Community Forums Scheduled on School Department Budget

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This year the School Committee set a goal for themselves to approach budget development with a focus on allocating resources to support the highest impact on teaching and learning. In previous years, each principal and department head presented their budget requests to the School Committee prior to the presentation of the Superintendent's Proposed Budget. This year, the principals and department heads worked collaboratively as a Leadership Team in the development of the Superintendent's Proposed Budget. The Leadership Team was in attendance as I presented the FY20 Superintendent's Proposed Budget to the School Committee on December 19, 2018. We also presented the FY20 budget to the faculty of LMHS on January 8, 2019 and to the THES and Primary faculty on January 15, 2019.

Two community forums on the proposed budget are scheduled on Monday, January 28, 2019. At these forums, there will be a brief presentation followed by a question and answer period. We are hoping that parents and residents will attend one of the two forums.

Community Forum on School Department Budget

- January 28 1:30-2:30 pm at the Eagle House Senior Center
- January 28 6:00-7:00 pm at LMHS in the LMS Collaborative Room