

POLICY

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Since by far the largest portion of the local tax dollar is expended for public education, it is the policy of the Board that this Board, school officials, and municipal officials maintain a close and harmonious association within their respective areas of authority. Such liaison is requisite for dealing with school/community matters and problems in the most satisfactory manner and assuring the most prudent expenditure of tax dollars.

The Board recognizes that its authority arises directly from the State, but it also is aware that the municipality has the authority to review defeated budgets to determine whether a thorough and efficient educational system can be operated within a lesser amount than that proposed by the Board.

The Board will attempt to meet with the municipal governing Board to review the budget before the public hearing. The Board will appoint a liaison representative to attend meetings of the municipal governing body when possible and will invite liaison representatives from the municipal governing body to attend all public meetings of the Board.

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