June Chang
Superintendent of Schools

Louis J. Pepe, RSBA, SFO
Assistant Superintendent/CFO



2020-2021Annual Budget

Maintaining Quality Programming

Key impacts on the budget:

- Staffing Needs for Comprehensive Program Offerings
- Maintaining Competitive Salaries
- Cost of Health Benefits
- Maintaining Operational Efficiency
- Increase in Mental Health Services for Students
- Multi-year planning for sustainability of quality program and expansion of SEL services for all students



AT THE HEART OF OUR PROGRAMMING



Well-Rounded Academic Experience

Opportunities & Expansion of Programs

STEAM

Teaching Practices & Effective Curriculum

Social Emotional Learning

Well Rounded Student Balanced



Fine Performing Arts















Teaching Practices and Curriculum



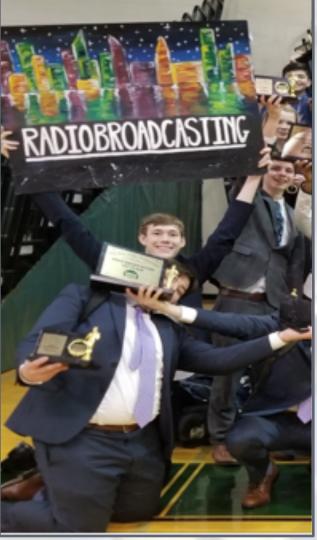
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- STEAM labs in some elementary schools (looking to expand as part of 5-year plan)
- Coding and Robotics K-12
- Middle School STEAM classes as cycle options
- Revised high school to increase STEAM integration in all content areas

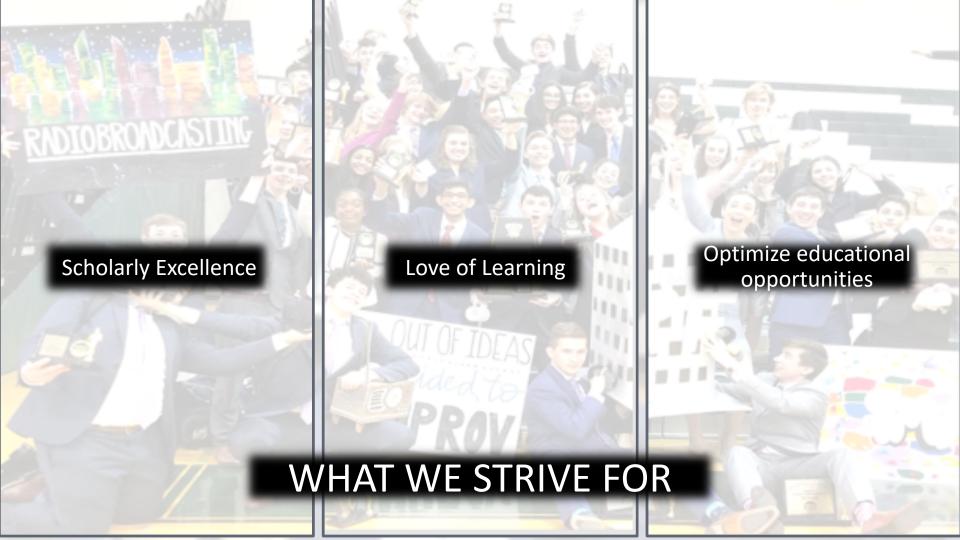


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Highly detailed and up-to-date descriptions of more than 50 of the most academically demanding colleges in America



