Board of Finance Public Hearing

April 9, 2012

Capital and Operating Budgets

Agenda

- > Two Public Hearings Tonight
 - Capital Projects
 - Operating Budgets
- Public Audience for Both
 - > 3 minutes focused on merits of the issue
- **Presenters**
 - ▶ Mary Glassman 1st Selectman
 - **▶** Lydia Tedone Chairman BOE
- ➤ Moderator/Presenter Paul Henault

Capital Budget Public Hearing

- ➤ Mary Glassman 1st Selectman
- > Presentations followed by Public Audience

Operating Budget Public Hearing

- ➤ Mary Glassman 1st Selectman
- ➤ Lydia Tedone Chairman Board of Education
- **▶** Paul Henault Board of Finance Overview
- > Presentations followed by Public Audience

Board of Finance

- Elected Citizen Oversight Board
- Balance Expenditure & Revenues
- Hold Public Hearings
- Approve Operating and Capital Budgets
- Submit to Town Meeting and Referendum
- Set Mill Rate (Tax Rate)

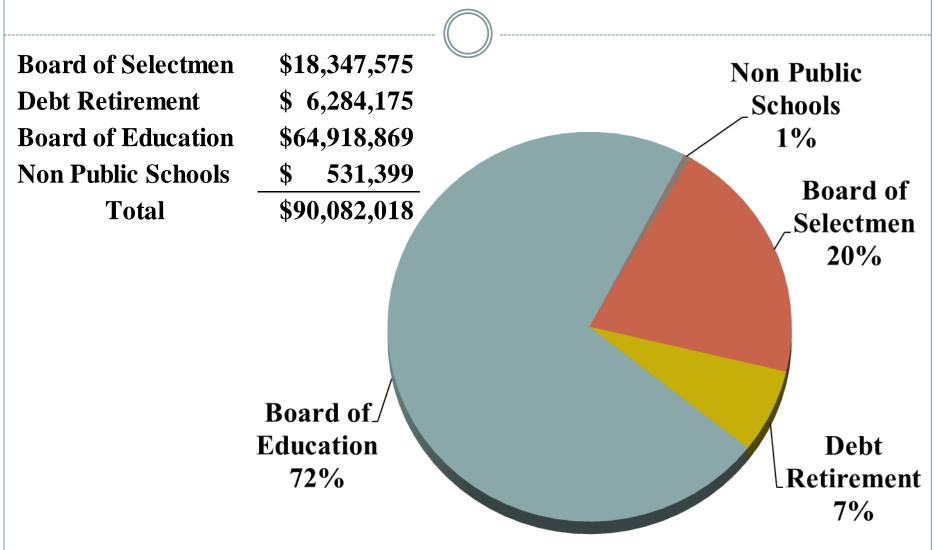
Budget Context

- Multi Year problem since 2008
- State Aid Government Grants
 - Governor's Proposal
- Grand List Revaluation
 - Declining Values
- Pension, Wage and Benefits Obligations
 - Recommended Change to Pension Interest Rate Assumption
- Capital Requests and impact on Debt Policy
- The Hartford concerns

Operating Budgets

	Adopted	Requested			
	Budget	Budget	Dollar	Percentage	
	<u>FY2013</u>	<u>FY2014</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Change</u>	
Board of					
Selectman	18,038,600	18,347,575	308,975	1.71%	
Debt					
Retirement	6,082,355	6,284,175	201,820	3.32%	
Board of					
Education ex - State/Fed grants and expenditures	63,716,112	64,918,869	1,202,757	1.89%	
Non Public					
Schools	528,738	531,399	2,661	0.50%	
Total	88,365,805	90,082,018	1,716,213	1.94%	

