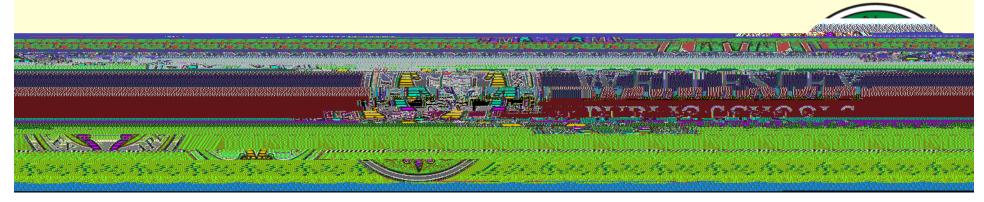
FY14 PROPOSED BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS

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FY14 BUDGET GAP

FY13 SCHOOL DEPT BUDGET	\$58,115,123
2.8% INCREASE PER TOWN	1,627,223
FY14 ORIGINAL TOWN GUIDELINE	\$59,742,346

FY14 SCHOOL COMMITTEE BUDGET \$60,583,158

FY14 BUDGET GAP *

\$450,000

* Based on updated Town budget information, the gap is less than what would be required to meet the original Town guideline of a 2.8% increase

FACTORS AS YET TO BE DETERMINED

The following are important considerations that will ultimately inform final decisions on adjustments that are made:

- FY13 Circuit Breaker Carryover
- •! FY14 Circuit Breaker Reimbursement Percentage
- Chapter 70 and Other State Aid to the Town
- Special Education Costs

PROPOSED ADJUSTMENTS TO CLOSE THE GAP

PROCESS - Non-Salary Budgets

Non-Salary budgets, excluding Special Education, total \$2,368,177

Certain line items within that amount can't be reduced (e.g., software licenses, vocational tuition, translation services)

Each Principal, K-12 Director, and Elementary Coordinator was asked to review the Non-Salary budgets, keeping in mind the District Priorities, and to propose how they would reduce the Non-Salary budgets by 10%

Goal: \$200,000 in Non-Salary reductions

PROPOSED ADJUSTMENTS TO CLOSE THE GAP

PROCESS – Staffing and Compensation

The Administration reviewed current staffing, requested positions and overall compensation

Goal: \$250,000 in Staffing and Compensation Adjustments

PROPOSED ADJUSTMENTS TO CLOSE THE GAP

NON-SALARY BUDGETS - What's Included?

- Maintenance of computer and other equipment
- ! Computer, copier, office supplies
- General classroom supplies
- Instructional Materials, Textbooks, Instructional Software, Periodicals, Video Media, Workbooks, Equipment
- Professional Development: Training, Conferences, Professional Memberships
- ! Nursing/Medical supplies
- Network infrastructure maintenance
- Special Education Services, Transportation Services, Legal Services

NON-SALARY BUDGETS AND ADJUSTMENTS

SCHOOL	FY14 BUDGET	ADJUSTMENT	FY14 REVISED
Preschool	2,294	-323	1,971
Bates	105,597	-11,069	94,528
Fiske	125,331	-10,407	114,924
Hardy	92,850	-9,630	83,220
Hunnewell	93,286	-8,520	84,766
Sprague	122,722	-12,351	110,371
Schofield			

IMPACT OF ADJUSTMENTS

- Impact on day to day support for the curriculum at all grade levels (general supplies – mainly paper, computer supplies, etc.)
- •! Impact on Literacy program with reduction in Guided Reading

IMPACT OF ADJUSTMENTS (cont'd)

- Library budgets for periodicals, newspapers and video media are reduced while PTOs will continue to fund library books
- Continued reliance on fees to support Art and Performing Arts programs

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QUESTIONS?