# **Part VI** Dresden School District

# **Dresden School District Officers**

School Board	Term Expires
Linda Addante	
Kari Asmus	2013
Carey Callaghan	
Robin Carpenter	
John Chamberlin	2012
Kevin Cotter	
Anne Day (non-voting member)	
Erika Finlayson	2011
Neil Odell	2012
Gordon Spaeth	
Geoffrey Vitt	2011
Steve Woods	2011

# **District Officers**

Thomas C. Csatari, Moderator	.2011
Deborah M. Carter, Clerk	.2011
Cheryl Lindberg, Treasurer	.2011
Mark Belliveau, Auditor	.2011
Priscilla Vincent, Auditor	.2012
One auditor vacancy	

# Administration

Superintendent of Schools
Assistant Superintendent for Business
Assistant Superintendent for Student Services
Principal, Hanover High School
Dean of Students, Hanover High School
Principal, Frances C. Richmond Middle School
ate Principal, Frances C. Richmond Middle School



#### Warrant for Annual Meeting of the Dresden School District

Hanover, New Hampshire • Norwich, Vermont

Note: The following warrant articles apply to the operation of the Dresden School District, which includes the operation of the Frances C. Richmond School and Hanover High School, grades 7-12, and sixth grade students from Hanover who are tuitioned to the Frances C. Richmond School by the Hanover School District.

The legal voters of the Norwich (Vermont) Town School District and the legal voters of the Hanover (New Hampshire) School District are hereby notified and warned that the two phases of the Annual School District Meeting will be held as follows:

Discussion Phase:	Thursday, February 24, 2011, at 7:00 P.M., at the Hanover High School Auditorium, Hanover, New Hampshire
Voting Phase:	Tuesday, March 1, 2011, from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. in the Hanover High School Gymnasium in Hanover, New Hampshire (for Hanover voters) and in Tracy Hall in Norwich, Vermont (for Norwich voters)

During the discussion phase, the voters shall have the opportunity to discuss the following Warrant Articles and to transact any non-substantive business that may legally be acted on during the discussion phase under Article 6.

All voting on Warrant Articles 1 through 5 shall be conducted by secret written ballot during the voting phase, as provided in the Dresden School District Procedures for Australian Ballot.

Article 1: To elect by written ballot for one-year terms a Moderator, a Clerk, a Treasurer; an auditor for a two-year term, and an auditor for a three-year term.

Article 2: Shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to establish a contingency fund to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year?

- Article 3: Shall the District determine and fix the salaries of School District officers as follows: School Board members \$700 per member; School District Treasurer \$2,270; School District Clerk \$200; and School District Moderator \$200 in accordance with Article V-A of the NH/VT Interstate School Compact, and further raise and appropriate the amount of Eleven Thousand Seventy Dollars (\$11,070) to fund these salaries?
- Article 4: Shall the District vote to approve the cost items in the two (2) year collective bargaining agreement reached between Dresden School Board and the Hanover Support Staff, NEA-NH, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

	Estimated Increase		
Year	Over status-quo budget		
2011-2012	\$ 16,600		
2012-2013	\$ 37,860		

and further, shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Thousand Six-Hundred Dollars (\$16.600), such sum representing the estimated increase in support staff employee salaries and benefits for the 2011-2012 fiscal year brought about by this collective bargaining agreement?

Note 1: The sum necessary to pay the so-called status-quo salaries and benefits for support staff employees if this article is defeated is included in the operating budget in Article 5.

Note 2: A favorable vote on this article shall be considered the approval of the cost items in both years of the proposed collective bargaining agreement.

Note 3: Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding the cost of living increases, will con-

tinue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed.

- Article 5: Shall the District raise and appropriate the amount of Twenty-Two Million, Four Hundred Seventy-Three Thousand and Fifty-Four Dollars (\$22,473,054) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the teachers and other school employees, school district officials, and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District for the 2011-2012 fiscal year? This sum does not include the sums appropriated in any of the other articles.
- Article 6: To transact any non-substantive business that may legally come before the discussion phase of this meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the District this 31st day of January 2011.

Linda Addante, Vice Chair; Kari Asmus, Chair; Carey Callaghan; Robin Carpenter; John Chamberlin; Kevin Cotter; Erika Finlayson; Neil Odell; Gordon Spaeth; Geoffrey J. Vitt; Steve Woods

> Dresden School Board Dresden School District Deborah M. Carter, Clerk

### **2011 Dresden District Warning Article Descriptions**

**ARTICLE 1:** To elect by written ballot for one-year terms a Moderator, a Clerk, a Treasurer; an auditor for a two-year term, and an auditor for a three-year term.

The positions noted above are voted upon annually. Information on each position is available in the Superintendent's Office.

**ARTICLE 2:** Shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to establish a contingency fund to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year?

A contingency fund can be used to cover unanticipated expenses in any part of the budget. If the funds are not used in a given year, they are not allowed to accumulate. Instead they are used to lessen the next year's tax burden. The contingency fund was not used in the 2010-11 fiscal year.

ARTICLE 3: Shall the District determine and fix the salaries of School District officers as follows: School Board members \$700 per member; School District Treasurer \$2,270; School District Clerk \$200; and School District Moderator \$200 in accordance with Article V-A of the NH/VT Interstate School Compact, and further raise and appropriate the amount of Eleven Thousand Seventy Dollars (\$11,070) to fund these salaries?

These salaries are unchanged.

**ARTICLE 4:** Shall the District vote to approve the cost items in the two (2) year collective bargaining agreement reached between Dresden School Board and the Hanover Support Staff, NEA-NH, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

	Estimated Increase			
Year	Over status-quo budget			
2011-2012	\$ 16,600			
2012-2013	\$ 37,860			

and further, shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Thousand, Six Hundred Dollars (\$16,600), such sum representing the estimated increase in support staff employee salaries and benefits for the 2011-2012 fiscal year brought about by this collective bargaining agreement?

NOTE 1: The sum necessary to pay the so-called status-quo salaries and benefits for

support staff employees if this article is defeated is included in the operating budget in Article 5.

**NOTE 2:** A favorable vote on this article shall be considered the approval of the cost items in both years of the proposed collective bargaining agreement.

**NOTE 3:** Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding the cost of living increases, will continue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed.

The Board and the Dresden and Hanover Service Employees reached agreement on a three-year agreement. This article provides the funds needed to implement this new agreement, which will advance support staff employees on their steps for 2011-12 with no change to the pay scale for current employees. For 2012-13 and 2013-14 the pay scale will increase by 0% to 2.5% based on the cost of living. For 2012-13 employees who substitute will experience a modest increase in daily pay. These funds and the agreement cover the support staff at the Richmond Middle School and Hanover High School.

**ARTICLE 5:** Shall the District raise and appropriate the amount of Twenty-Two Million, Four Hundred Seventy-Three Thousand and Fifty-Four Dollars (\$22,473,054) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the teachers and other school employees, school district officials, and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District for the 2011-2012 fiscal year? This sum does not include the sums appropriated in any of the other articles.

This article indicates the cost independent of the costs associated with Article 2 through 4.

**ARTICLE 6:** To transact any non-substantive business that may legally come before the discussion phase of this meeting.



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#### Minutes of the Dresden School District Annual Meeting Hanover High School Auditorium February 25 and March 2, 2010

Moderator Thomas Csatari called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. on Thursday, February 25, 2010. Present were School Board members Linda Addante, Kari Asmus, Carey Callaghan, Anne Day, Robin Carpenter, John Chamberlin, Kevin Cotter, Erika Finlayson, Neil Odell, Gordon Spaeth, Geoffrey Vitt and Steve Woods; Administrators Wayne Gersen, John Aubin, Joanne Roberts, Deborah Gillespie, Ian Smith, Jim Nourse, Mike Jackson and Jonathan Brush; School District Attorney Cathryn Nunlist; Council representative Abidjan Walker; and approximately 34 members of the public.

Moderator Csatari read the Warning and noted that the Warrant was duly posted in both states, New Hampshire and Vermont, and that the returns of service were duly notarized. He then recognized Dresden School Board Vice Chair Kari Asmus, who introduced the members of the Dresden School Board. Superintendent Wayne Gersen introduced the members of Administration and Legal Counsel.

Moderator Csatari reviewed the structure of the Dresden School District and District meeting process, explaining that this is the discussion phase of the meeting, and the voting phase will take place on Tuesday, March 2, from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. in Tracy Hall in Norwich for Norwich voters and Hanover High School Gymnasium in Hanover for Hanover voters.

After Mr. Csatari reviewed the guidelines for the meeting, the business of the meeting followed.

**ARTICLE 1:** To elect by written ballot for one-year terms a Moderator, a Clerk, a Treasurer; and an auditor for a three-year term.

Moderator Csatari read the positions up for election, and noted that no one is running for the auditor position. No public comment was offered.

**ARTICLE 2:** Shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to establish a contingency fund to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year?

Gordon Spaeth presented the rationale for this article. No public comment was offered.

ARTICLE 3: Shall the District determine and fix the salaries of School District officers as follows: School Board members \$700 per member; School District Treasurer \$2,270; School District Clerk \$200; and School District Moderator \$200 in accordance with Article VA of the NH/VT Interstate School Compact, and further raise and appropriate the amount of Eight Thousand, Nine Hundred Seventy Dollars (\$8,970) to fund these salaries?

John Chamberlin reviewed this article. He noted that some Board members decided to forgo their salaries this year. No public comment was offered.