Accounts of campus life written by recent graduates

Advice on admission requirements and financial aid

College comparison charts to help applicant assess admission chances

26% increase

in acceptance into Barron's Most Competitive Colleges

2017: **118** to 2019: **149**

46% increase

in attendance to Barron's Most Competitive Colleges

2014: **71** to 2019: **104**

OUR COMMITMENT

- ✓ Keeping the integrity
- ✓ Maintaining the excellence
- ✓ Sustaining outcomes



Increased digital learning environment

Currently over 3,000 1:1 device ratio



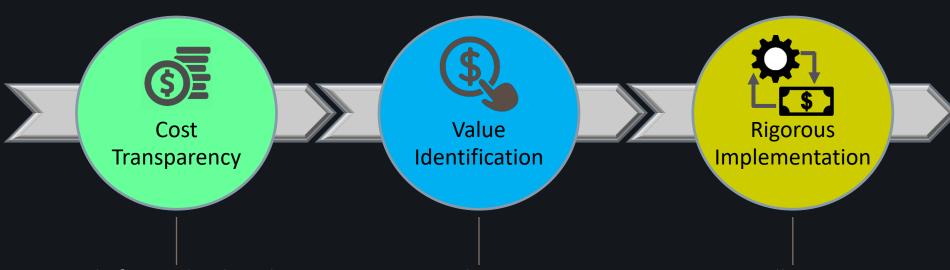
Technology Comparative Spending



Zero Based Budgeting

continuing to challenge cost positions

District-wide Priorities

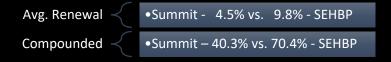


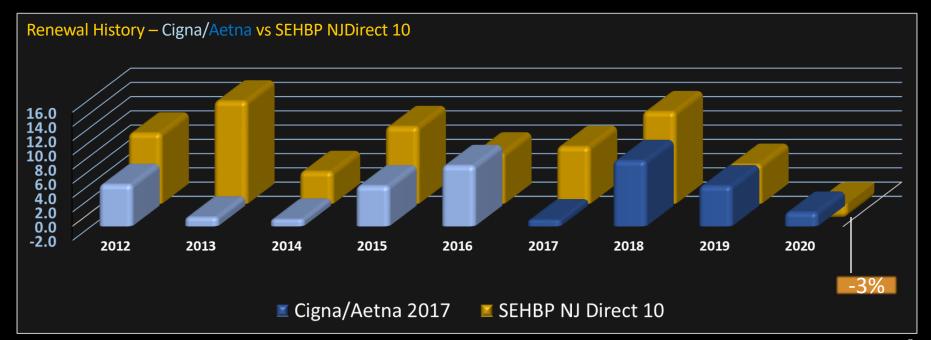
Needs-focused rather than department or program perspective

Cross Curriculum perspective to ensure value add in addressing student needs

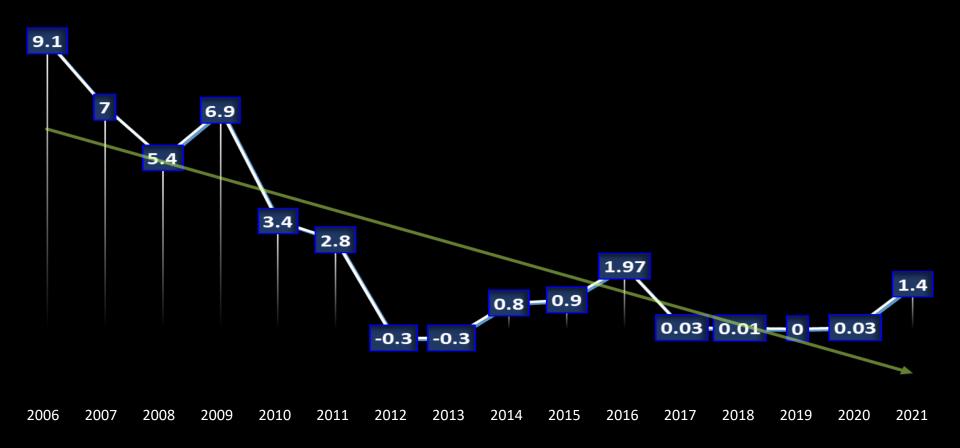
Strict adherence to Focus Areas and Board Goals

