Values Affect Tax Compression

Tax Year 2024 Maximum Compressed Tax Rate Same as 2023 or Slight Decrease

State Aid Based on Current Year State Comptroller's Property Values



# Considerations for Budget 2024-2025





### Revenues

Budget Reduction Advisory Committee formed to discuss efficiencies, sources of new revenue and potential budget cuts

A 1% increase in ADA provides approximately \$7.4M



### Reduce

### **Expenditures**

Budget Reduction Advisory Committee formed to discuss efficiencies, sources of new revenue and potential budget cuts

Approximately 90% of budget is payroll



## Utilize Portion of Fund Balance

Requires Board of Trustees approval

Minimum of 4 months of expenditures in fund balance recommended



### **Budget Assumptions**

- Expiration of ESSER funding (September 2024)
- Reduced expenditures (\$58M)
  - Reducing positions no layoffs
- Payroll at 98% fill rate (\$20M)
- Minimal enrollment growth (0.28%)
- Salary increase on greater of midpoint or base of 1% for all levels of administration and 2% for teachers, paraprofessionals, and hourly; and increase in teacher starting salary to \$63,000 (\$17M)





### **Budget Assumptions**

- Reduction of SHARS funding (\$10.3M)
- Continued 2% ADA decrease (\$15M)
- Operating costs for Byrd Elementary (\$2.4M)
- Increase in property values (2.44%)
- Does not include BRAC revenue recommendations
- No increase for 50% recognition of LOHE (\$31.5M)



### \$58 Million Budget Reduction Plan (\$58,686,391)

- District-Level Staff Reductions \$5,765,976
  - 42 Curriculum Coaches/Helping Teachers
  - 1 Asst. Supt.
  - 6 Directors/Coordinators/Managers
  - 35 Support Staff/Administrative Assistants
  - 11 Other Professional-Level positions
- Campus-Level Staff Reductions \$29,714,830
  - 13 campus administrators
  - 120 other professional support staff
  - 278 classroom teachers
  - 31 clerical/support staff
- Maintenance and Operations Staff Reductions -\$2,120,000
  - 60 Operations positions
  - 21 Maintenance positions
- Transportation Department Budget Reductions -\$4,780,035
  - Includes labor, fuel, maintenance, and miscellaneous operating costs
- Non-Staff Miscellaneous Budget Reductions -\$16,305,550



### \$58 Million Budget Reduction Plan



# **History of CFISD Salary Increases**

YEAR	TEACHER SCALE	PARA/HOURLY	ADMINISTRATION
2014-2015	\$2,600	3.25%	3.25%
2015-2016	\$2,000	5%	4%
2016-2017	2%	3%	2%
2017-2018	3%	3%	3%
2018-2019	3%	3%	3%
2019-2020	3%<5 years; 3.5%>5 years; and \$1,000 one-time salary increase	3% and \$500 one-time salary increase	3% and \$500 one-time salary increase
2020-2021	Add \$1,000 one-time salary increase to base + 1% salary increase	Add \$500 one-time salary increase to base + 1% salary increase	Add \$500 one-time salary increase to base + 1% salary increase
2021-2022	5%	5% and \$1,000 stipend	5%
2022-2023	2% and \$1,000 stipend	2% and \$2,000 stipend	2% and \$1,000 stipend
2023-2024	3%	3%	3%



### Proposed General Fund 2024-2025

DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED BUDGET
Local Revenues	\$497,902,404
State Revenues	571,901,352
Federal Revenues	16,500,000
Other Sources	500,000
Total Revenues	\$1,086,803,756
Expenditures	\$1,164,278,145
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$77,474,389)



OBJECT	PROPOSED BUDGET	PERCENT
Payroll Costs	\$1,043,960,166	89.67%
Contracted Services	68,650,262	5.90%
Supplies & Materials	30,766,571	2.64%
Other Operating	20,278,429	1.74%
Capital Outlay	622,717	0.05%
Total	\$1,164,278,145	100.00%