ARTICLE 4: Shall the District vote to approve the cost items in the three (3) year collective bargaining agreement reached between the Dresden School Board and the Dresden and Hanover Service Employees, AFSCME, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

	Estimated Increase			
Year	Over status quo budget			
2010-2011	\$ 24,508			
2011-2012	\$ 41,594			
2012-2013	\$ 48,544			

and further, shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Four Thousand, Five Hundred Eight Dollars (\$24,508), such sum representing the estimated increase in service employee salaries and benefits for the 2010-2011 fiscal year brought about by this collective bargaining agreement?

NOTE 1. The sum necessary to pay the so-called status quo salaries and benefits for service employees if this article is defeated is included in the operating budget in Article 5.

NOTE 2. A favorable vote on this article shall be considered the approval of the cost items in all three years of the proposed collective bargaining agreement.

NOTE 3. Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding the cost of living increases, will continue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed.

Kevin Cotter presented this article. He noted that the wage scale for the current staff is frozen, except that step increases in salaries will be paid for eligible employees. New employees will be paid salaries that are at a lower scale than current employees. In the 2011-12 and 2012-13 fiscal years, the pay scale will increase by 1% to 2.5%, based on the cost of living.

Three members of the public asked clarifying questions.

Steve Lajoie, chair of the Dresden Finance Committee, stated that the committee supported this article.

**ARTICLE 5:** Shall the District raise and appropriate the amount of Twenty-Two Million, Six Hundred Seventy-Three Thousand, Four Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars (\$22,673,487) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the teachers and other school employees, school district officials, and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District for the 2010-2011 fiscal year? This sum does not include the sums appropriated in any of the other articles.

Steve Woods presented this article. This budget is a 3.31% increase over last year's. He noted that there is a projected 8.7% increase in enrollment at the high school next year.

Steve Lajoie, chair of the Dresden Finance Committee, reported that the committee voted to support the budget because it is within the budget guidelines set by the committee.

Fourteen members of the public asked clarifying questions and offered comments. Nine of them opposed the budget. Four people supported the budget.

ARTICLE 6: Shall the Dresden School District raise and appropriate the amount of One Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$183,500) for the support of students with disabilities, such amount to be fully offset through funds provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009?

Neil Odell presented this article. He noted that the expenditure requires no resident taxpayer money.

Steve Lajoie said that the Dresden Finance Committee supports this article because these funds are to be spent on one-time expenditures.

**ARTICLE 7:** To transact any non-substantive business that may legally come before the discussion phase of this meeting.

Moderator Csatari asked if there was any other business to come before the meeting. Hearing none, he thanked everyone and declared the meeting adjourned at 8:58 p.m.

Res	ults of Australi	an Balloting on l	March 2, 2010	
Article 1 (Record of	Election of Office	ers)		
Moderator:		Tho	mas Csatari (1,978)	
Clerk:		Deb	orah Carter (1,959)	
Treasurer:		Che	ryl Lindberg (1,907)	
District Auditor	r (three years):		write-ins	
Article 2 (Raise \$50	,000 to establish a	contingency fund)		
	Yes: 1,544	No: 805	Blank: 81	
Article 3 (Raise \$8,9	970 for salaries of S	School District Offic	eers)	
	Yes: 1,726	No: 562	Blank: 142	
Article 4 (Approve 3	3-year collective-bar	gaining agreement f	or service workers)	
	Yes: 1,259	No: 1,081	Blank: 90	
Article 5 (Raise \$22,673,487 for the school budget)				
	Yes: 1,194	No: 1,194	Blank: 42	
Article 6 (Appropriate \$183,500 of federal funds to support students with disabilities)				
	Yes: 1,892	No: 470	Blank: 68	

I hereby certify this to be a true and accurate report of the proceedings of the meeting of February 25, 2010, and results of voting held on March 2, 2010.

Respectfully submitted, Deborah M. Carter, District Clerk

#### Minutes Of The Dresden School District Special Meeting Hanover High School Gymnasium May 6 and May 11, 2010

Moderator Thomas Csatari called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. on Thursday, May 6, 2010. Present were School Board members Linda Addante, Kari Asmus, Carey Callaghan, Anne Day, Robin Carpenter, John Chamberlin, Kevin Cotter, Erika Finlayson, Neil Odell, Gordon Spaeth, Geoffrey Vitt and Steve Woods; Administrators Wayne Gersen, John Aubin, Joanne Roberts, Deborah Gillespie, Ian Smith, Jim Nourse, and Jonathan Brush; School District Attorney David Bradley; Council representative Abidjan Walker; and 47 members of the public (5 of whom are staff members).

Moderator Csatari read the Warning and noted that the Warrant was duly posted in both states, New Hampshire and Vermont, and that the returns of service were duly notarized. He then recognized Dresden School Board Chair Kari Asmus, who introduced the members of the Dresden School Board. Superintendent Wayne Gersen introduced the members of Administration and Legal Counsel.

Moderator Csatari reviewed the structure of the Dresden School District and District meeting process, explaining that this is the discussion phase of the meeting, and the voting phase will take place on Tuesday, May 11, from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. in Tracy Hall in Norwich for Norwich voters and Hanover High School Gymnasium in Hanover for Hanover voters.

After Mr. Csatari reviewed the meeting guidelines, he read the one article on the Warrant:

ARTICLE 1: Shall the District raise and appropriate the amount of Twenty-Two Million, Three Hundred Thirty-Seven Thousand, Nine Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars (\$22,337,987) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the teachers and other school employees, school district officials, and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District for the 2010-2011 fiscal year?

Steve Woods presented the article. This budget is a 1.51% increase over last year's (2009-2010). This budget is \$335,500 less than the budget defeated March 2. As a result of these cuts plus the application of \$181,500 from the 2009-10 fund balance the Dresden assessment will decrease by \$517,000; this will result in a tax increase of 6.54% in Norwich and 2.8% in Hanover. The March budget would have caused a taxrate increase of 11.4% in Norwich and 4.86% in Hanover. Woods noted that enrollment is flat at the Middle School but up by 8.7% at the High School. He also stated that the budget included teacher raises that were negotiated 2 years ago, and acknowledged the teachers' willingness to forgo over \$120,000 in staff development funds. Not reflected in this budget are forecasted savings in health insurance of \$50,000 or more, which were recently achieved through discussions between the Assistant Superintendent for Business and employee bargaining groups.

Stephen Flanders, chair of the Dresden Finance Committee, reported that the committee voted 7-5 to support the budget because the budget causes a 2.8% tax increase, and the committee's guidelines were for the budget to cause no greater than a 3% increase. The committee believes the next negotiations will be the time to address the high curve in salaries for staff. Fourteen members of the public asked clarifying questions or offered comments. Three of them opposed the budget. Nine people who spoke (two of whom were staff members) supported the budget.

The meeting adjourned at 8:18 p.m.

#### Results of Australian Balloting on May 11, 2010

Article 1: (Raise \$22,337,987 for the Dresden schools' budget)

Yes: 1,536 No: 1,334

I hereby certify this to be a true and accurate report of the proceedings of the meeting of May 6, 2010, and results of voting held on May 11, 2010.

Respectfully submitted, Deborah M. Carter, District Clerk

#### Minutes Of The Dresden School Board Recount Of Article 5 Vote Of March 2, 2010 Hanover High School Library March 15, 2010

Present were Board members Kari Asmus, Robin Carpenter, John Chamberlin, Kevin Cotter, Anne Day, Neil Odell, Geoffrey Vitt and Steve Woods; Dresden Moderator Tom Csatari, Dresden Clerk Deborah Carter; and Hanover Clerk Anne Chamberlin.

Moderator Csatari called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. The Board performed a manual recount of the ballots cast March 2, 2010, on Article 5 (the budget article, below). Four residents observed the recount. Hilary Pridgen and Ellis Rolett represented those opposed to the budget; Howard Corwin and Debra Grabill represented those supporting the budget.

**ARTICLE 5:** Shall the District raise and appropriate the amount of Twenty-Two Million, Six Hundred Seventy-Three Thousand, Four Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars (\$22,673,487) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the teachers and other school employees, school district officials, and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District for the 2010-2011 fiscal year? This sum does not include the sums appropriated in any of the other articles.

The official numbers of the recount of the votes on Article 5 were:

1,197 No 1,195 Yes

Thus, the budget article failed.

The Moderator adjourned the meeting at 10:52 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Deborah M. Carter, District Clerk

#### **Dresden School Board Annual Report**

The past twelve months have been full of activity for Dresden administrators and Board members as we have worked to foster educational excellence, public accountability, and financial stability. Throughout the year we heard from many of you by email, at meetings, and in passing conversations. We listened to concerns about weighing these goals and hope we have succeeded in finding a good balance. With the Annual District Meeting just around the corner, it is now time for District voters to help set the stage for the coming school year by deciding on a number of warrant articles including the budget.

This past September the Dresden School Board asked administrators to bring forth a budget with no more than a 2.5% increase in expenditures. The adopted budget represents a 0.6% increase in expenditures and includes funding for key staffing requests made by our school principals. This outcome represents the efforts of many to find ways of keeping costs down and to use existing resources as efficiently as possible. In addition to our administrators and staff, we appreciate the individuals from local businesses, in our Town Halls and at Dartmouth College who took the time to speak with us last summer and contributed their ideas as part of the work of the Dresden Cost Reduction Committee.

Voters will also be asked to ratify a two-year agreement with the Hanover Support Staff, representing educational and some administrative assistants. The Dresden and Hanover Boards and the Hanover Education Association, representing teachers and other certified staff, were not able to come to an agreement. The Boards remain committed to negotiations, but we now expect that there will be no new contract for the 2011-12 school year.

I hope that all voters will take the time to review the information available in this report and on the Web at www.sau70.org. I would also encourage anyone who has questions to attend a discussion of the Dresden warrant on Thursday, February 24, at 7 p.m. in the Hanover High School Auditorium or to contact any Board member. Voting will be held the following Tuesday, March 1, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Absentee ballots are available.

On a final note, I would like to thank our retiring Superintendent, Dr. Wayne Gersen, for six years of valuable service to our districts and our communities. Whether he was overseeing the construction and renovation of our Dresden schools or shepherding along the day-to-day operations, we have appreciated his insights and hard work.

Kari Asmus, Chair, Dresden School Board



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#### Marion W. Cross School Comparative Yearly Enrollments

For October 1 of each year							
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6 Total
2001	28	41	44	38	38	62	75
2002	41	39	44	50	36	42	63
2003	38	48	45	41	54	38	44
2004	30	41	48	46	45	53	41 304
2005	32	37	41	50	48	43	55
2006	28	37	41	45	58	58	47
2007	26	30	35	43	45	60	60
2008	33	34	29	36	57	46	59
2009	39	30	36	32	39	61	45
2010	41	47	36	39	40	39	63

#### Dresden School Districts Comparative Yearly Enrollments

For October 1 of each year Total 190 . . . . 1111 185 ....1104 189 . . . . 1104 186 . . . . 1057 187 . . . . 1045 179 .... 1054 213 . . . . 1054 184 . . . . 1028 156 .... 1078 190 . . . . 1070

#### **Norwich Students in Dresden School District**

			For C	October 1 o	f each year	
	7	8	9	10	11	12 Total
2001	69	75	72	77	63	81 437
2002	73	66	70	71	75	57 412
2003	62	76	68	69	67	74416
2004	47	62	79	61	65	69
2005	44	52	64	77	60	66 363
2006	53	48	55	59	79	63
2007	46	51	53	53	55	78336
2008	47	45	52	46	47	60 297
2009	60	62	45	53	45	47
2010	52	61	69	50	52	48 332

#### Dresden School District Instructional Staff, 2010-2011

(Date indicates first year of continuous employment by the District. Also shown is the staff member's percentage of full-time employment.)

# Frances C. Richmond School

Lours E. Abbana Madia Specialist 1000/	2009
Laura E. Abbene, Media Specialist	
Carla E. Balch, Mathematics	
David B. Callaway, Social Studies	1987
Jennifer P. Cashman, Mathematics	
Judith B. Csatari, French	
Stephanie J. Davis, Social Studies	
Adina C. Desaulniers, Science	
Patricia B. Dodds, Special Education	
Paula A. Dorr, Photography & Art	
Kristen A. Downey, English	
David M. Drazin, School Psychologist	1989
Linda J. Fellows, 504, ESL	b 1993
Ellen G. Fisher, Social Studies	2010
Elise J. Foxall, English & Reading Specialist	2006
Erik D. Goodling, English	2000
Melinda P. H. Goodling, French	
Mary L. Grondin, Learning Specialist	
Jennifer R. Haines, English	
Joshua D. Hall, Music	
Clifford M. Harriman, Science	
Jennifer L. Quevedo, Physical Education, Health	
Josephine C. Horan, English	
Michael W. Ivanoski, English	
Carol A. Keighley, Mathematics	
John R. Kitzmiller, Mathematics	
John LaCrosse, Guidance Counselor	
Donna J. Largent, Guidance Counselor	
Patricia L. W. MacDonald, Learning Specialist	
Erin L. R. Madory, SpanishLeave of Absence	
Nicole Marcoe, French	
Anissa S. Morrison, Consumer Education	
Maryann B. Nugent, Social Studies	
Christopher R. O'Brien, Science	
Catherine A. Patch, Physical Education	
Julia O. Porrazzo, Mathematics	
Janet P. Rae, Art	
Bridget Robbins, Spanish	
Melissa Rodriguez, Physical Education100%	
Kate B. Schaefer, Drama	
Kathleen S. Shulman, Reading Specialist	
Richard L. Starr, Woodworking100%	
Judith A. Sterndale, Learning Specialist100%	
Gregory Stott, Science	
Suzanne T. Sylvester, English100%	b 1995

Virginia L. Wallis, Science	1999
Klaran W. Warner, Speech and Language Pathologist	1999
Martin Warren, Technology100%	2002
Celeste R. Wilhelm, Social Studies,100%	1999

#### **Medical Staff**

Abigale R. Pelletier, Nurse		2005
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# Hanover High School

Andrea V. Alsup, English, Senior Bridges	100%	1993
Lawrence Baio, Algebra II, Calculus		1995
Laszlo Bardos, Geometry	20%	2010
Paul H. Barker, Spanish	100%	1997
Todd F. Bebeau, Physical Education	100%	1996
Timothy P. Berube, Social Studies, Dresden Plan		2009
Paul L. Borsh, Special Education Coordinator		2009
Harrison C. Bourne, English & Coordinator		2000
Donald T. Buck, Latin		2001
Margaret W. Caldwell, Social Studies	100%	1996
Lynn D. Ceplikas, English, Dresden Plan	100%	1996
Ellen F. Clattenburg, Special Education		1999
Tanya K. Cluff, EnglishLeave o		2006
Thomas M. Cochran, French	100%	2002
Sharen T. Conner, Special Education		1998
Marie T. D'Amato, English		2002
Eric J. Dennison, Advanced Math, Geometry		2009
John E. Donnelly, Advanced Math, Algebra I		1998
Maureen W. Doyle, French, Spanish	100%	2010
Jessica C. Eakin, Media Specialist	80%	2005
Eve-Lynn Ermer, Advanced Math, Algebra II	100%	2002
Daniel N. Falcone, Science & Coordinator	100%	2003
Anna T. Gado, EnglishLeave o	f Absence	2004
John A. Galton, English Leave of Absence First Seme	ester, 20%	1989
Thomas B. Gamble, School Psychologist		1992
Julia R. Gartner, Physical Science, Dresden Plan	80%	2008
Cynthia M. Geilich, Study Skills		1988
Brian P. Glenney, Latin, English, Foreign Language Coord.	100%	2002
Amy C. Good, Learning Specialist	100%	2009
Uwe Goodall-Heising, German, ESL	100%	2007
Stephanie B. Gordon, Art	60%	1993
Elizabeth A. Greene, Art	90%	1993
Diane Guarino-Bjerke, Health	100%	2005
Renate Gunderman, English	60%	2010
Stephen W. Hackman, English	100%	1990
Alan D. Haehnel, English		2008
Sally R. Hair, Physics	100%	2002
Randi S. Hallarman, Special Education		1997
William S. Hammond, Drama, Calculus, Math Modeling		1986
Laurie F. Harrington, Guidance Counselor		1998
Thomas W. Hermanson, Biology	100%	2006

David J. Holloway, Industrial Technology	2007
Douglas H. Jenisch, Social Studies & Coordinator100%	1969
Andrea E. Johnstone, Guidance Counselor, Core Comp100%	1998
Elizabeth H. Keene, Guidance Counselor	2001
Jeanine C. King, Mathematics & Coordinator100%	2008
Amy E. Kono, Algebra I, Probability & Statistics100%	2005
Jeannie M. Kornfeld, Chemistry, Environmental Science100%	1996
Nancy E. Kress, MathematicsLeave of Absence	1999
Peter A. Lange, Art	1978
Kevin A. Lavigne, Chemistry100%	1997
Richard J. Lloyd, Dresden Plan Director	1983
Martha E. Lorden, Social Studies100%	1978
John W. McCracking, Director of Guidance100%	2006
Kathleen A. Milender, Methods, Anatomy & Physiology80%	1993
Pamala J. S. Miller, Social Studies100%	1997
Greta S. Mills, MathematicsLeave of Absence	2000
Andrew Mueller, Algebra II, Geometry	2010
William N. Murphy, Social Studies	1961
Elizabeth D. Murray, Social Studies & Dresden Plan	2005
Tammie T. Patten, Technology Coordinator/Teacher	2005
John S. Phipps, Astronomy, Chemistry, Honor Methods100%	2002
Eric A. Picconi, Spanish	2008
Erin E. Piro, English (1-year position)	2009
Shannon Pogue, English	2010
Maryann V. Postans, Biology100%	1996
Penelope J. K. Prendergast, Spanish100%	1997
Matthew L. Prince, Social Studies	2003
Andrew Puchalik, Learning Specialist	2010
Glyn E. Reinders, Physical Education100%	1977
Eric C. Richardson, 504 Service Provider100%	1993
Cynthia M. Sanschagrin, Algebra II, Geometry100%	1998
Christopher J. Seibel, Mental Health Counselor100%	2005
Joseph L. Stallsmith, Guidance Counselor	2002
Julie M. Stevenson, Social Studies	1998
Jean L. Vigneault, French	2000
Karen E. Wahrenberger, English, Dresden Plan	2008
Jane M. Woods, Music	1990

#### **Medical Staff**

Candace A. Nattie	1997
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# **Shared Dresden Staff**

Alexander Spivakovsky, Instrumental Music	60%	2009
Norman W. Wolfe, Band Director	50%	2002

#### Frances C. Richmond School Principal's Report

The new school year welcomed four new staff members: Ellen Fisher, sixth grade Social Studies; Bridget Robbins, seventh and eighth grade Spanish; Judy Sterndale, learning specialist; and Catherine Patch, physical education. The school said goodbye to Judy Collishaw, who retired after a wonderful career in Social Studies.

