Board Member Presentation September DAC meeting

September 16, 2020

Goals

- Introduce myself
- Impending LPS financial crisis & the mill levy override
 - Slides from the August 13 Board meeting: item 9.2
 - https://go.boarddocs.com/co/lpsco/Board.nsf/Public
- School boundaries
 - Pictures from LPS website: https://littletonpublicschools.net/boundary-study
- Re-opening
- Other

Updated 2020-2021 Financial Projections with COVID-19 Costs

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PERA Increase	500,000
Salary Increase	0
Budget Reductions	(4,222,966) *ongoing
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Reduce Transfer to Risk Management	(600,000) *one-time
Reduce Coronavirus Relief Fund Expenditures	(6,600,000) *one-time
COVID-19 Expenditures	3,500,000
Total Budgeted Expenditures	161,220,022
Net Change in Fund Balance	(4,489,297)
Ending Fund Balance	\$15,677,812

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Unassigned Fiscal Stability	(\$78,272)
Unassigned Board Policy	7,400,906
Restricted TABOR	4,440,544
Assigned Budget Carryover	3,439,346
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Budget Stabilization Factor: Impact to LPS

Year	Impact
2009–2010 (Year 1: mid-year cut)	\$ (2,410,957)
2010–2011 (Year 2: state budget stabilization factor)	(10,949,491)
2011–2012 (Year 3: negative factor)	(13,829,263)
2012–2013 (Year 4: negative factor)	(17,791,090)
2013–2014 (Year 5: negative factor)	(17,343,058)
2014–2015 (Year 6: negative factor)	(14,917,613)
2015–2016 (Year 7: negative factor)	(13,965,917)
2016–2017 (Year 8: negative factor)	(13,703,273)
2017–2018 (Year 9: negative factor)	(13,548,124)
2018–2019 (Year 10: budget stabilization factor)	(10,886,553)
2019–2020 (Year 11: budget stabilization factor)	(9,112,586)
2020–2021 (Year 12: budget stabilization factor-projected)	(18,511,691)
Total Lost Revenue 2009–2021	\$ (156,969,617)
Statewide total impact to education 2009–2021	\$ (9,313,576,848)

2020–2021 Budget Reductions

Potential Savings Measure	Estimated Savings
Department staffing reductions	
Retirements	842,036
Eliminations	706,196
Current vacant positions (not planning to fill)	178,573
Staffing reduction 0.5 FTE (secondary) and 0.25 FTE (elementary)	658,125
One-day reduction year-round classified staff	22,366
Two-day reduction year-round administrative staff	133,302
One-day reduction other administrative staff	27,321
One-day reduction certified staff	352,976
Reduction of transfer to Capital Projects/Risk Management Fund	750,000
Nutrition Services payment for overhead	100,000
Increase SACC overhead from 4% to 7%	134,448
Reduction of transfer to Athletic and Activities Fund	250,000
Drivers Ed increase contribution to General Fund	50,000
Eliminate Energy Manager software	11,323
Eliminate Skyview software	6,300
TOTAL \$	6 4,222,966
Facility rental fees (estimated; therefore not included in total)	130,000

2021–2022 Uncertainties

- □ Actual 2020–2021 end of year results.
- □ Actual October 1st enrollment.
- □ Additional state funding reductions.
- □ Additional COVID-19 costs.
- □ Employee compensation.
- □ Health insurance rate increases.
- □ Availability of fund balance to help balance the budget.

2021–2022 Financial Projections

	1% PPR Increase No Change to	1% PPR Increase \$5M Increase to
	BS Factor	BS Factor
Beginning Fund Balance	\$15,677,812	\$15,677,812
Revenues Before School Finance Act	156, 730, 725	156,730,725
SFA Increase	1,131,169	1,131,169
Budget Stabilization Reduction	0_	(5,000,000)
Total Budgeted Revenue	157,861,894	152,861,894
Expenditures Before Increases (Reductions)	170,142,988	170, 142, 988
Health Insurance Increase	1,331,044	1,331,044
2020-2021 Budget Reductions	(4,222,966)	(4,222,966)
Total Budgeted Expenditures	167,251,066	167,251,066
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Net Change in Fund Balance = Reductions Needed	(9,389,173)	(14,389,173)
	(120 staff positions)	(184 staff positions)
Ending Fund Balance	\$6,288,639	\$1,288,639
Composition of Fund Balance:		
Unassigned Fiscal Stability	(\$6,028,099)	(\$11,028,099)
Unassigned Board Policy	7,400,906	7,400,906
Restricted TABOR	4, 440, 544	4,440,544
Non-Spendable Inventory	475,288	475,288
Total Fund Balance	\$6,288,639	\$1,288,639

2021–2022 Budget Balancing Solutions

Program Reduction Possibilities

- Increase class size by changing the staffing formula by 5% or a reduction of 30 FTEs ≈ \$2.9M
- □ Eliminate the Options program \approx \$2.8M
- □ Reduce 1 FTE at each school for specials/electives \approx \$2M
- □ Eliminate district subsidy and increase fees for athletics and activities ≈ \$1.6M
- □ Eliminate Village preschool programs \approx \$1.4M
- □ Eliminate Phoenix, Voyager, and NEXT programs ≈ \$1.3M
- □ Eliminate Career Tech programs ≈ \$550,000