Managing Healthcare Costs





EXPENDITURES ANALYSIS TREND LINE



THE COST OF EDUCATION IN SUMMIT





\$13.1M 19.1%

\$6.1M 8.9%

SPECIAL ED – RESOURCE ROOM

\$3.8M 5.6% \$3.4M 4.9%

MAINTENANCE OF PLANT SERVICES FUND 12 CAPITAL OUTLAY

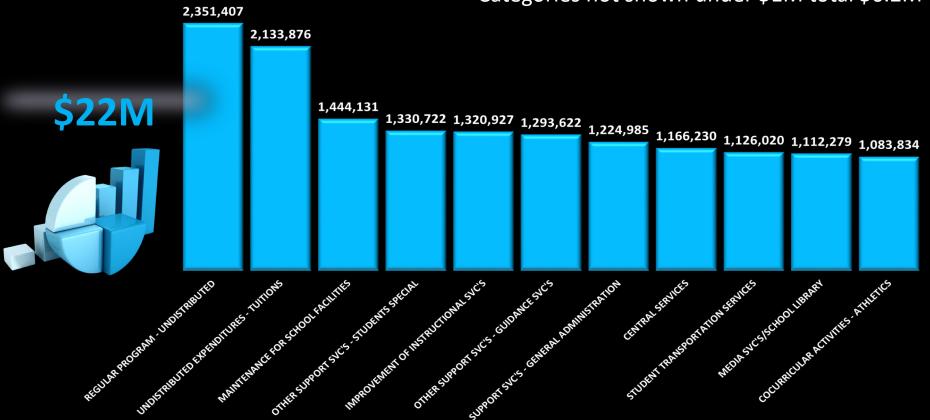
\$3.0M - 4.5%

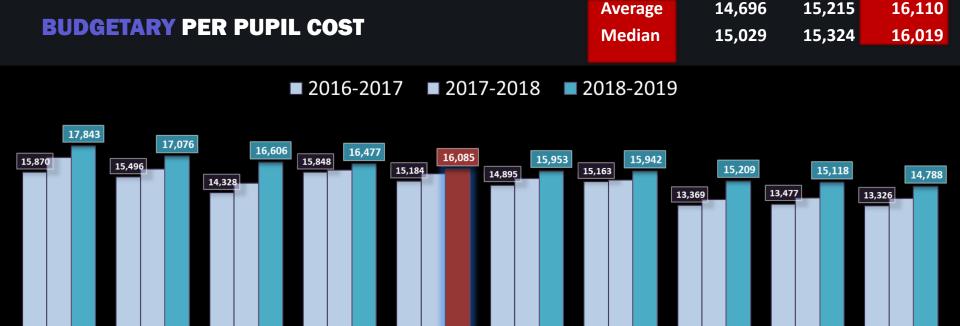
SUPPORT SVC'S – SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

PERSONAL SERVICES

Remaining 25% - categories under \$2.4M

Categories not shown under \$1M total \$6.2M





15,386

Ridgewood Village

15,261

Madison Boro

15,759

Summit City

16,974

Berkeley Heights

Twp

16,092

Millburn Twp

15,034

Bernards Twp

16,004

Livingston Twp

Taxpayers' Guide to Education Spending 2019

13,803

Westfield Town

2016-2017 2017-2018 2018-2019

13,930

Scotch Plains-

Fanwood Reg

13,903

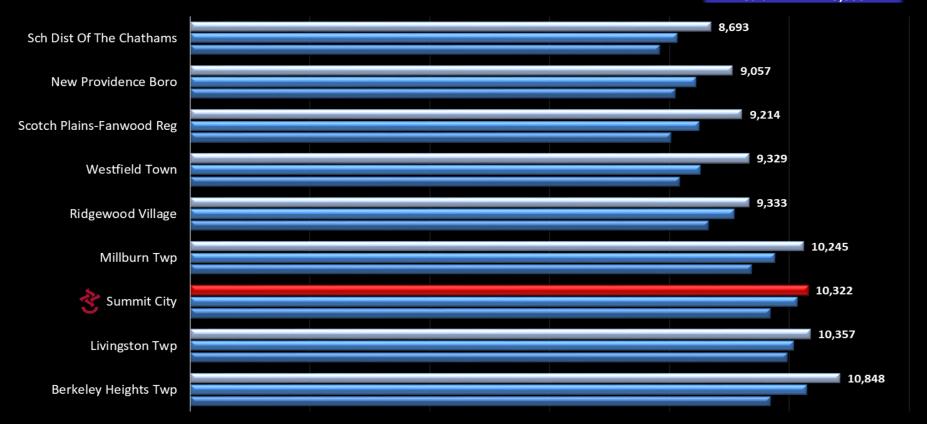
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CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION PER PUPIL COST