The students continue to excel in many state and national arenas. In mathematics, one member of the RMS MathCounts team earned a perfect score in the AMC8 International Math Contest – only one of 163 in the world. In Robotics, all three teams went to the state championships. In French, our students continue to do well on the national *Le Grand Concours* competition: Three sixth graders took the top three spots in the state, and 22 seventh graders and 33 eighth graders finished in the top 10 in both NH and the nation, including the top three in NH in all three grade levels. The school continues to perform well on the New England Common Assessments, with 80% of the students scoring in the proficient or above categories on all tests for all grade levels.

Our commitment to the fine and performing arts continues to enrich the school and local community. The school play was an excellent production of the classic *Charlotte's Web*. The Play Production classes raised money for the children of Haiti with two performances of their original theater piece *Sideways Stories from Wayside School*. This year we sent a number of RMS musicians to the Northern District Chorus and Band Festival. More than three dozen of our photography students had their work accepted in the local Elden Murray Exhibition and Competition, and five won juried prizes. Our seventh grade English program brought the Vermont Young Writers Program to RMS, enabling our students to post their writing online and receive feedback from their peers. Several students had their pieces published in the *Valley News*.

Community outreach plays an important role in shaping our school program as well. Our Student Council exceeded its goal in a food drive for The Haven, and our Children Helping Children group continued to raise money for international causes.

Our efforts towards greater sustainability led our sixth grade and several seventh and eighth grade homerooms to move to flatware and silverware that the students collect and wash as a means of decreasing waste.

We welcome all parents, guardians and community members to come see us in action - it is truly a vibrant learning community!

Jim Nourse, Principal (603-643-6040)

#### **Hanover High School Principal's Report**

Hanover High School is a comprehensive ninth through twelfth grade high school that serves the students of Hanover and Norwich. In 2009-2010, approximately 13% of the 740 students who attended Hanover High School were public or private tuition students. In 2009-2010, U.S. News and World Report again selected Hanover High School as one of the top high schools in the nation.

Hanover High School is an active learning community that provides broad academic and co-curricular programs. We engage students' minds, hearts, and voices so that they become educated, caring, and responsible adults.

Approximately 96% of our 2010 graduates are attending or plan to attend college. We are proud of the academic, artistic, and athletic achievements of our students and staff. We believe that students learn responsibility by being given the opportunity to exercise responsibility, that they learn decision-making by having the opportunity to make decisions, and that they make the strongest commitment to education when they are given real power. We are pleased that our alumni report that they feel well prepared for college life.

If you would like to learn more about Hanover High School, please visit our website at www.hanoverhigh.us or ask to be added to the principal's weekly email by sending your email address to Cathy.Niboli@dresden.us.

Deborah Gillespie, Principal (603-643-3431)



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#### **Dresden Finance Committee Report**

Recommendation on the Proposed Dresden School District Budget for 2011-12

The Dresden Finance Committee (DFC), at its meeting on Tuesday, January 25, 2011, voted seven to two (five absent) to endorse the proposed Dresden School District expenditure budget of \$22,550,274, as approved by the Dresden School Board (DSB) at its meeting on Tuesday, January 25, 2011.

The DFC noted that in September it recommended that the DSB propose a budget yielding an increase in net assessment of no more than 2%. While this benchmark was not met, with a 5.7% increase in net assessment in Hanover and a 4.4% increase in net assessment to Norwich, and with no teachers' contract agreed to, the proposed budget's projected tax rate increases were 3.0% for Hanover and 5.0% for Norwich (combined local school and Dresden).

The DFC majority acknowledged the effort made by school and Dresden School District administrations to contain costs in the middle of an economic contraction. The projected tax rate increases are reasonable, when compared to other budgets. They expressed gratitude for the diligence of the Dresden Cost Reduction Committee (DCRC) and its December14, 2010, report, which may influence future budgets. The majority felt that the DSB had been diligent in its negotiations with teachers to avoid a costly increase in compensation.

Those DFC members who voted in the minority felt that the DSB could have more fully incorporated the work of the DCRC into this year's budget, especially involving creative staffing patterns. The budget continues compensation levels greater than necessary to retain and attract quality teachers. Neither the Alternative Compensation Committee nor contract negotiators have succeeded in achieving a compensation package that controls cost increases. The budget did not meet the DFC guideline.

The DFC consists of seven members from Hanover (all appointed, including one Hanover Selectboard member and one Dresden School Board member) and seven members from Norwich (six appointed by the Norwich Selectboard, plus the elected Treasurer).

- Hanover: William Garrity (Chair), Tom Blinkhorn, Peter Christie, Kevin Cotter, Kristi Fenner, Michael Gerling, and an open position.
- Norwich: Stephen Flanders (Vice Chair), James Dwinell, Cheryl A. Lindberg, Jim Mackall, Keith Moran, Evan Pierce, and Christopher Rhims.