2021–2022 Budget Balancing Solutions

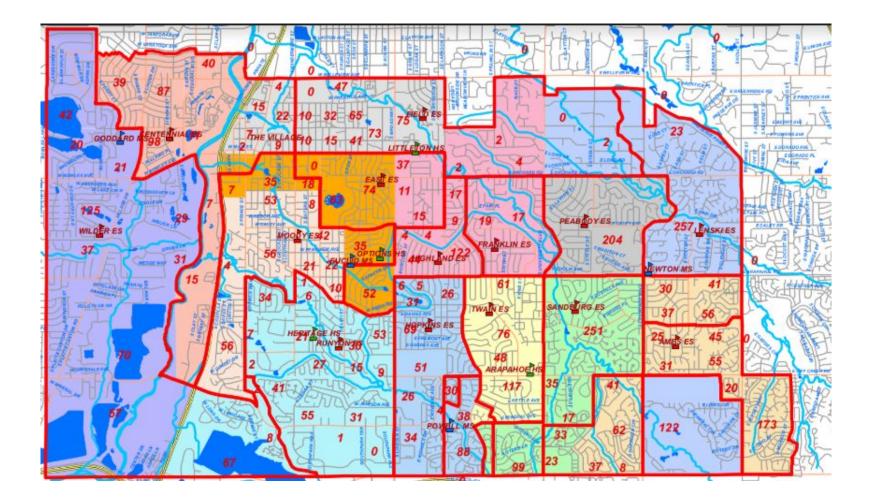
Support Services Reduction Possibilities

- □ Reduce transportation services by $50\% \approx $3.1M$
- □ Reduce teacher support and instructional coaches \approx \$2.8M
- ☐ Reduce safety, security, and social and emotional services by 50% ≈ \$1M

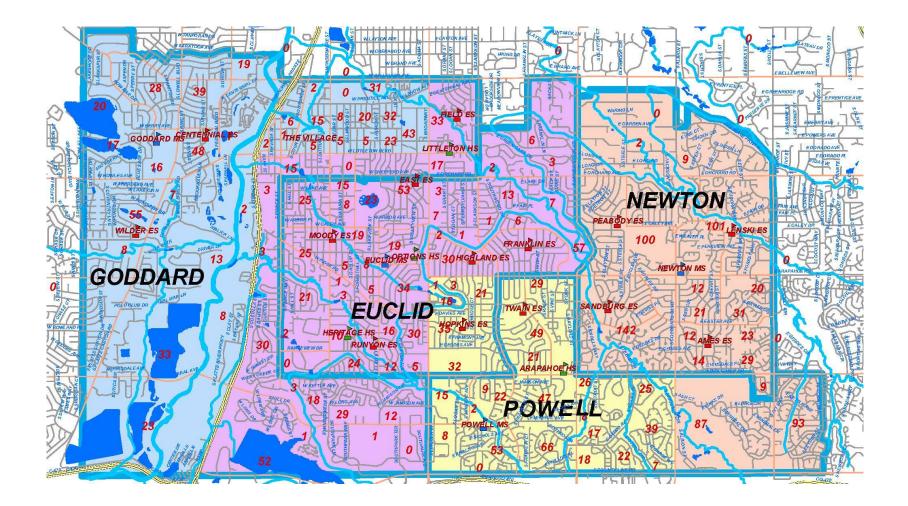
Employee Compensation Reduction Possibilities

- □ Reduce 10 instructional days (employee working days) ≈ \$6M
- □ Further reduce all employee pay by $2\% \approx $2.2M$

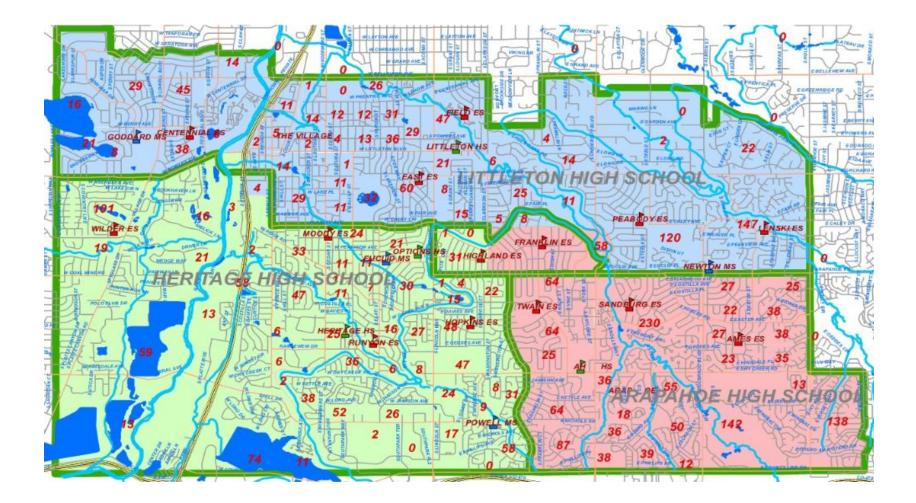
Elementary: Colors are New Boundary



Middle School: Colors are New Boundary



High School: Colors are New Boundary



Re-Opening

- In-Person for Elementary: Secondary Hybrid
- On-going quarantines due to community spread
 - This was expected
- So far, no cases of transmission at school
 - Masks work
- Challenges:
 - TOPS staffing
 - TOPS: new software
 - Secondary teachers are overloaded



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