2019-20 Budget Presentation

Akron Central School District May 2019



ACS Mission

The mission of the Akron Central School district, a learning-centered community dedicated to our students, is to ensure that each student realizes his or her unique potential and contributes positively to society.

Superintendent Shanley Presents New Items included in 2019-20 Budget:

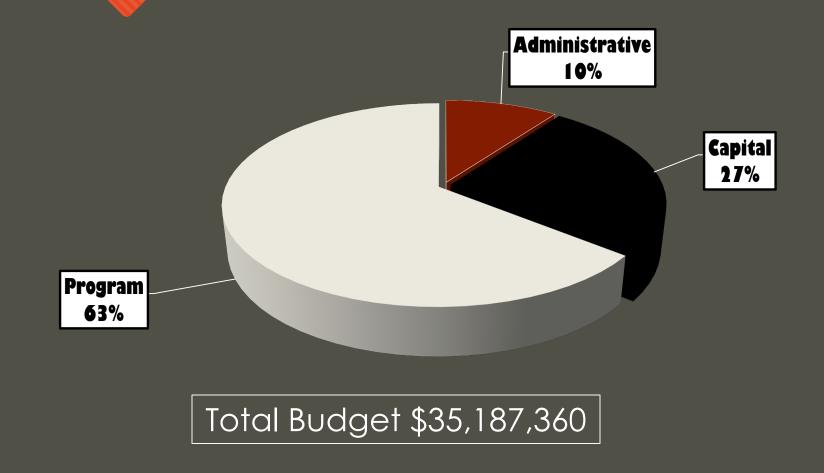
- .3875 FTE Teacher Assistant Elementary AIS
 .525 FTE Occupational Therapy services
- Maintenance Truck with plow
 - Textbook needs greater than categorical aid
 - Harkness tuition increased student enrollment
 - Furniture needs not included in building project
 - \$2,600,000 of Capital Reserve to be transferred to the Capital Fund to pay the local portion of building project

The bottom line

Adopted 2018-19 Budget Proposed 2019-20 Budget Budget Change Percent Change \$ 31,613,103 <u>\$ 35,187,360</u> \$ 3,574,257 11.31%

\$2,600,000 of the increase represents a transfer from the Capital Reserve to the Capital Fund (8.22% of the total percent change)

Three Part Budget Summary



Detail of Expenditures

| Administrative Component | 2018-19 Adopted Budget | 2019-20 Proposed Budget |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Board of Education & District Clerk | \$19,000 | \$24,624 |
| Central Office & District Services | \$1,315,374 | \$1,348,526 |
| Legal & Personnel | \$111,000 | \$149,000 |
| Instructional Administration | \$1,115,907 | \$1,230,645 |
| Employee Benefits | <u>\$769,748</u> | <u>\$738,433</u> |
| TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE | \$3,331,029 | \$3,491,228 |

Detail of Expenditures

| Program Component | 2018-19 Adopted Budget | 2019-20 Proposed Budget |
|--|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Instruction | \$ 9,882,275 | \$10,360,180 |
| Exceptional Education | \$ 4,663,544 | \$ 4,880,485 |
| Co-Curricular & Interscholastic Athletics | \$ 619,018 | \$ 642,398 |
| Transportation | \$ 1,131,494 | \$ 1,215,275 |
| Employee Benefits | <u>\$ 5,249,568</u> | <u>\$ 5,104,365</u> |
| TOTAL PROGRAM | \$ 21,545,899 | \$ 22,202,703 |

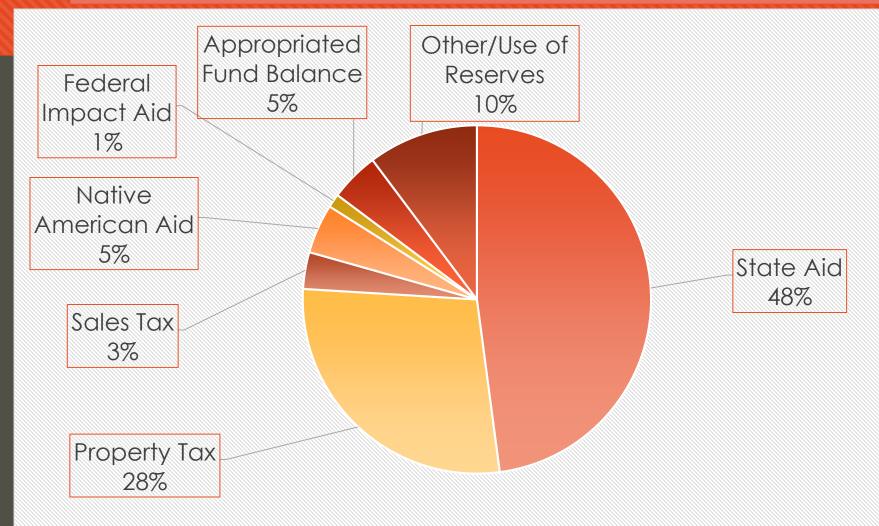
Detail of Expenditures

| Capital Component | 2018-19 Adopted Budget | 2019-20 Proposed Budget |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Operations & Maintenance | \$ 2,099,779 | \$ 2,222,802 |
| Bond Principal & Interest | \$ 4,140,613 | \$ 4,179,582 |
| Transfer to Capital Fund (Reserve) | \$ - | \$ 2,600,000 |
| Employee Benefits | <u>\$ 495,783</u> | <u>\$ 491,045</u> |
| TOTAL CAPITAL | \$ 6,736,175 | \$ 9,493,429 |