#### Dresden School District Proposed Revenue Report

	DEN SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 School Year	2009-10 Revised	2009-10 Year End	2010-11 Revised	2010-11 Anticipated	2011-12 Proposed	\$	%
	ed Revenue Budget	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget	Chg	Chg
	Local Sources							
1121	District Assmt-Hanover	10,963,928	10,963,928	10,913,157	10,913,157	11,538,110	624,953	5.7%
1122	District Assmt-Norwich	6,134,161	6,134,161	5,598,870	5,598,870	5,842,945	244,075	4.4%
	Sub-Total	17,098,089	17,098,089	16,512,027	16,512,027	17,381,055	869,028	5.3%
	Tuition							
1311	Parents	77,880	86,090	120,605	120,605	117,967	(2,638)	-2.2%
1311	International Tuitions (SEVIS)	0	0	0	0	52,500	52,500	n/a
1315	Sp Ed Excess Cost Recov	38,643	39,872	98,131	98,131	86,495	(11,636)	-11.9%
1321	In-State LEA	1,068,694	1,127,948	1,118,770	1,118,770	1,094,304	(24,466)	-2.2%
1321	Hanover 6th Gr Curr Yr	1,439,701	1,439,701	2,030,339	2,030,339	1,831,037	(199,302)	-9.8%
1321	Hanover 6th Gr Prior Yr	75,930	75,930	57,936	57,936	32,870	(25,066)	-43.3%
1331	Out-of-State LEA	566,105	584,669	564,837	564,837	552,485	(12,352)	-2.2%
	Sub-Total	3,266,953	3,354,211	3,990,618	3,990,618	3,767,658	(222,960)	-5.6%
	Other Local Sources							
1511	Interest Income	5,000	7,571	6,500	7,500	7,500	1,000	15.4%
1710	Gate Receipts	5,000	7,031	6,000	7,000	7,000	1,000	16.7%
1740	Athletic User Fees	0	0	95,000	95,000	117,500	22,500	23.7%
1910	Rent	15,000	24,249	26,000	25,000	25,000	(1,000)	-3.8%
1930	Sale of Dist Property	0	900	500	750	750	250	50.0%
1931	From Hanover Town	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	0	0.0%
1980	Insurance Refunds	1,000	2,274	1,000	1,750	1,750	750	75.0%
1990	Miscellaneous	2,000	88	4,000	2,000	2,000	(2,000)	-50.0%
	Sub-Total	128,000	142,113	239,000	239,000	261,500	22,500	9.4%
	State Sources							
3210	Building Aid-NH	692,616	692,616	598,905	598,905	571,882	(27,023)	-4.5%
3223	Voc Transportation-Vt	4,000	12,544	4,000	6,000	6,000	2,000	50.0%
3241	Voc Tuition-NH	12,000	9,507	12,000	9,000	9,000	(3,000)	-25.0%
3242	Voc Transportation-NH	500	324	500	250	250	(250)	-50.0%
	Sub-Total	709,116	714,991	615,405	15,250	587,132	(28,273)	-4.6%
	Federal Sources							
4xxx	Ed Jobs Fund Grant	0	0	0	0	50,679	50,679	n/a
4350	Medicaid	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
4710	Agriculture Grant	2,700	2,726	2,700	2,700	2,700	0	0.0%
	Sub-Total	2,700	2,726	2,700	2,700	53,379	50,679	1877.0%
	Interfund Transfers In		4-1795-2004-447-4		11.01044-10074			
5230	From Capital Projects Fund	800,000	800,000	500,000	500,000	0	(500,000)	
	Sub-Total	800,000	800,000	500,000	500,000	0	(500,000)	-100.0%
Genera	al Fund Revenue Total	22,004,858	22,112,129	21,859,750	21,259,595	22,050,724	190,974	0.9%
from F	Prior Year's Fund Balance	638,852	638,852	561,715	561,715	500,000	-61,715	-11.0%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT		2009-10		2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
DISTRICT WIDE							
Coordinator of Volunteers							
Salaries	13,561	13,414	13,414	13,414	13,414	0	0.0%
Firnge Transfer in	1,343	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	300	0	0	0	300	300	n/a
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	350	1,200	200	0	200	0	0.0%
Materials & Supplies	500	0	300	0	250	(50)	-16.7%
Pmts from Districts	50	0	0	0	50	50	n/a
Pmts from Districts Function Total	(5,589)	(5,529)	0	0	(5,529)	(5,529)	n/a
Function Iotal	10,515	9,085	13,914	13,414	8,685	(5,229)	-37.6%
Computer Technician		000000000		112300100		9345	
Salaries	45,852	45,894	0	2,242	0	0	n/a
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	1,000	520	31,489	4,375	31,489	0	0.0%
Materials & Supplies	2,645	2,630	1,800	1,374	1,800	0	0.0%
Equipment	5,955	5,955	6,000	3,374	6,000	0	0.0%
Pmts from Districts	(2,000)	(1,196)	(1,000)	0	0	1,000	-100.0%
Function Total	53,452	53,803	38,289	11,365	39,289	1,000	2.6%
SCHOOL BOARD SERVICES				222.2			
Salaries	2,650	12,178	10,920	1,555	12,120	1,200	11.0%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	45,470	45,078	57,000	35,232	50,000	(7,000)	-12.3%
Other Purch Svcs	1,000	2,139	1,000	0	1,000	0	0.0%
Other Objects	63,300	8,470	60,800	5,279	60,300	(500)	-0.8%
Function Total	112,420	67,865	129,720	42,066	123,420	(6,300)	-4.9%
SUPERINTENDENT SERVICES						1. HOLDO	
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	686,993	685,294	665,712	665,712	692,241	26,529	4.0%
Function Total	686,993	685,294	665,712	665,712	692,241	26,529	4.0%
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION							
Medical Insurance	79,078	80,300	95,022	78,063	92,785	(2,237)	-2.4%
Dental Insurance	3,037	2,385	3,433	2,661	3,068	(365)	-10.6%
Life Insurance	518	553	518	676	434	(84)	-16.2%
Workers Comp Ins	4,186	995	4,145	1,042	4,201	56	1.4%
Disability Insurance	1,775	1,212	1,686	1,149	1,586	(100)	-5.9%
Flex Plan Fees	120	0	50	0	0		-100.0%
Annuities	6,600	5,297	6,338	6,201	4,838	(1,500)	-23.7%
Retirement	26,499	28,976	28,110	31,615	31,275	3,165	11.3%
FICA	24,048	22,348	25,551	31,848	22,621	(2,930)	-11.5%
Unemployment Insur	269	(418) 1,974	269	0 1,980	241 2,000	(28) 500	-10.4% 33.3%
Inter-School Delivery Function Total	1,500	143,621	1,500	1,980	163,049	(3,573)	-2.1%
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BUILDING MAINTENANCE	204 127	204 522	207 505	202.222	206.457	0.073	2.10/
Salaries	294,107	284,732	287,595	292,327	296,467	8,872	3.1%
P/R Tax and Benefits	1,500	316	1,500	0	1,500	0	0.0%
Other Purch Svcs	2,500	1,829	1,500	1,073	1,800	300	20.0%
Supplies Equipment	50,700 2,500	50,607 8,688	48,500 2,600	49,731 2,875	51,550 2,500	3,050 (100)	6.3% -3.8%
Other Uses	(36,000)	(36,000)	(37,000)	2,875	(37,000)	(100)	-3.8%
Function Total	315,307	310,172	304,695	346,006	316,817		4.0%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT	1000000000000000	2009-10		2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	10000000
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
DEDTORNHOE							
DEBT SERVICE Other Objects	026 700	836,799	953,093	953,093	1,018,616	65,523	6.9%
Other Uses	836,798					and the second se	4.5%
Function Total	2,698,601	2,698,601 3,535,399	2,576,079 3,529,172	2,576,078 3,529,171	2,459,844	(116,235)	-1.4%
Function Iotal	3,333,399	3,333,399	5,529,172	5,529,171	3,478,460	(50,712)	-1.4%
DISTRICT WIDE TOTAL	4,861,716	4,805,239	4,848,124	4,762,969	4,821,961	(26,163)	-0.5%
RICHMOND MIDDLE SCHOOL							
REGULAR INSTRUCTION							
Salaries Teacher	2,175,527	2,175,108	2,217,355	2,245,248	2,165,253	(52,102)	-2.3%
Salaries Ed Asst	121,820	134,963	103,413	80,984	78,801	(24,612)	-23.8%
Substitutes	30,000	27,707	30,000	12,760	30,000	0	0.0%
Tutors	2,000	11,847	16,398	2,074	16,398	0	0.0%
Sabbatical	0	0	0	0	18,485	18,485	n/a
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	3,470	3,427	2,590	62	4,100	1,510	58.3%
Purch Prop Svcs	32,700	30,593	28,530	21,761	29,530	1,000	3.5%
Supplies	74,433	61,195	83,310	35,668	65,971	(17,339)	-20.8%
Property	13,751	12,381	8,500	4,607	11,820	3,320	39.1%
Other Objects	500	215	450	175	450	0	0.0%
Other Uses	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Function Total	2,454,201	2,457,437	2,490,546	2,403,339	2,420,808	(69,738)	-2.8%
TECHNOLOGY							
Purch Prop Svcs	10,382	6,625	13,830	7,530	15,278	1,448	10.5%
Supplies	8,315	8,290	10,600	6,121	9,400	(1,200)	-11.3%
Property	53,899	73,034	33,222	23,970	35,334	2,112	6.4%
Function Total	72,596	87,950	57,652	37,622	60,012	2,360	4.1%
SPECIAL EDUCATION							
Salaries-Teacher	531,613	517,620	519,777	508,162	434,404	(85,373)	-16.4%
Salaries-Ed Asst	549,485	527,984	392,613	351,125	207,659	(184,954)	-47.1%
Tutors	1,000	0	1,000	0	1,000	0	0.0%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	68,085	59,703	89,500	67,408	54,200	(35,300)	-39.4%
Purch Prop Svcs	1,100	0	550	0	550	0	0.0%
Other Purch Svcs	400	0	400	0	400	0	0.0%
Supplies	7,370	6,068	6,135	1,990	3,950	(2,185)	-35.6%
Property	16,990	12,608	1,890	0	4,430	2,540	134.4%
Function Total	1,176,043	1,123,984	1,011,865	928,685	706,593	(305,272)	-30.2%
CO-CURRICULAR	10.005	10 500	20.155	5 400	20.175	0	0.00/
Salaries Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	19,905	10,599	20,175	5,499 2.104	20,175		0.0% -20.8%
Function Total	<b>5,428</b> 25,333	<b>4,366</b> 14,965	10,100 30,275	7,603	8,000 28,175	(2,100) (2,100)	-20.8%
GUIDANCE							
Salaries	157,084	152,953	159,994	157,129	159,994	0	0.0%
Supplies	700	605	680	40	600	(80)	-11.8%
Function Total	157,784	153,558	160,674	157,169	160,594		0.0%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT		2009-10		2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
HEALTH SERVICES							
Salaries	52,395	52,616	56,019	56,080	56,386	367	0.7%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	800	803	800	820	500	(300)	-37.5%
Purch Prop Svcs	0	100	150	17	180	30	20.0%
Supplies/Prof Dues	2,400	2,396	2,325	1,200	2,175	(150)	-6.5%
Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Dues	125	100	125	0	125	0	0.0%
Function Total	55,720	56,016	59,419	58,117	59,366	(53)	-0.1%
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMEN	Г						
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	12,425	12,611	5,000	254	5,000	0	0.0%
Function Total	12,425	12,611	5,000	254	5,000	0	0.0%
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STAFF DEVELOPMENT Salaries	1,500	3,000	1 500	140	1,500	0	0.0%
			1,500				
P/R Tax and Benefits Function Total	77,684	72,933 75,933	43,789	24,166	78,528	34,739	79.3% 76.7%
Function Iotal	79,184	(5,955	45,289	24,306	80,028	34,739	10.1%
MEDIA (Library)				100000000		10	
Salaries	79,808	74,910	80,092	78,532	80,092	0	0.0%
Purch Prop Svcs	1,995	1,940	2,155	880	2,105	(50)	-2.3%
Other Purch Svcs	2,430	2,420	1,900	503	1,900	0	0.0%
Supplies	20,999	21,010	24,480	18,361	29,600	5,120	20.9%
Property	7,531	7,531	1,600	1,574	1,600	0	0.0%
Function Total	112,763	107,810	110,227	99,850	115,297	5,070	4.6%
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION							
Salaries	262,442	268,158	251,498	252,173	259,294	7,796	3.1%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	7,308	6,675	8,340	2,227	8,340	0	0.0%
Purch Prop Svcs	6,000	58	4,000	0	1,000	(3,000)	-75.0%
Other Purch Svcs	22,800	17,662	19,500	11,482	21,000	1,500	7.7%
Supplies	2,717	2,362	3,850	656	3,850	0	0.0%
Other Objects	1,000	568	800	474	800	0	0.0%
Function Total	302,267	295,484	287,988	267,011	294,284	6,296	2.2%
PAYROLL TAX & BENEFITS							
Retiree Wages	65,613	67,123	59,535	61,046	68,323	8,788	14.8%
Medical Insurance	898,954	855,300	1,015,649	929,305	880,269	(135,380)	-13.3%
Dental Insurance	34.033	35,876	36,793	36,827	31,492	(5,301)	-14.4%
Life Insurance	6,342	9,665	6,678	9,745	6,258	(420)	-6.3%
Workers Comp Insur	19,449	14,143	20,090	13,028	17,798	(2.292)	-11.4%
Disability Insur	19,431	16,106	16,945	12,821	14,537	(2,408)	-14.2%
Flex Plan Fees	2,000	1,389	2,000	0	0		-100.0%
Annuities	124,289	103,686	111,569	101,196	102,785	(8,784)	-7.9%
Retirement	195,763	204,118	205,293	202,801	202,105	(3,188)	-1.6%
FICA	316,071	315,055	326,588	301,552	285,272	(41,316)	-12.7%
Unemployment	3,354	4,221	3,764	5,413	2,985	(779)	-20.7%
Fringe Transfer Out	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Function Total	1,685,299	1,626,682	1,804,904	1,673,734	1,611,824	(193,080)	-10.7%
BUILDING MAINTENANCE							
Purch Prop Svcs	41,336	41,716	40,100	30,767	41,200	1,100	2.7%
Supplies	8,350	7,058	8,400	5,492	8,400	0	0.0%
Property	500	181	1,180	146	1,000	(180)	-15.3%
Other Objects	100	0	50	0	50	0	0.0%
Function Total	50,286	48,955	49,730	36,406	50,650	920	1.8%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT		2009-10		2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	10000000
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
CUSTODIAL SERVICES				10000.00		10 10 10	
Salaries	212,708	185,452	203,710	188,916	207,322	3,612	1.8%
P/R Tax and Benefits	2,100	1,506	2,400	1,485	2,200	(200)	-8.3%
Purch Prop Svcs	11,400	9,861	11,000	9,743	10,700	(300)	-2.7%
Other Purch Svcs	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Supplies	110,000	100,061	110,500	89,803	110,000	(500)	-0.5%
Property	2,370	2,081	1,500	888	1,500	0	0.0%
Function Total	338,578	298,962	329,110	290,835	331,722	2,612	0.8%
GROUNDS MAINTENANCE						20800	
Purch Prop Svcs	34,134	35,871	36,320	36,293	37,600	1,280	3.5%
Supplies	600	170	600	0	500	(100)	-16.7%
Function Total	34,734	36,041	36,920	36,293	38,100	1,180	3.2%
STUDENT TRANSPORTATION						ST 1279-217	
Other Purch Svcs	0	0	0	5,085	4,800	4,800	n/a
Function Total	0	0	0	5,085	4,800	4,800	n/a
SPECIAL ED TRANSPORTATIO							
Other Purch Svcs	5,700	19,562	22,000	22,618	22,000	0	0.0%
Function Total	5,700	19,562	22,000	22,618	22,000	0	0.0%
FIELD TRIPS							
Other Purch Svcs	6,483	2,598	4,670	1,791	8,490	3,820	81.8%
Function Total	6,483	2,598	4,670	1,791	8,490	3,820	81.8%
SITE IMPROVEMENTS						00000000	
Purch Prop Svcs	2,000	0	0	0	1,000	1,000	n/a
Function Total	2,000	0	0	0	1,000	1,000	n/a
BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS							
Purch Prop Svcs	3,850	0	2,500	0	2,500	0	0.0%
Function Total	3,850	0	2,500	0	2,500	0	0.0%
INTERFUND TRANSFER OUT				0710000000	22715533		
Other Objects	5,000	10,059	10,000	16,730	10,000	0	0.0%
Function Total	5,000	10,059	10,000	16,730	10,000	0	0.0%
RICHMOND MIDDLE	-						
SCHOOL TOTAL	6,580,246	6,428,607	6,518,769	6,067,446	6,011,243	(507,526)	-7.8%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT		2009-10		2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
HANOVER HIGH SCHOOL							
REGULAR INSTRUCTION							
Salaries-Teacher	3,683,544	3,705,524	3,876,877	3,823,584	3,958,409	81,532	2.1%
Salaries-Ed Assts	238,173	199,352	221,783	234,973	232,863	11,080	5.0%
Substitutes	28,500	41,691	28,500	17,094	28,500	0	0.0%
Tutors	24,720	27,311	24,720	8,046	24,720	0	0.0%
Sabbatical	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	5,078	4,302	6,918	1,549	7,615	697	10.1%
Purch Prop Svcs	84,830	56,478	67,227	50,430	58,212	(9,015)	-13.4%
Other Purch Svcs	1,500	1,464	1,550	88	1,550	0	0.0%
Supplies	130,315	118,809	136,604	69,231	133,044	(3,560)	-2.6%
Property	19,940	18,682	19,354	9,737	18,185	(1,169)	-6.0%
Other Objects	5,620	3,403	6,584	3,118	5,525	(1,059)	-16.1%
Other Uses	0,020	0,405	0,504	0	0,529	0	n/a
Function Total	4,222,220	4,177,014	4,390,117	4,217,851	4,468,623	78,506	1.8%
		10 G		20 - 13 -		3.50	
SPECIAL EDUCATION							
Salaries-Teachers	433,696	412,259	423,848	461,557	580,275	156,427	36.9%
Salaries-Ed Assts	226,373	224,777	220,588	224,449	353,871	133,283	60.4%
Tutors	0	2,227	0	287	0	0	n/a
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	106,720	77,273	79,976	62,388	84,058	4,082	5.1%
Purch Prop Svcs	600	0	600	0	0	(600)	-100.0%
Other Purch Svcs	3,090	765	1,000	104	925	(75)	-7.5%
Supplies	9,366	3,199	8,260	1,973	15,420	7,160	86.7%
Property	475	150	1,799	190	0	(1,799)	-100.0%
Function Total	780,320	720,651	736,071	750,949	1,034,549	298,478	40.6%
ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG	UAGE						
Salaries	27,443	22,385	24,580	24,332	12,790	(11,790)	-48.0%
Function Total	27,443	22,385	24,580	24,332	12,790	(11,790)	-48.0%
VOCATIONAL PROGRAM							
Other Purch Svcs	40,000	56,664	50,000	20.059	50,000	0	0.0%
Function Total	40,000	56,664	50,000	20,059	50,000	0	0.0%
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ATHLETICS							
Salaries	294,402	302,492	304,683	252,637	313,553	8,870	2.9%
P/R Tax and Benefits	2,805	2,731	2,575	1,233	2,575	0	0.0%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	22,897	18,162	1,500	400	1,500	0	0.0%
Purch Prop Svcs	66,218	60,011	126,569	56,785	126,569	0	0.0%
Other Purch Svcs	3,990	4,374	2,700	2,634	12,700	10,000	370.4%
Supplies	9,335	9,134	13,190	8,034	13,230	40	0.3%
Property	29,994	30,433	24,825	8,336	24,825	0	0.0%
Other Objects	4,450	4,505	4,450	120	4,450	0	0.0%
Function Total	434,091	431,841	480,492	330,178	499,402	18,910	3.9%
CO-CURRICULAR							
Salaries	43,552	44,804	45,052	23,177	47,056	2,004	4.4%
Purch Profl & Tech Sycs	43,552		45,052	11,090	47,050	1,500	13.5%
Function Total	56,139	12,587 57,391	56,142	34,267	59,646	3,504	6.2%
Function Iotai	50,159	57,591	50,142	54,207	39,040	3,304	0.270
GUIDANCE							
Salaries	483,583	497,810	517,331	515,856	527,571	10,240	2.0%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	200	200	575	200	375	(200)	-34.8%
	250	170	450	0	450	0	0.0%
Purch Prop Svcs					2,850	(105)	-3.6%
Purch Prop Svcs Other Purch Svcs	3.158	3.099	2.955	410 1			
Other Purch Svcs	3,158 6.040	3,099 5,490	2,955 6,135	418 536			
	3,158 6,040 120	3,099 5,490 115	2,955 6,135 120	536 115	6,135 320	0 200	0.0%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT	) A DAVING AND	2009-10	VI-TALADATISTICS	2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	0.001
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
HEALTH SERVICES							
Salaries	71,247	71,247	73,631	33,164	73,817	186	0.3%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	500	1,360	1,360	1,387	1,360	0	0.0%
Purch Prop Svcs	150	0	150	0	150	0	0.0%
Supplies	2,475	2,168	2,375	60	2,375	0	0.0%
Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Other Objects	125	0	125	0	125	0	0.0%
Function Total	74,497	74,774	77,641	34,611	77,827	186	0.2%
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMEN	Г						
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	3,000	848	3,000	0	3,000	0	0.0%
Function Total	3,000	848	3,000	0	3,000	0	0.0%
STAFF DEVELOPMENT							
Salaries	5,500	5,015	5,500	1,305	5,500	0	0.0%
P/R Tax and Benefits	112,015	66,195	63,142	24,074	113,342	50,200	79.5%
Function Total	117,515	71,210	68,642	25,379	118,842	50,200	73.1%
DRESDEN PLAN							
Salaries	6,200	6,081	7,245	7,159	7,245	0	0.0%
Function Total	6,200	6,081	7,245	7,159	7,245	0	0.0%
MEDIA (Library)							
Salaries	137,166	132,536	146,708	131,692	131,692	(15,016)	-10.2%
Purch Prop Svcs	8,730	8,045	15,000	7,868	13,000	(2,000)	-13.3%
Other Purch Sycs	4,550	4,479	5,210	2,357	5,210	(2,000)	0.0%
Supplies	56,240	55,696	61,180	33.015	56,138	(5,042)	-8.2%
Property	89,486	103,529	87,116	71,371	89,461	2,345	2.7%
Other Objects	640	627	832	692	832	2,545	0.0%
Function Total	296,812	304,912	316,046	246,995	296,333	(19,713)	-6.2%
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SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION		1973-337		0202257		10000000	
Salaries	555,292	565,610	583,217	595,784	596,846	13,629	2.3%
Purch Profl & Tech Svcs	4,900	3,358	4,040	2,357	10,040	6,000	148.5%
Purch Prop Svcs	6,620	6,518	9,800	5,384	6,200	(3,600)	-36.7%
Other Purch Svcs	47,939	41,044	43,030	26,105	47,130	4,100	9.5%
Supplies	19,130	16,004	19,170	2,241	18,570	(600)	-3.1%
Other Objects	2,900	3,050	2,900	3,050	2,900	0	0.0%
Function Total	636,781	635,585	662,157	634,921	681,686	19,529	2.9%
PAYROLL TAX & BENEFITS							
Retiree Wages	89,621	85,456	119,649	107,978	105,832	(13,817)	-11.5%
Medical Insurance	1,238,086	1,216,248	1,458,531	1,369,028	1,541,225	82,694	5.7%
Dental Insurance	48,282	48,779	52,320	51,152	55,141	2,821	5.4%
Life Insurance	9,114	14,091	9,282	14,738	9,660	378	4.1%
Workers Comp Insur	31,223	22,688	31,794	20,845	33,388	1,594	5.0%
Disability Insur	29,987	24,222	25,978	20,252	27,237	1,259	4.8%
Flex Plan Fees	3,100	2,821	3,100	0	0		-100.0%
Annuities	210,023	180,668	187,483	178,047	194,360	6,877	3.7%
Retirement	271,236	261,370	305,336	281,828	382,270	76,934	25.2%
FICA	486,727	492,566	510,254	484,155	532,097	21,843	4.3%
Unemployment	4,003	6,356	4,297	6,615	4,483	186	4.3%
Function Total	2,421,402	2,355,265	2,708,024	2,534,638	2,885,693	177,669	6.6%