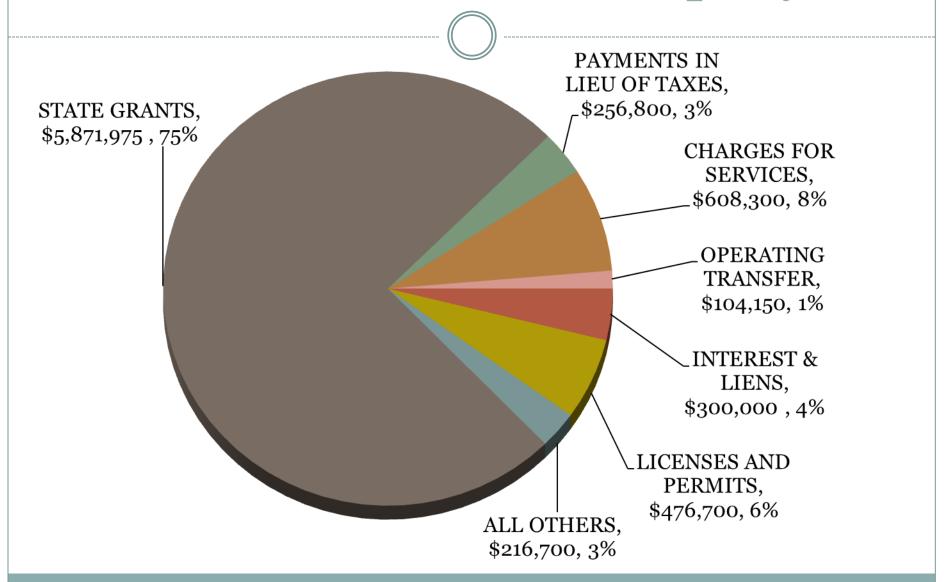
Proposed FY 2014 Budget



Estimated Revenue Summary

BY FUNCTION	2013 BUDGET	2014 BUDGET	
INTEREST & LIENS	300,000	300,000	
LICENSES AND PERMITS	356,300	476,700	
FINES AND PENALTIES	67,600	31,200	
INTEREST	150,000	25,000	
RENTAL PROPERTY	163,700	158,500	
ASSESSMENTS	2,000	2,000	
STATE GRANTS IN LIEU OF TAXES	209,300	91,665	
STATE GRANTS	5,801,233	5,774,310	
FEDERAL GRANTS	6,000	6,000	
REVENUES FROM OTHER AGENCIES	246,300	256,800	
CHARGES FOR SERVICES	573,500	608,300	
OPERATING TRANSFER	106,545	104,150	

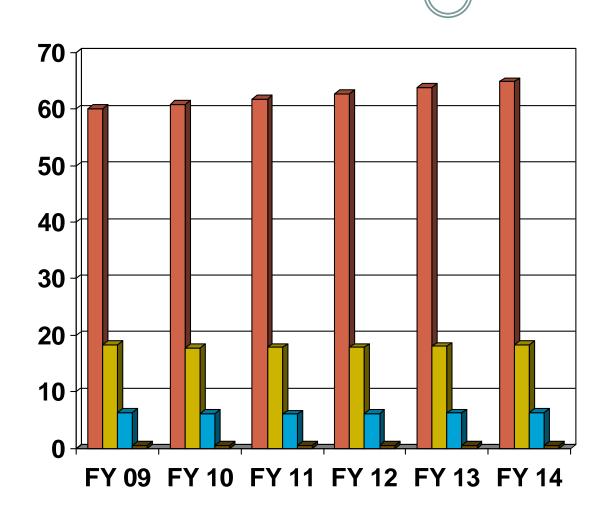
Estimated Revenue (Non-Property Tax)



Annual Allocation of Budget (\$000's)

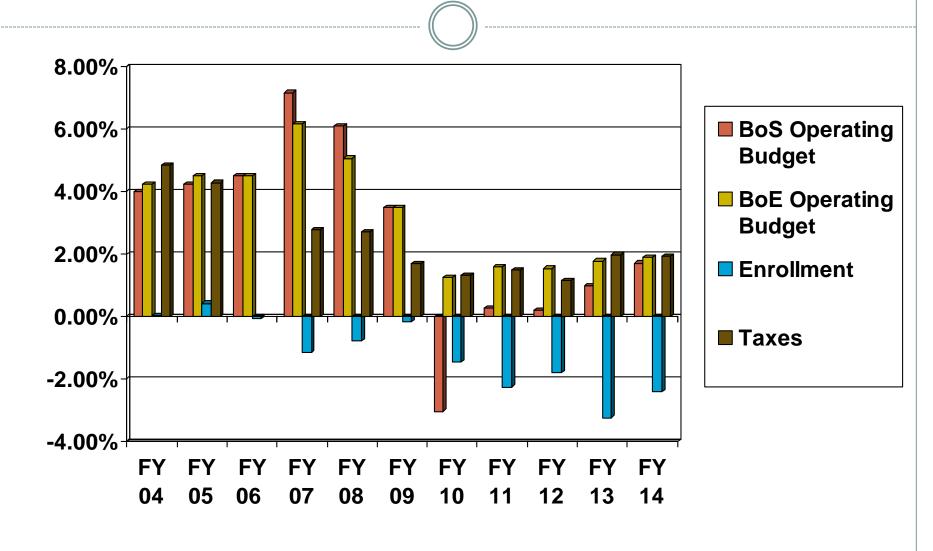
	08-09	09-10	10-11	11-12	2013	2014
BOARD OF EDUCATION	60,115	60,868	61,842	62,797	63,916	64,919
BOARD OF SELECTMEN	18,333	17,776	17,824	17,860	18,038	18,348
DEBT SERVICE	6,258	6,114	6,053	6,080	6,198	6,284
NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS	507	513	520	524	528	531

Annual Allocation of Budget (000's)



- **■** Board of Education
- **■** Board of Selectmen
- **Debt Service**
- **Non-Public Schools**

Comparison of Key Indicators



Tax Implication Estimates

- Current Mill Rate = 31.47 mills
 - (excluding Fire Tax)
- Current Mill Rate (Adjusted for Revaluation) = 36.46 mills
 - (excluding Fire Tax)
- New Mill Rate (Adjusted for Revaluation) = 37.28 mills
 - (excluding Fire Tax)
- Change:

