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To: Sarah Shannon, Superintendent of Schools

Cohasset School Committee

From: Susan Owen, Director of Finance & Operations

Date: November 20, 2024

RE: FY25 October Finance Report

School Budget (general fund)

The voted school budget for FY25 is \$23,909,407 plus a separate one-time allotment of \$342,399 to cover the special education shortage. This is a total of \$24,251,806 available to spend for FY25. As of October 31, 2024, we have expended \$5,421,608 and we have encumbered supplies and materials on purchase orders in the amount of \$2,170,731. We have also encumbered the remaining payroll on a purchase order in the amount of \$17,276,090 to ensure we have enough funding to complete payroll through the end of the year. This leaves us a shortfall in the amount of (\$616,624).

We are closely monitoring all accounts and the budget has been frozen. We will not allow any overrides to these budgets meaning no deficits unless Superintendent approved.

SPED Tuitions were budgeted at \$926,416 and are currently encumbered on purchase orders. There is a shortfall in tuitions in the amount of (\$263,140) which has not changed since our September report. Since the final voted budget, the district has had 3 unanticipated outplacements and one student move from a collaborative school to a private school.

Budget line items which show shortfalls are as follows:

SPED Tuitions	\$263,140
Utilities	\$189,149
SPED Transportation	\$ 10,370
Custodial supplies/materials	\$ 10,456
Salaries	\$143,509

School	Budget	Expended	Encumbrances	Balance	% Used	FTE
Osgood	\$4,514,368	\$880,852	\$193,747	\$3,439,770	23.80%	52.10
DeerHill	\$4,380,032	\$824,682	\$148,835	\$3,406,516	22.22%	46.40
Middle	\$4,218,395	\$747,172	\$13,222	\$3,458,002	18.02%	46.00
High	\$7,241,994	\$1,607,015	\$445,639	\$5,189,340	28.34%	66.80

Circuit Breaker

Circuit Breaker funding received in FY24 was \$1,177,034. Due to budget shortfalls and unanticipated expenditures, the district needed to utilize \$1,078,643 leaving a balance of \$98,391 to be carried over into FY25.

Circuit breaker funding to be received in FY25 will be \$1,097,956 being paid to us in four installments. We have received our first payment in the amount of \$274,489.

Circuit Breaker is a state program providing school districts with reimbursement for some of the costs incurred for providing "free and appropriate education" to students with special needs.

Capital Outlay Funds for FY25 - \$435,070

\$ 90,000	School Bus Lease
\$ 7,000	Electric School Bus Lease
\$ 35,000	Furniture Replacement – student & staff (Deer Hill cycle)
\$ 51,337	Replacement of aging Chromebooks (540 – 3 year lease \$143,000)
\$225,483	Replace Smart Projectors/Panels in all rooms (CHS)
\$ 26,250	Deer Hill Chromebooks
\$435,070	TOTAL

Capital Outlay Stabilization Fund for FY25 - \$450,000

\$150,000	Middle/High School Fire Alarm Study
<u>\$300,000</u>	Deer Hill completion of retiling floors
\$450,000	TOTAL

FY26 DRAFT CAPITAL LIST		L
	Sum of 2026	
Bus Lease (8 diesel buses)	\$ 156,000	c
Electric Bus Lease	\$ 25,000	C
Bus Lease (1 additional bus to replace the Blue Bird)	\$ 20,650	c
Window Shades - fix and replace in all buildings - in process of gathering numbers Replace all Projectors with interactive presentation equipment (Osgood/DeerHill) - in process of gathering information		
Security Equipment - (52 DW)	\$ 181,435	C
Furniture -Replace main office furniture at DH	\$ 42,829	c
Furniture -Replace Counseling offices at MS	\$ 20,000	C
Furniture -Replace teacher desks/classrooms MS/HS - waiting on quotes		
(2) New Athletics 15 Passenger Vans - 48 month lease	\$ 33,666	C
IPADS at Osgood (each class will have own set) - waiting on quotes - Sent to Sue on 11-4		
HS Babain Conference Room (see quote in worksheet tab)	\$ 15,389	C
HS Guidance Office Wing (pending quote to be received by 11/15/24)		
Soft starter for elevator at CMHS - Nick and Jake getting quotes Facilities to build a multiyear plan and obtain quotes for remaining items (Nick and Jake)		
Asphalt road & sidewalk between DHS and JOS needs to be resurfaced. (DHS)	\$ 120,000	
Asphalt Road from Pond Street needs to be resurfaced. (CMHS)	\$ 100,000	
Replace Sidewalk and Curbing on entry road to CMHS (CMHS)	\$ 250,000	L
Extend Sidewalk to Pond Street (CMHS)	\$ 50,000	
Grand Total	\$ 1,014,969	