2018-2019

2018-2019 Average 9,711 Median 9,333

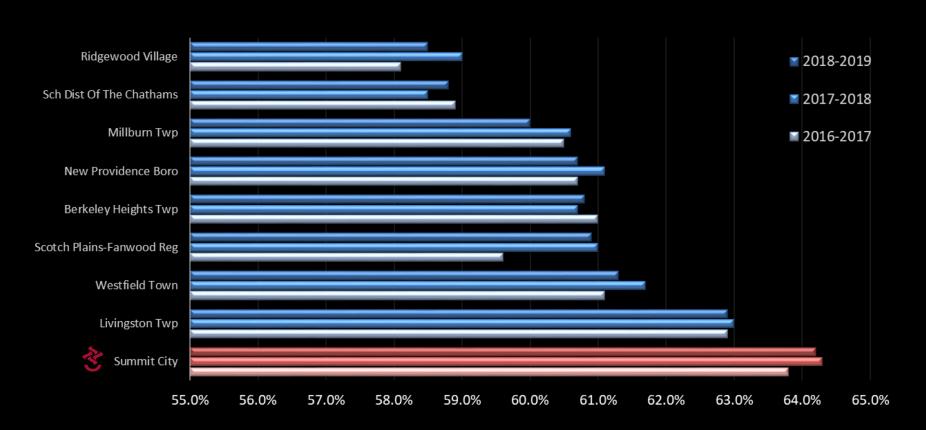


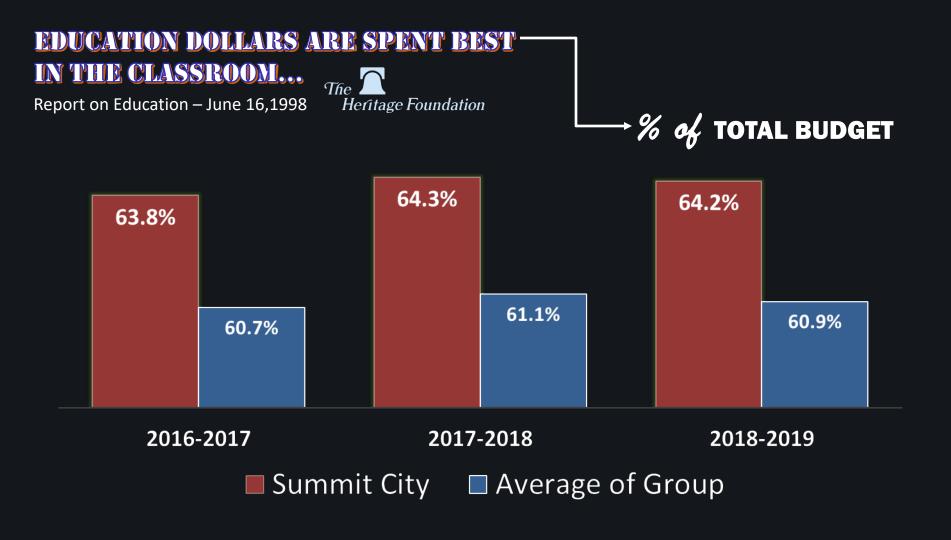
2017-2018

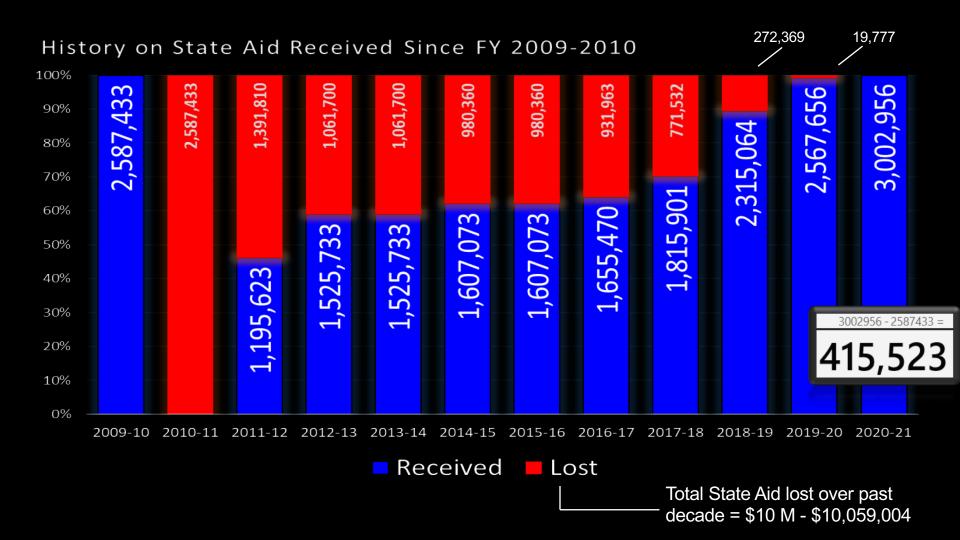
2016-2017

CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION PER PUPIL COST





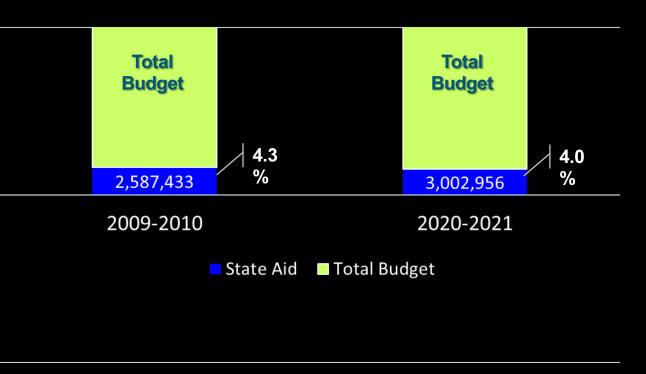






Flat or Reduced State Aid equates to a smaller % of the budget

State Aid as a % of Total Budget



2% Tax Levy Cap as defined by P.L. 207, c.62 (A-1)



