RED Study Committee

Supplemental Financial Information

JUNE 25, 2015

Assets & Liabilities (FY'14 Audit)

| District/Entity | <u>Assets</u> | Insured Values | <u>Liabilities</u> |
|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Westford | \$ 757,344 | \$ 7,966,960 | \$ 34,500 |
| Essex Town SD | \$14,734,332 | \$ 39,260,426 | \$ 3,613,351 |
| Essex Junction SD | \$ 5,715,002 | \$ 46,965,526 | \$ 997,327* |
| UHSD #46 | \$13,928,027 | \$ 73,745,578 | \$ 9,148,386* |
| CCSU | <u>\$ 102,511</u> | \$ 315,880 | \$ 18,663 |
| Total | \$35,237,216 | \$168,254,370 | \$13,812,227 |

^{*} State construction aid is on hand to help offset these liabilities – see Reserve Funds slide

Assets: Asset values became a requirement of school audits about 10 years ago to represent the depreciated value of buildings and equipment. Land value is based on its worth or cost at the time the district took ownership and is artificially low.

We believe **insured values** are more relevant and present a more meaningful comparison than asset values. As a reminder, towns have the opportunity to regain possession of the land/buildings for \$1.00 in the event the town leaves the merged district.

Liabilities: Liabilities (largely debt across multiple years for construction bonds and equipment purchases) decreases with each passing year and have already been factored into current tax rates.

Audited Fund Balances

| | | Revenue Amount Rolled | |
|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---|
| District/Entity | FY'14 Audited Amount | into FY'16 Budget | Notes |
| | | | \$60,000 was budgeted in FY'15 & FY'16 to |
| Westford | (\$104,255) | \$0 | cover this deficit and the anticipated FY'15 |
| | | | surplus will cover the balance |
| Essex Town | \$81,341 | \$81,341 | |
| | \$632,069 | \$515,000 | Difference in amount relates to tax |
| Essex Junction | | | penalties/interest revenue that was added |
| LSSEX JUIICUOII | | | by auditors as a result of the tax collection |
| | | | agreement with the Town of Essex |
| U#46 | \$404,112 | \$409,000 | Difference in amount relates to late audit |
| 0#40 | 7404,112 | Ş 4 09,000 | adjustments |
| CCSU | \$71,348 | \$80,000 | Difference in amount relates to late audit |
| CC30 | \$71,546 | Ş60,000 | adjustments |
| Total | \$1,084,615 | \$1,085,341 | |

Unanticipated changes in expenses and revenues result in differing amounts of fund balance each year.

Fund balance amounts, by law, must become a revenue in the second subsequent annual budget. Undesignated fund balances are not permitted to carry over from year to year unless approved for a specific reason. Individual fund balances that result from operations of the separate districts in FY'16 will offset taxes in the first year's consolidated budget if the merger is approved and takes effect in FY'18.

Reserve Funds

| District | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Westford | \$ 0 | |
| Feeny lunction | | \$ 0 |
| Essex Junction | 6 200 777 | |
| *Capital Reserve | \$ 300,777 | |
| Bond Defeasance (Renov/Roof Aid) | \$ 142,000 | |
| | | \$ 442 <i>,</i> 777 |
| Essex Town | | |
| Dental & Health Reserves | \$ 14,000 | |
| **Capital Reserve | \$ 1,200 | |
| • | . , | \$ 15,200 |
| U#46 | | ,, |
| Bond Defeasance (Library Aid) | \$ 290,000 | |
| OneCampus State Aid | \$1,753,077 | |
| One campus state Aid | 71,733,077 | \$2,043,077 |
| COCII | | 32,043,077 |
| CCSU | 4 | |
| Dental Reserve | \$ 65,900 | |
| | | \$ 65,900 |
| Grand Total | | \$2,566,954 |

Amounts as of June 30, 2015

- * EJ's Capital Reserve was established in the amount of \$6,750,000 when ET 'bought into' U#46 in 1996. The reserve would have been depleted had we not added new tax revenues beginning in FY'09
- ** ET's Capital Improvement & Facilities Maintenance Reserve was established in 2012 and has been supported by voters in separate articles in each subsequent year. For FY'16, voters approved adding \$125,000 to the capital reserve. In its first three years, the reserve has supported \$474,559 in necessary projects. Nothing is planned for reserve-funded improvements in FY'16.