Expenditures: Comparison with Prior Year

| Component | 2018-19 Adopted Budget | 2019-20 Proposed Budget | Dollar Increase (Decrease) |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Administrative | \$3,331,029 | \$3,491,228 | \$160,199 |
| Program | \$21,545,899 | \$22,202,703 | \$656,804 |
| Capital | <u>\$ 6,736,175</u> | <u>\$ 9,493,429</u> | <u>\$2,757,254</u> |
| Total Budget | \$31,613,103 | \$35,187,360 | \$ 3,574,257 |

Anticipated Revenue



Revenue Comparison with Prior Year

| Revenues | 2018-19 Adopted Budget | 2019-20 Proposed Budget | Dollar Increase (Decrease) |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| State Aid | \$16,632,525 | \$16,856,241 | \$ 223,716 |
| Property Tax | \$ 9,779,800 | \$ 9,875,144 | \$ 95,344 |
| Sales Tax | \$ 1,200,000 | \$ 1,200,000 | - |
| Native American Aid | \$ 1,554,000 | \$ 1,612,467 | \$ 58,467 |
| Other | \$ 410,560 | \$ 589,500 | \$ 178,940 |
| Federal Impact Aid | \$ 386,218 | \$ 444,864 | \$ 58,646 |
| Appropriated Fund Balance | \$ 1,600,000 | \$ 1,600,000 | - |
| Use of Reserves | <u>\$ 50,000</u> | \$3,009,144 | <u>\$ 2,959,144</u> |
| TOTAL REVENUE | \$31,613,103 | \$35,187,360 | \$ 3,574,257 |

State Aid Details

| <u>Category</u> | <u>2018-19</u> | <u>2019-20</u> |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Foundation Aid | \$10,023,227 | \$ 10,243,531 |
| BOCES Aid | \$ 950,000 | \$ 1,073,586 |
| Excess Cost Aid | \$ 597,165 | \$ 594,304 |
| Building Aid | \$ 3,728,054 | \$ 3,577,953 |
| Transportation Aid | \$ 1,194,827 | \$ 1,232,471 |
| Computer Hardware Aid | \$ 24,628 | \$ 24,349 |
| Library/Software/Textbook Aid | <u>\$ 114,624</u> | <u>\$ 110,047</u> |
| Total State Aid | \$16,632,525 | \$16,856,241 |

Historical Tax Levy Increases

Tax Cap %

| 2019-20 | .97% | 1.94% |
|---------|------|-------|
| 2018-19 | .93% | 1.39% |
| 2017-18 | .99% | 1.01% |
| 2016-17 | .73% | .77% |
| 2015-16 | .95% | 2.26% |

<u>Tax Levy %</u>

Use of Reserves

| "Usable" Fund Balance/Reserves | Anticipated Balance Available | Amount to Budget for 2019-20 | Balance to Carry Forward |
|---|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Debt Service Reserve – no longer part of general fund | \$ 1,472,693 | \$ 343,890 | \$ 1,128,803 |
| Employee Retirement Reserve | \$ 4,109,038 | \$ 65,254 | \$4,043,784 |
| Teacher Retirement Reserve | \$ - | Ş - | \$ - |

Fund Balance – Not available to "Use"

Employee Benefit Reserve - \$1,183,263

Can only be used if audited by the NYS Comptroller's Office and found to be over-funded

Worker's Compensation – \$510,933

Can only be used to fund worker's compensation claims that exceed coverage amounts

Capital – \$3,684,232 – (USING \$2,600,000 IN 2019-20)

To be used to fund costs needed to maintain our facilities and/or to offset the local cost for an asset preservation project in the district.



Taxable Assessments become final from our 7 Town Assessors in July Equalization Rates become available from NYS ORPS in late July

Projected Tax Rates

| Town | 2018-19 Final Rates | 2019-20 Projected Rate | Change |
|----------|------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| Newstead | 16.10 | 16.32 | \$.22 |
| Clarence | 14.33 | 13.88 | (\$.45) |
| Alden | 15.25 | 15.77 | \$.52 |
| Royalton | 18.97 | 18.54 | (\$.43) |
| Lockport | 16.51 | 15.94 | (\$.57) |
| Alabama | 17.94 | 15.94 | (\$2.00) |
| Pembroke | 16.67 | 16.27 | (\$.40) |
| | Tax Levy - S | \$9,875,144 | |

Contingent Budget

If the budget is defeated, the Board of Education would be required to remove \$204,650 of contingent equipment expenditures from the budget.....

| Proposed Tax Levy | \$ | 9,875,144 |
|---------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Contingent Tax Levy | <u>\$</u> | <u>9,779,800</u> |
| Difference | \$ | 95,344 |

....and would finalize decisions regarding the removal of \$154,082 in additional non-contingent items if required in late May.

Under a contingent budget the district is required to charge for use of their facilities.

Annual Budget Vote and Board Member Election

Tuesday, May 21, 2019 Polls Open 12:00pm – 9:00pm High School Orange Gymnasium (Gym 3)

> Proposition No. 1 2019-20 Budget

Proposition No. 2

Purchase of buses -\$415,000 (Vote previously held in December) 3 Board Member Seats Open <u>Candidates:</u> Jody Brege Deborah Forrestel Michael Winter Heather Cayea David Penn

Voter Qualifications

• A citizen of the United States

• Eighteen years of age or older

 A resident within the Akron Central School District for a period of thirty days (including the Tonawanda Indian Reservation)

Questions