Prepare a budget within CAP

Maintain Quality Programs

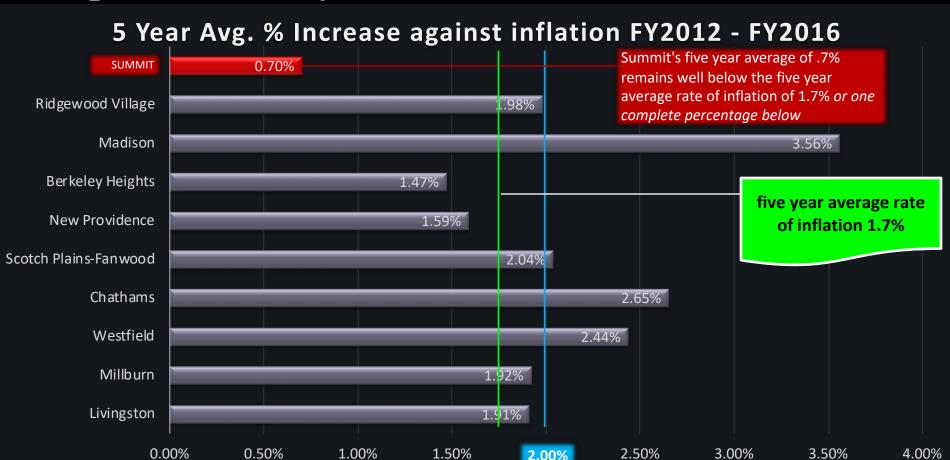
Provide continued Tax Stability

BUDGET INCREASE

1.83%

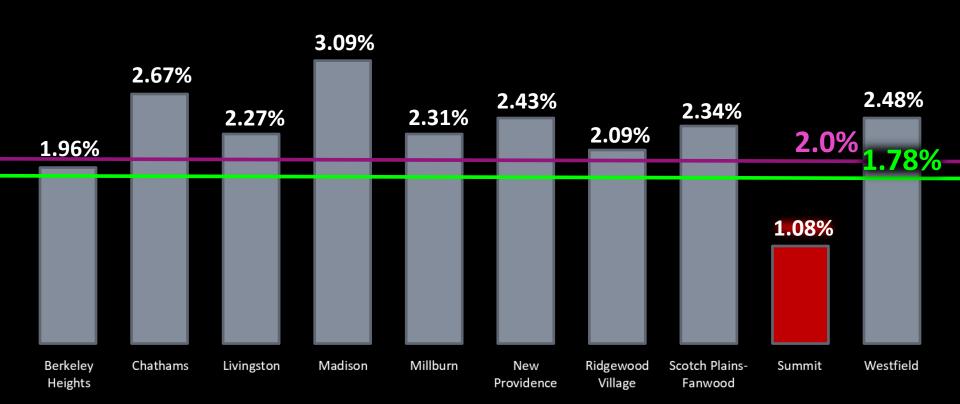
\$109,595 Under CAP

Comparative Analysis

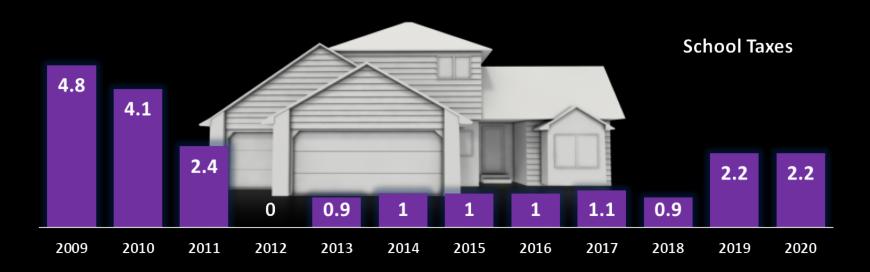








Delivering quality educational programming with measurable results; while keeping property taxes stable and home values strong





Questions ?

NOTE: TENTATIVE BUDGET Subject to change

BOSE Budget Hearing – March 30th – 7:00 PM

Summit City Hall 512 Springfield Avenue