Grants

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Revolving and	Grants Sur	nmary	Fiscal Year 20)25 July -Octobe	er			
Sub Fund Name	Sub Fund Code	Fund	Opening Balance	Receipts	Opening Balance + Receipts	Expended	Encumbered	Fund Balance FY25
GRANTS								
CIRCUIT BREAKER FY24	125	42		\$1,177,034	\$1,177,034	\$1,078,643		*\$98,39
CIRCUIT BREAKER FY25	125	43	\$98,391	\$1,097,956	\$1,196,347	\$277,934	\$904,794	\$13,618
SCHL IMPROVE ED QUALITY GRANT (Title IIA)	140	43		\$15,623	\$15,623	\$250	\$9,800	\$5,57
SCHOOL SPED IDEA GRANT	240	43		\$367,635	\$367,635	\$61,299	\$0	\$306,33
SCHOOL SPED EARLY CHILDHOOD GR	262	43		\$10,643	\$10,643	\$2,274	\$0	\$8,36
TITLE IV	309	43		\$10,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$
METCO	317	43		\$366,540	\$366,540	\$54,452	\$0	\$312,08
METCO Restorative Justice	319	43		\$15,000	\$15,000	\$50	\$0	\$14,95
GRANTS Total			\$98,391	\$3,060,431	\$3,158,822	\$1,479,901	\$919,594	\$660,935

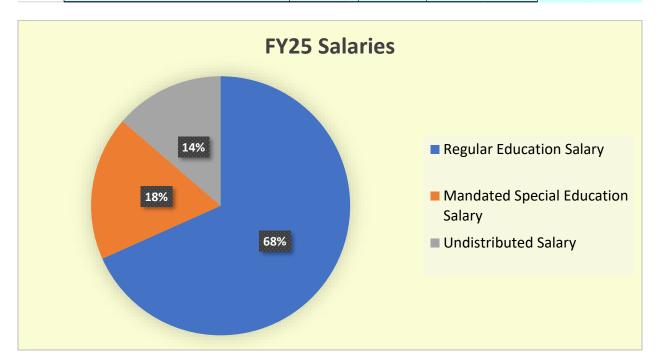
FY25 Grant funds are used to employ approximately 11.30 additional staff.