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRIC		2009-10		2010-11	2011-12	Budget	
Proposed Budget	2009-10	Exp'd &	2010-11	Exp'd &	Proposed	Increase/	~ ~
2011-12 School Year	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	Enc'd	Budget	(Decrease)	% Chg
BUILDING MAINTENANCE							
Purch Prop Svcs	46,800	36,196	54,300	29,376	46,700	(7,600)	-14.0%
Supplies	14,400	12,838	15,050	10,196	14,700	(350)	-2.3%
Property	1,500	2,204	1,700	145	1,200	(500)	-29.4%
Other Objects	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
Function Total	62,700	51,238	71,050	39,716	62,600	(8,450)	-11.9%
CUSTODIAL SERVICES	101500.000	322,032	100000000		200000		1000
Salaries	367,232	335,563	343,491	335,557	366,730	23,239	6.8%
P/R Tax and Benefits	5,200	4,149	4,350	3,933	4,350	0	0.0%
Purch Prop Svcs	19,500	15,947	18,000	15,650	17,000	(1,000)	-5.6%
Other Purch Svcs Supplies	400 214,800	44 201,641	300 202,200	0 164,984	300 195,700	0 (6,500)	0.0% -3.2%
Property	2,200	2,054	500	104,904	2,100	1,600	320.0%
Function Total	609,332	559,398	568,841	520,127	586,180	17,339	3.0%
Function Total	009,332	339,390	500,041	520,127	300,100	17,559	5.070
GROUNDS MAINTENANCE	122.002	122.210	126.045	115.241	120.000	1.055	1.60/
Purch Prop Svcs Supplies	123,992 2,100	122,318 458	126,045 2,380	115,341	128,000 1,600	1,955 (780)	1.6% -32.8%
Property	1,000	458	1,000	58 200	600	(400)	-32.8%
Function Total	127,092	122,776	129,425	115,599	130,200	775	0.6%
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SPECIAL ED TRANSPORTAT		5 010	0.005	0.004		(0.005)	100.00/
Other Purch Svcs	26,200	7,819	8,095	8,094	0		-100.0%
Function Total	26,200	7,819	8,095	8,094	0	(8,095)	-100.0%
VOCATIONAL TRANSPORT		18 (0)		10 200	10 000	2 000	10.00/
Other Purch Svcs	15,500	17,604	16,000	18,288	19,000	3,000	18.8%
Function Total	15,500	17,604	16,000	18,288	19,000	3,000	18.8%
ATHLETIC TRANSPORTATI							
Other Purch Svcs	80,807	81,407	102,183	34,705	102,183	0	0.0%
Function Total	80,807	81,407	102,183	34,705	102,183	0	0.0%
FIELD TRIPS				1000000			
Other Purch Svcs	16,294	11,881	18,925	2,488	19,220	295	1.6%
Function Total	16,294	11,881	18,925	2,488	19,220	295	1.6%
SITE IMPROVEMENTS							
Purch Prop Svcs	6,700	6,316	6,850	1,163	6,000	(850)	-12.4%
Function Total	6,700	6,316	6,850	1,163	6,000	(850)	-12.4%
BUILDING IMPROVEMENT	-					00000000	
Purch Prop Svcs	0	14,717	0	(1,000)	8,700	8,700	n/a
Function Total	0	14,717	0	(1,000)	8,700	8,700	n/a
INTERFUND TRANSFER OU							
Other Objects	8,500	16,469	25,480	44,544	33,500	8,020	31.5%
Function Total	8,500	16,469	25,480	44,544	33,500	8,020	31.5%
HIGH SCHOOL TOTAL	10,562,896	10,311,129	11,054,572	10,162,187	11,700,920	646,348	5.8%
DISTRICT TOTAL	22,004,858	21,544,974	22,421,465	20,992,601	22,534,124	112,659	0.5%

