MACS 2022-2023 BUDGET DEVELOPMENT CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 18, 2021

OCTOBER 2021

- Closed out 2020-2021 fiscal year
 - Finalized Audit and Financial Statements ~ BOE Approved October 14th
 - ~ Filed with NYSED on October 15th
 - Finalized & Submitted ST-3 reporting
- Board of Education Review and Adoption of:
 - Budget Calendar (Legal Dates)
 - ~ BOE Approved October 14th
 - Long Range Planning Discussions

NOVEMBER 2021

- Distribute budget guidelines to Principals and Supervisors of major budget areas
 - Initial meetings to discuss process and goals
- Review of current year budget and current status
- Begin expense forecasting with known variables
 - All contracts
 - Major benefit area trends
 - Other major district expense area trends

DECEMBER 2021

- Discuss status of known parameters with Board of Education
- Meet with each budget contributor to discuss questions and requests
- Meet with Approved Budget Committee
- Discuss & Draft Budget Survey
- Continue expense forecasting with known variables
- Revenue and State Aid forecasting

JANUARY 2022

- Budget contributors submit initial first round requests/drafts (end of December/early January)
- Release Budget Survey (December/January)
- Begin Tax Cap Planning & Projections
- Review Governor's Executive Budget Proposal (EBP)
- Continue Revenue & Expense Forecasting & Current Year Analysis
- Present preliminary budget assumptions and forecast
 - To Board of Education
 - To Administrators and Supervisors

FEBRUARY 2022

Submit First Draft Budget to Board of Education including:

~ Instruction

~ Special Education

~ Employee Benefits

~ General Support

~ Operations & Maintenance

~ Transportation

~ Debt Service

Review Budget Survey Results (January/February)

MARCH 2022

- Continue refining and adjusting budget based on goals, assumptions, forecasts & current year results
- Resubmit budget to Board of Education for review based on updated information and parameters
- Continue meeting with budget contributors as necessary
- Capital Reserves Discussion

APRIL 2022

- Board of Education presented with final budget for approval
- Finalize Creation of Reserves (as needed)
- Finalize Propositions
- Legal Notices
- Property Tax Report Card
- Communication to Staff regarding approved budget status

MAY 2022

- Communication with Community
 - Budget Newsletter
 - Budget Information Sessions
- Budget Hearing
- Budget Notices
- Budget Vote May 17th