Sub Fund Name	Sub Fund Code	Fund	Opening Balance	Receipts	Opening Balance + Receipts	Expended	Encumbered	Fund Balance FY25
SCHOOL REVOLVING FUNDS								
SCHOOL ADVANCED PLACEMENT FEES	302	46	\$10,185	\$0	\$10,185	\$5,033	\$0	\$5,152
PARENT SCHOOL ORGANIZATION	303	46	\$33,719	\$0	\$33,719	\$269	\$2,273	\$31,177
COHASSET EDUCATION FOUNDATION	304	46	\$81,798	\$0	\$81,798	\$40,304	\$4,560	\$36,933
SCHOOL INSURANCE RECOVERY <\$20	310	46	\$11,477	\$2,888	\$14,365	\$1,782	\$0	\$12,583
AFTER SCHOOL	313	46	\$5,268	\$21,760	\$27,028	\$9,979	\$0	\$17,049
SCHOOL ATHLETIC REVOLVING	315	46	\$4,267	\$75,063	\$79,330	\$103,079	\$4,014	(\$27,763
SCHOOL PRESCHOOL REVOLVING	320	46	\$1,975	\$43,700	\$45,675	\$9,617	\$0	\$36,05
HIGH SCHOOL REVOLVING	321	46	\$2,649	\$12,678	\$15,327	\$3,695	\$0	\$11,632
MIDDLE SCHOOL REVOLVING	322	46	\$264	\$0	\$264	\$0	\$0	\$264
DEER HILL REVOLVING	323	46	\$5,857	\$0	\$5,857	\$0	\$0	\$5,85
OSGOOD REVOLVING	324	46	\$966	\$0	\$966	\$0	\$0	\$960
SCHOOL ENRICHMENT	325	46	\$6,924	\$120	\$7,044	\$80	\$349	\$6,61
SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION REVOLVING	335	46	\$4,833	\$52,980	\$57,813	\$23,343	\$0	\$34,470
SCHOOL USE OF FACILITIES REVOLVING	340	46	\$3,363	\$28,826	\$32,189	\$11,830	\$0	\$20,359
ALUMNI FIELD	341	46	\$96,038	\$0	\$96,038	\$0	\$0	\$96,038
SCHOOL MS INTRAMURAL REVOLVING	345	46	\$16,265	\$0	\$16,265	\$0	\$0	\$16,26
SCHOOL SUMMER SPORTS CAMP	350	46	\$9,908	\$1,550	\$11,458	\$10,514	\$0	\$94
SCHOOL LOST BOOK REVOLVING	355	46	\$136	\$163	\$298	\$0	\$0	\$298
SCHOOL COMMITTEE GIFTS	391	46	\$7,748	\$0	\$7,748	\$0	\$0	\$7,748
SCHOOL SWIM TEAM GIFTS	392	46	\$957	\$0	\$957	\$0	\$0	\$95
SCHOOL ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME G	393	46	\$1,015	\$18	\$1,033	\$0	\$0	\$1,03
SCHOOL MUSICAL	394	46	\$14,468	\$0	\$14,468	\$20	\$740	\$13,70
SCHOOL SUMMER INSTITUTE GIFTS	395	46	\$127	\$0	\$127	\$0	\$0	\$12
SCHOOL LUNCH	004/005	40	\$410,752	\$109,383	\$520,135	\$351,436	\$32,469	\$136,230
SCHOOL REVOLVING FUNDS Total			\$730,957	\$349,129	\$1,080,086	\$570,981	\$44,405	\$464,700

These accounts cover the salaries for approximately 22.90 personnel whose jobs relate to the account from which they are paid.

School Budget	Headcounts	FTEs	Group
REGULAR Education	5.00	4.50	Central Office Administrators(Admin)
REGULAR Education	6.00	6.00	Building Administrators (Schl Adm)
SPED Services	5.00	3.00	Special Education Administration (SPED Admin)
REGULAR Ed & SPED	0.00	0.00	Directors and Coordinators (Dir/Coord)
REGULAR Education	85.00	85.00	Regular Education Classroom Teacher (REG Tchr)
REGULAR Education	38.00	30.30	Regular Education Specialist Teacher (Reg Spec Tchr)
REGULAR Education	11.00	9.00	Guidance Counselor(Guidance)
SPED Services	9.00	3.50	Psychological Services(Psych)
SPED Services	7.00	6.00	Therapy/Specialists OT/PT/Speech Tchrs(Therapist)
SPED Services	0.00	0.00	Therapy/Specialists OT/PT/Speech ASST(Therapist Asst)
SPED Services	21.00	21.00	Special Education Teacher (SPED Tchr)
REGULAR Education	9.00	9.00	Regular Education Aide (REG Aide)
SPED Services	19.00	16.50	Special Education Aide(SPED Aide)
UNDISTRIBUTED	13.00	11.10	Office/non-instructional: secretaries, lunch/hall aides, tech support
UNDISTRIBUTED	5.00	4.00	Medical Medical
UNDISTRIBUTED	15.00	12.50	Custodial/Maintenance (Cust/Maint)
UNDISTRIBUTED	15.00	7.20	Bus/Van Drivers and supervision
SPED Programs (Summe	er) 0.00	0.00	SPED Summer Program
UNDISTRIBUTED	1.00	0.50	OTHER (substitutes, etc.)
Не	eadcount: 264.00	229.10) FTEs

SUMMA	RY Personnel b	у Туре			
Group	Costs	<u>FTEs</u>	Headcount	FTE % of total	Headcount % of total
Regular Education Salary	14,538,911	143.80	154.00	62.77%	58.33%
Mandated Special Education Salary	3,764,523	50.00	61.00	21.82%	23.11%
Undistributed Salary	2,923,230	35.30	49.00	15.41%	18.56%
TOTALS	21,226,664	229.10	264.00		