 Other Articles to be voted: (NOT included in above)

 Article 4 Support Staff Contract Settlement: Total including all articles:
 \$ 16,600



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the School Board Dresden School District Hanover, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Dresden School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, which collectively comprise the Dresden School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Dresden School District's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Dresden School District as of June 30, 2010, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information and schedule of funding progress are not a required part of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Dresden School District's basic financial statements. The combining and individual fund schedules are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. They have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

December 20, 2010

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#### EXHIBIT C-1 DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT Governmental Funds Balance Sheet June 30, 2010

	G	eneral	_	Grants	Building nstruction		Athletic Fields	Go	Other vernmental Funds	Go	Total overnmental Funds
ASSETS											
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4	28,284	\$	-	\$ 444,410	s		\$	147,297	\$	1,019,991
Receivables:									22.146		27 606
Accounts		14,421			10 (10		104 711		23,165		37,586
Intergovernmental		44,856		99,062	10,610		104,711		4,572		263,811
Interfund receivable		212,676		-	-		-		-		212,676
Prepaid items		10,087	_	-	 	-		-	-	-	10,087
Total assets	\$ 7	10,324	\$	99,062	\$ 455,020	\$	104,711	\$	175,034	S	1,544,151
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES											
Liabilities:											
Accounts payable	\$	47,914	S	6,187	\$	\$	-	S	2,961	\$	57,062
Accrued salaries and benefits		69,698		-	-				-		69,698
Interfund payable		-		92,875	-		98,753		21,048		212,676
Deferred revenue		-		-	•		104,711		4,405		109,116
Total liabilities	1	17,612	_	99,062	 -	=	203,464	_	28,414	_	448,552
Fund balances:											
Reserved for encumbrances		24,017			-		-				24,017
Unreserved, undesignated, reported in:											
General fund	:	568,695		-	-		-				568,695
Capital project funds					455,020		(98,753)		-		356,267
Special revenue funds		-		-	197 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 - 1970 -		NGA - 51		146,620		146,620
Total fund balances	5	592,712	_	-	455,020	_	(98,753)		146,620	_	1,095,599
Fotal liabilities and fund balances	\$ 7	710,324	s	99,062	\$ 455,020	s	104,711	\$	175.034	\$	1,544,151

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

#### EXHIBIT C-3 DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances June 30, 2010

		General	G	rants		Building		athletic Fields	Go	Other vernmental Funds	G	Total overnmental Funds
Revenues:											_	
School district assessment	S	17,098,089	S	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	17,098,089
Other local		3,496,323		-		3,796		-		812,053		4,312,172
State		837,021		-		-		-		17,303		854,324
Federal	22	2,726	28	31,149					_	8,395		292,270
Total revenues		21,434,159	28	31,149		3,796		-		837,751		22,556,855
Expenditures:												
Current:												
Instruction		9,335,598	28	31,149		-		-		297,978		9,914,725
Support services:												
Student		791,142		÷.,		-						791,142
Instructional staff		573,863		÷.,		-		-		-		573,863
General administration		67,865		-		-		-				67,865
Executive administration		685,294		-		-		-		-		685,294
School administration		5,056,636		-		-		-		-		5,056,636
Business				-				-		-		-
Operation and maintenance of plant		1,421,094		-						-		1,421,094
Student transportation		140,871		-				-		28,000		168,871
Other		-		-		-						-
Noninstructional services				-				-		528,627		528,627
Debt service:												
Principal		2,698,602		-				-				2,698,602
Interest		836,797		-						-		836,797
Facilities acquisition and construction		6,316		-		76,665		-		-		82,981
Total expenditures		21,614,078	28	31,149	_	76,665		-	_	854,605	_	22,826,497
Deficiency of revenues under expenditures	_	(179,919)		-	_	(72,869)				(16,854)	_	(269,642)
Other financing sources (uses):												
Transfers in		800,000		-				546		26,528		826,528
Transfers out		(26,528)				(800,000)		-				(826,528)
Total other financing sources and uses		773,472			_	(800,000)	_	-		26,528	_	-
Net change in fund balances		593,553				(872,869)		-		9,674		(269,642)
Fund balances, beginning		(841)		-		1,327,889	1	(98,753)		136,946		1,365,241
Fund balances, ending	\$	592,712	\$		\$	455,020	\$	(98,753)	\$	146,620	\$	1,095,599

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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#### SCHEDULE 1 DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT Major General Fund Schedule of Estimated and Actual Revenues (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) June 30, 2010