FUNCTION	PROPOSED BUDGET	PERCENT
Instruction	\$764,214,912	65.64%
Instructional Resources & Media	5,338,804	0.46%
C&I Staff Development	11,264,959	0.97%
Instructional Leadership	9,059,411	0.78%
School Leadership	64,262,743	5.52%
Guidance & Counseling	48,445,444	4.16%
Social Work Services	742,012	0.06%



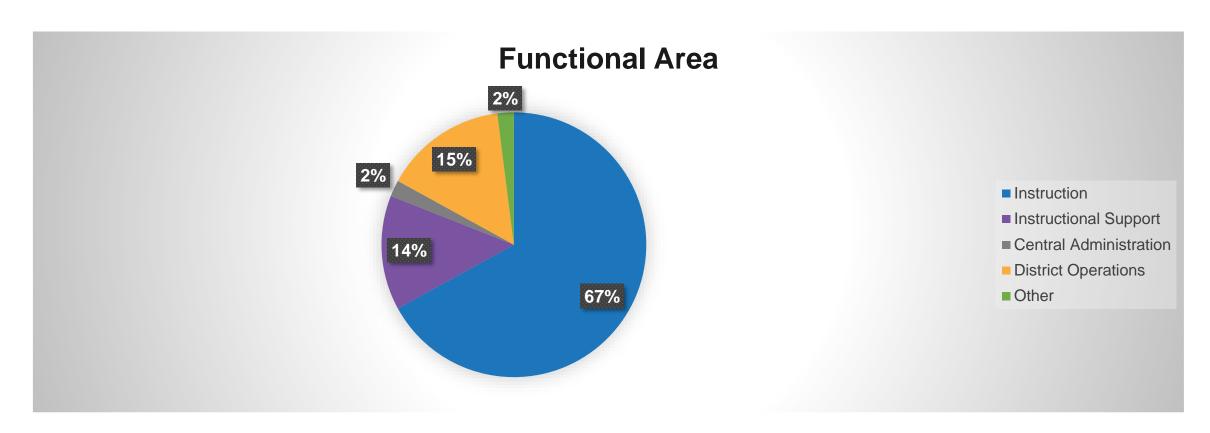
FUNCTION	PROPOSED BUDGET	PERCENT
Health Services	\$13,557,683	1.16%
Student Transportation	48,221,482	4.14%
Co/Extracurricular Activities	24,255,093	2.08%
General Administration	19,053,493	1.64%
Plant Maintenance & Operations	92,695,713	7.96%
Security & Monitoring Services	14,376,621	1.24%
Data Processing Services	25,472,139	2.19%



FUNCTION	PROPOSED BUDGET	PERCENT
Community Services	\$11,051,055	0.95%
Debt Service	2,627,821	0.23%
Facilities Acquisition & Construction	487,500	0.04%
Payments to Fiscal Agents SSA	1,833,260	0.16%
Payments to JJAEP	55,000	0.00%
Other Intergovernmental Charges	7,263,000	0.62%
Total*	\$1,164,278,145	100.00%

<sup>\*</sup>Includes \$12.8M in accelerated instruction [TEC 29.081(b-1)]







# Debt Service Fund Budget 2024-2025

DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED BUDGET
Revenues:	
Local	\$269,424,661
State	34,479,811
Federal	168,864
Total Revenues	\$304,073,336
Expenditures:	
Debt Service	304,073,336
Total Expenditures	\$304,073,336



# Food Service Fund Budget 2024-2025

DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED BUDGET
Revenues:	
Local	\$14,418,966
State	332,696
Federal	58,913,012
Total Revenues	\$73,664,674
Expenditures:	
Food Service	72,354,589
Maintenance & Operations	1,310,085
Total Expenditures	\$73,664,674



### **Fund Balance**

### The total accumulation of operating surpluses and deficits

### Importance of adequate fund balance

- Manage cash flow low points
  - Majority of tax collections in December and January
  - Reimbursement from federal funds
  - Fund disasters until reimbursed by insurance/federal funding
- Mitigate current and future risks such as revenue shortfalls and unanticipated expenditures
  - Declines in enrollment/ADA

### How much fund balance is needed

• Minimum of 4 months for June 30 year end

### How is fund balance replenished

Operating surplus

### Estimated months in fund balance at 6/30/2025

4.68 months



# Questions?