	Budget	Grants/Rev		Budget	Grants/Rev
Osgood	FTE	FTE	Deer Hill	FTE	FTE
Principal	1.0		Principal	1.0	
SPED Team Chair	0.5		SPED Team Chair	0.5	
Admin Secretary	1.0		Admin Secretary	1.0	
Kindergarten	6.0		Grade 3	6.0	
Grade 1	6.0		Grade 4	5.0	
Grade 2	6.0		Grade 5	5.0	
Physical Education	1.0		Physical Education	1.0	
Art	1.0		Art	0.9	
Health			Health	0.5	
Music	1.2		Music	1.2	
Technology	0.5		Technology	0.5	
MathSpecialist	1.5		MathSpecialist	1.5	
Reading Specialist	1.5		Reading Specialist	1.5	
Occupational Therapist	1.0		Occupational Therapist	0.8	
Speech Therapist	1.4		Speech Therapist	1.0	
Physical Therapist		0.4	Physical Therapist		
SPED Teacher	3.0		SPED Teacher	5.0	
SPED ESPs	4.0	2.8	SPED ESPs	6.0	3
PreSchool Teacher	2.0		PreSchool Teacher		
PreSchool ESP		1.8	PreSchool ESP		
Technology ESP	1.0		Technology ESP	1.0	
Kindergarten ESPs	6.0		Librarian ESP	1.0	
Librarian	1.0		Librarian		
School Psychologist	0.5		School Psychologist	0.5	
Adjustment Counselor	1.5		Adjustment Counselor	1.5	
Nurse	1.0		Nurse	1.0	
Custodian	2.5		Custodian	3.0	
TOTAL FTEs	52.1	5.0	TOTAL FTEs	46.4	3.0

	Budget	Grants/Rev		Budget	Grants/Rev
Middle School	FTE	FTE	High School	FTE	FTE
Principal	1.0		Principal	1.0	
Assistant Principal	1.0		Assistant Principal	1.0	
SPED Team Chair	0.5		SPED Team Chair	0.5	
Admin Secretary	1.0		Admin Secretary	2.0	
English	4.0		English	6.0	
Math	5.0		Math	7.0	
Science	4.0		Science	7.0	
Social Studies	3.0		Social Studies	6.0	
World Language	4.0		World Language	4.0	
Reading Specialist	1.0		Reading Specialist		
Librarian			Librarian	1.0	
Art	1.0		Art	4.0	
Music	2.0		Music	2.0	
Physical Education	1.0		Physical Education	1.0	
Health	1.0		Health	1.0	
Technology	0.5		Technology	0.5	
ESL Teacher	0.5		ESL Teacher		
SPED Teacher	6.0		SPED Teacher	5.0	
SPED ESPs	4.0		SPED ESPs	2.5	2.0
Speech Therapist	1.0		Occupational Therapist	0.8	
Adjustment Counselor/Guid	2.5		Adjustment Counselor/Guidance	3.5	
School Psychologist/Social	1.0		School Psychologist/Social Wker	1.5	
Nurse	1.0		Nurse	1.0	
Custodian			Custodian	7.0	
			Athletic Trainer	0.5	
			Guidance Secretrary	1.0	
TOTAL FTEs	46.0	0.0	TOTAL FTEs	66.8	2.0

IOTAL GI	RANT FTE / HEADCOUNT	
	<u>FTE</u>	<u>HEADCOUNT</u>
METCO #317	2.0	2.0
TITLE IIA TEACHER QUALITY #140	0.0	0.0
SPED #240 94-142	8.8	10.0
SPED EARLY CHILDHOOD #262	0.5	1.0
TITLE 1 #305	0.0	0.0
TITLE IV - STUDENT SUPPORT	0.0	0.0
	11.3	13.0

TOTAL REV	<u>II</u>	
	<u>FTE</u>	HEADCOUNT
EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM	1.8	2.0
CAFETERIA REVOLVING	15.0	15.0
TRANSPORTATION REVOLVING	5.1	12.0
ATHLETIC REVOLVING	1.0	2.0
	22,9	31.0

	ENROLLMENT	ENROLLMENT					
		FY 25					
	November-24						
JOS	370						
Pre School	37	2	19				
Kindergarten	104	6	17				
01	107	6	18				
02	122	6	20				
DHS	347						
03	126	6	21				
04	115	5	23				
05	106	5	21				
CMS	300						
06	108						
07	89						
08	103						
CHS	381						
09	81						
10	94						
11	108						
12	98						
Grand Total	1398						