	Estimated	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
School district assessment:		10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1	1
Current appropriation	\$ 17,098,089	\$ 17,098,089	<u> </u>
Other local sources:			
Tuition	3,266,953	3,354,211	87,258
Investment earnings	5,000	7,571	2,571
Rentals	-	24,249	24,249
Miscellaneous	123,000	110,292	(12,708)
Total from other local sources	3,394,953	3,496,323	101,370
State sources:			
School building aid	692,616	692,616	-
Vocational aid	16,500	22,375	5,875
Total from state sources	709,116	714,991	5,875
Federal sources:			
Federal forest reserve	2,700	2,726	26
Other financing sources:			
Transfers in	800,000	800,000	<u> </u>
Total revenues	\$ 22,004,858	\$ 22,112,129	\$ 107,271
	100 million (100 m		

#### SCHEDULE 2 DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT Major General Fund Schedule of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)

June 30, 2010

	fro	umbered m Prior Year	Appropriations		E	xpenditures		cumbered ubsequent Year	Variance Positive (Negative)	
Current:	20						0.000		Сэ	
Instruction:										
Regular programs	\$	2,676	\$	6,766,263	\$	6,785,689	\$	805		(17,555)
Special programs		-		1,967,428		1,867,019				100,409
Vocational programs		-		40,000		56,664		-		(16,664)
Other				502,990	_	504,197			3	(1,207)
Total instruction		2,676		9,276,681		9,213,569		805	-	64,983
Support services:										
Student		215		780,944		791,142		305		(10,288)
Instructional staff				611,744		573,863		5,542		32,339
General administration				112,420		67,865				44,555
Executive administration				686,993		685,294				1,699
School administration		-		5,276,201		5,056,636		-		219,565
Operation and maintenance of plant		2,720		1,534,804		1,421,094		2,647		113,783
Student transportation		-		162,972		140,871		-		22,101
Total support services	_	2,935	_	9,166,078	_	8,736,765	_	8,494		423,754
Debt service:										
Principal of long-term debt		2		2,698,601		2,698,602		-		(1)
Interest on long-term debt		-		836,798		836,797		-		1
Total debt service	_		_	3,535,399	_	3,535,399	_	-		
Facilities acquisition and construction		-	_	13,200	_	6,316		14,718		(7,834)
Other financing uses:										
Transfers out		-		13,500		26,528		<u>.</u>	-	(13,028)
Total appropriations, expenditures,										
other financing uses and encumbrances	\$	5,611	\$	22,004,858	\$	21,518,577	\$	24,017	5	467,875

#### SCHEDULE 3 DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT Major General Fund Schedule of Changes in Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) June 30, 2010

Unreserved, undesignated fund balance, beginning			\$	(6,451)
2009-2010 Budget summary:				
Revenue surplus (Schedule 1)	\$	107,271		
Unexpended balance of appropriations (Schedule 2)	100	467,875		
2009-2010 Budget surplus		13	_	575,146
Unreserved, undesignated fund balance, ending			\$	568,695

#### Hanover High School Class of 2010

- Addante, RaphaelA.
   Amdahl, Luc G.\*
   Ames, Camille VanDyck
   Anderson, Elizabeth W.\*\*
- Appleby, Elizabeth Laura Ashton, Alice Gwendolyn Bach, Iana L.
   Barthold, Jeanne Emily\*\*
- Bensen, Emily Elizabeth\*\* Black, Klarey J. Boillotat, Emma Sayre
- Bozuwa, Johanna Mary Brighton, Clark A. Brown, Ari Brown, Jonathan K.
- Brown, Robert William Burke, Andrew D.
- Cabri, Gioia A.\* Caldwell, Heidi Waters Carpenter, Abigail Reeves Carpenter, Alysha Castillo, Kyle Jay
- Caulo, Matthew C. Celaya, Valeria Chambers, Kimberly B. Chobanian, John P.\*\*
- Choi, Patrick
- Clark, Natalie M. Cleveland, Mason R. Cole, Erik Cole, Matthew Connelly, Chloe A.\* Connolly, Sawyer I. Coulter, Julia C.
- Currier, Katherine E.\*\* Danna, David Elliott Darnall, Zachary

- DeFrancis, Paco Dodds, Haley M. Dow, Evan Manning
- Dufty, Keegan Robert
- Dwyer, Margaret
- Emerson, Constance S.\* Fall, Lauren A.\*\* Farnham, Samuel A.\*\*
- Fennelly, Peter
- Fenton, Jonathan Michael Fiering, Miriam T.\*
- Flanagan, Caroline Rene Flory, Elizabeth M.\* Forward, Amanda
- Foster, Tariku E.
- Fulton, Christopher B. Gardiner, Andrew R.Z.
- Gautier, William Connor Gemunden, Sean A.
- Gest, Samuel McCord
- Gick, Niklas W.
- Gorham, Samuel Lawrence Gorlin, Hilary Rachel Gorman, Hannah C.\*\* Gougelet, Kathryn L. Guan, Wen\*\*
- Hagen, Ryan G. Hanna, Nathan H. Harris, Anna F. Harvey, Francesca E. Hastings, Tira Harding
- Helble, Jennifer D.\* Henry, Ian Robert Hernandez-Martinez, Arturo
- Herrmann-Stanzel, Kelsey Hicks, Samuel M. Hinck, Stephanie M.

Hitchcock, Jordan Robert Hurford, Rebekah S. Irwin, Ellen T.\*

- Ivanov, Alexander V.
- Jabbs, Ruth T.
- Jantzen, Colby D.\* Jayanti, Sucharita L. Johnson, Jeffrey Thomas Johnston, Ross Alexander Joseph, Mariclaire Jovine, Janna Johanna
- Jurado, Alexander Bernard
- Jurado, Erik L.
- Kangas, Ashley Brianna
- Katz, Heidi Keeley, Alexander
- Kelliher, Ryan Michael Kennedy, Hannah E Ketcham, Caroline Ruth Kheirollah, Saeid Kispert, Brian J.\*\*
- Klinck, Gavin C. Kolmeister, Brett C.
- Kornfeld, Hannah R. Kovacikova, Gabriela Koval, Courtney R.
- Kunz, Leighton E.
- Leighton, Elizabeth A. Levin, Thomas Nathan
- Levy, Martin D. Martin, Jordan A.
- \* Magna Cum Laude
- \*\* Maxima Cum Laude
- Denotes Norwich resident

#### **Telephone Contacts**

Emergency Only: Ambulance, Fire, Police
Non-emergency
Ambulance
Fire
Police
Game Warden
Town Garage
Web Page

#### **Office Hours / Contacts**

#### **Meeting Schedules**

(at Tracy Hall unless otherwise noted. Please note that meeting dates and times may change.) Affordable Housing (at Norwich Public Library) ... 3rd Monday at 7:00pm Development Review Board .....1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:00pm Dresden School Board (at Hanover High School Library) . . .4th Tuesday at 7:00pm Fire Department Training (at Fire Department) ... 2nd Monday at 6:30pm FAST Squad Training ..... 1st Monday at 6:30pm Norwich School Board (at Marion Cross School Library). 1st Wednesday at 7:00pm Norwich Public Library Board of Trustees (at Library) ... 3rd Thursday at 7:00pm Planning Commission . . . . . . . . . . . . 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:00pm Prudential Committee/Fire District ..... 3rd Monday at 5:30pm Trails Committee (at Norwich Historical Society) . 1st Wednesday at 7:00pm Transportation Committee .....1st and 3rd Wednesday at 7:00pm Upper Valley Trails Alliance .....last Wednesday at 6:00pm

#### **General Information**

- Access from Highways: A written permit is required for any access from a property to state-aid roads and all Town roads. If you wish to create a driveway or access to property from these roads, you must obtain a permit. A permit is also required if the use of a private road is changed, e.g., logging road changed to a residential driveway. Permit applications are available from the Norwich Town Clerk and should be submitted to the Norwich Zoning Administrator.
- Zoning and Building Permits: No building construction or land development may commence, and no land or structure may be devoted to a new or changed use within the Town without a permit issued by the Norwich Zoning Administrator. Any business carried on within the home requires either a Home Occupation Permit or a conditionaluse approval by the Development Review Board (DRB). All subdivisions require approval from the DRB.
- **On-site Sewage Disposal Systems:** New or replacement sewage disposal systems require a wastewater permit issued by the Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation (802-885-8855). Construction, modification or expansion of any structure requiring a new or expanded sewage disposal system may not commence until a wastewater permit has been issued. Repairs or modifications to existing sewage disposal systems may also require a state permit.
- Solid Waste Disposal: Use of the Town Transfer Station and Recycling Center is limited to Norwich residents. A windshield sticker, which costs \$1, may be obtained at the Town Clerk's office. You pay a per-bag fee for all trash that cannot be recycled. Fees are \$3.50 per ticket purchased at the Transfer Station (by check only) and \$30 for a card of 10 purchased at the Town Clerk's office.

Permits for the landfill in Hartford, Vermont, are available at the Town Clerk's office, together with the rules and coupons necessary for payment. Coupons cost \$3.80 each, \$38.00 for a card of 10, and windshield stickers cost \$20.

**Pet Licenses:** All dogs and wolf hybrids must be licensed annually on or before April 1 of each year. A current rabies vaccination certificate must be presented before an animal can be licensed. Regular license fees are \$8 for a neutered male or spayed female, \$12 for others. A statutory fine of one-half of the license fee will be charged for dogs licensed after April 1.

Copies of all ordinances are available or on file at the Town Clerk's office.

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Hanover High School Auditorium 7pm Thursday, February 24, 2011 Dresden District Meeting

7am to 7pm Tuesday, March 1, 2011 Tracy Hall Voting Hours

7pm Monday, February 28, 2011 Tracy Hall

Norwich Town Meeting

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