

**NOTICE OF AMOUNTS ADOPTED AT BUDGET MEETING  
REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT NO. 5  
INFORMATION FOR VOTERS AT BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM**

TO: Municipal Clerks of the Towns of Durham, Freeport, and Pownal, State of Maine

In the name of the State of Maine and pursuant to 20-A M.R.S. § 1486(2) you are hereby directed to display this Notice of Amounts Adopted at Budget Meeting at the polling places within your respective municipalities to assist the voters of Regional School Unit No. 5 (the "Regional School Unit") in voting at the budget validation referendum to be held on June 9, 2026, for the purpose of determining if the Regional School Unit budget for the 2026-2027 fiscal year that was adopted at the Regional School Unit budget meeting on May 13, 2026, should be approved.

<b>Cost Center Summary Budget Category</b>	<b>Amount Recommended by School Board</b>	<b>Amount Approved by Voters at Budget Meeting<sup>1</sup></b>
Regular Instruction	\$ 20,129,173	\$
Special Education	\$ 7,510,422	\$
Career and Technical Education	\$ 337,282	\$
Other Instruction	\$ 1,172,539	\$
Student and Staff Support	\$ 4,906,366	\$
System Administration	\$ 1,308,008	\$
School Administration	\$ 2,638,024	\$
Transportation and Buses	\$ 2,388,457	\$
Facilities Maintenance	\$ 5,993,777	\$
Debt Service and Other Commitments	\$ 1,071,577	\$
All Other Expenditures	\$ 69,795	\$
<b>Summary of Total Authorized General Fund Expenditures:</b>	<b>\$ 47,525,420</b>	<b>\$</b>

<sup>1</sup>Amounts to be completed by Superintendent of Schools under authority of the School Board.

The amount approved at the Regional School Unit budget meeting includes locally raised funds that exceed the maximum state and local spending target pursuant to 20-A M.R.S. § 5671-A(5).

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*Don Kenton*  
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*Karen B.*  
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*Stephanie Wirth*  
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*Edna Chan*  
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*Ann Hill*  
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*James*  
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*Michael*  
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*Louis Kelly Chesley*  
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A majority of the School Board of Regional School Unit No. 5

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2026

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Thomas Gray, Superintendent of Schools  
Regional School Unit No. 5