	Month to Month	FY25
Enrollment	October-24	November-24
JOS	369	370
Pre School	36	37
Kindergarten	104	104
01	107	107
02	122	122
DHS	347	347
03	126	126
04	115	115
05	106	106
CMS	300	300
06	108	108
07	89	89
08	103	103
CHS	381	381
09	81	81
10	94	94
11	108	108
12	98	98
Grand Total	1397	1398

			FY25 Ele							
	FY25 COST	FY24 COST	FY24 COSTS	FY23 COST	FY22 COST	FY25 KILOWATTS	FY24 KILOWATTS	FY24 KILOWATTS	FY23 KILOWATTS	FY22 KILOWATTS
	(July-Sept 2024)	(July-Sept 2023)				(July-Sept 2024)	(July - Sept 2023)			
OSGOOD ELEMENTARY	\$24,909.48	\$24,738.33	\$104,966.79	\$95,505.38	\$90,452.75	66,900	93,900	383,100	409,200	442,200
DEERHILL ELEMENTARY	\$31,282.58	\$25,135.01	\$105,235.66	\$80,175.13	\$67,991.70	107,600	95,800	370,200	376,800	383,800
MIDDLE/HIGH	\$81,574.64	\$70,790.11	\$305,409.95	\$218,741.38	\$187,793.24	274,500	264,000	1,117,500	1,032,750	1,134,000
	\$137,766.70	\$120,663.45	\$515,612.40	\$394,421.89	\$346,237.69	449,000	453,700	1,870,800	1,818,750	1,960,000

			FY25 GAS Summary JULY - SEPT 2024										
	FY25 COST (July - Sept	FY24 COST (July - Sept	FY24 COST	FY23 COST	FY22 COST	FY21 COST	FY25 THERMS (July-Sept	FY24 THERMS (July - Sept	FY24 THERMS	FY23 THERMS	FY22 Therms	FY21 THERMS	
OSGOOD ELEMENTARY	2024) \$283.78	2023) \$1,331.61	\$33,864.53	\$30,366.24	\$32,767.31	\$24,897.71	2024) 183	2023) 713	39,688	40,421	49,488	46,793	
DEERHILL ELEMENTARY	\$548.30	\$1,002.37	\$29,651.04	\$25,646.51	\$23,838.12	\$21,042.94	455	624	34,679	34,471	35,242	39,116	
MIDDLE/HIGH	\$1,890.63	\$2,097.51	\$98,713.71	\$76,577.36	\$71,547.76	\$63,738.89	1,645	1,398	119,329	104,775	111,947	124,774	
	\$2,722.71	\$4,431.49	\$162,229.28	\$132,590.11	\$128,153.19	\$109,679.54	2,283	2,735	193,696	179,667	196,677	210,683	

Food Service

Our Food Service department continues to be very successful with many upgrades and enhancements. We are still looking to hire several food service workers – if interested please apply to <u>VCordon@cohassetk12.org</u>

Cohasset Middle School and Friends of Holly Hill Farm school garden education program is feeding student bodies and minds this school year!

	FY25 FOOD SE	RVICE - MEAL CO	UNT
	Sept-Oct 2024 Breakfast	Sept-Oct 2024 Lunch	TOTAL
OSGOOD	1,641	7,225	8,866
DEERHILL	1,924	8,996	10,920
MIDDLE	1,525	8,938	10,463
HIGH	4,141	9,577	13,718
	Sept-Oct 2023 Breakfast	Sept-Oct 2023 Lunch	TOTAL
OSGOOD	2,066	7,643	9,709
DEERHILL	3,006	9,135	12,141
MIDDLE	2,139	6,389	8,528
HIGH	4,504	7,490	11,994

Transportation

A review of transportation is ongoing as our ridership has increased. Our old "blue bird bus" has been permanently retired as it is no longer repairable. We are working with the Town to surplus the "blue bird' along with the 'minibus" which has been out of commission for many years. We are making a request through capital to replace the blue bird bus for next year.

Also, I was able to speak with someone from EnelX and have been assured that even though the division that started the electric bus project with us has gone bankrupt, another division of EnelX based out of California has taken over the project and will continue to support us and take over the contract.

Conclusion

At this point in the school year, there are concerns in the areas of utilities, tuitions, transportation and salaries. The FY25 Budget has been frozen and no further expenses will be incurred without the Superintendent's approval.

If you have specific questions, please contact me prior to the meeting so that I can be prepared to fully answer your questions/concerns (781) 383-0611.