Capital Plans

| | FY'16-FY'19 | |
|----------------|-------------|---|
| District | Amount | Notes |
| Westford | \$265,500 | Developed within the last few years. Only plan that also includes routine maintenance items in addition to capital fund items. This amount only includes capital items. |
| Essex Town | \$1,935,000 | List of future capital improvements for consideration. Not broken out by year. |
| Essex Junction | \$1,270,000 | The only known project that isn't fully captured within the plan is a desired project relating to renovation of special education and family/consumer science spaces at ADL. |
| U#46 | \$1,392,150 | The only known projects that aren't captured within the plan are: (1) roof replacement - board planned to seek approval for a bond with annual payments aligning with decreases in other long-term debt; and (2) renovation/replacement of Building Trades/Natural Resources facility which would be a Center for Technology, Essex (CTE) project with annual payments being factored into CTE tuition rates. |
| Total | \$4,862,650 | |

Back Up

Westford Capital Plan

At Useful Life in FY'16 =

| Description | Year Bought/ | Estimated | Estimated | FY'13 | FY'14 | FY'15 | FY'16 | FY'17 | FY'18 | FY'19 | FY'20 |
|---|---------------|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| • | Repaired | Useful Life | Cost | 11 13 | 11 14 | 1113 | 11110 | 1111/ | | 1113 | 1120 |
| New Entrance near playground | | N/A | \$30,000 | | | | | | \$30,000 | | |
| Retaining Wall & Drainage - South End | | N/A | \$6,000 | | \$8,341 | | | | | | |
| Driveway Pavement | 1993 | 15 years | \$50,000 | \$2,000 | | | | \$50,000 | | | |
| Sidewalks | 2010-11 | 15 years | \$20,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Roofs: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gym (Pitched) | 2012 | 20 years | \$22,400 | \$22,400 | | | | | | | |
| Common Area (Ballast) | 1993 | 15-20 years | \$45,000 | | | | \$45,000 | | | | |
| Gym Roof (Ballast) | 2002 | 20 years | \$45,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Office & Specials Area Roof | 2003 | 20 years | \$55,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Middle School Area Roof | 2005 | 20 years | \$60,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Heating: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oil Burner | 1993/2012 | 20 years | \$5,000 | \$0 | | | | | | | |
| Wood Chip Burner: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boiler Refractory | 1993 | 15 years | \$25,000 | | | | | | \$25,000 | | |
| Chip Bunker | 2014 | 15 years | \$65,225 | | \$1,659 | \$26,886 | | | | | |
| Duct Cleaning | 2014 | 5 years | \$4,000 | | | \$4,000 | | | | | \$4,000 |
| Ventilators (27) | 1970-2014 | 30 years | \$48,600 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 | \$1,800 |
| Circulating pumps (3) | 2011 - oldest | 20 years | \$9,500 | | \$3,000 | \$3,000 | | | | | \$3,500 |
| Septic System (septic tank) | 1993 | 40 years | \$65,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Drinking Water System | 2001 | 20-50 years | \$20,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Hot Water Heaters (tankless - 2) | 1978 | 20 years | \$4,000 | | | | | \$4,000 | | | |
| 3 Phase Converter System w/efficient motors | 1993 | 20 years | \$10,000 | | | | | \$10,000 | | | |
| Elevator lift | 2012 | 10 years | \$9,600 | | | | | | | | |
| Tractor | 2009 | 10 years | \$20,000 | | | | | | | | \$20,000 |
| Windows: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Single-pane replacements (20 - 3) | 1967/2012 | 25 years | \$56,100 | \$0 | | \$23,114 | \$5,000 | \$20,000 | \$8,000 | | |
| Double-pane replacements (30) | 1978 | 25 years | \$48,000 | | | | | | \$16,000 | \$24,000 | \$8,000 |
| Thermal, double-pane replacements (35) | 1993 | 25 years | \$45,500 | | | | | | | \$32,500 | \$13,000 |
| Kitchen Equipment: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Commercial Refrigerator A | Unknown | 10 years | \$3,800 | | | | \$3,800 | | | | |
| Dishwasher | Unknown | 10 years | \$4,200 | | | | \$4,200 | | | | |
| Convection Oven | Unknown | 10 years | \$3,900 | | | | | \$3,900 | | | |
| Commercial Refrigerator B | 2008 | 10 years | \$3,800 | | | | | | \$3,800 | | |
| Heated Serving Well Bar | 2012 | 15 years | \$9,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Salad/Veggie Bar | 2012 | 15 years | \$9,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total | | | \$802,625 | \$26,200 | \$14,800 | \$58,800 | \$59,800 | \$89,700 | \$84,600 | \$58,300 | \$50,300 |

Beyond Useful Life =

Capital Fund =

EJSD Capital Plan

| Title | Site | Description | FY'15 | FY'16 | FY'17 | FY'18 | FY'19 |
|--|------------|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Safety & Security | DISTRICT | Doors | \$13,000 | | | | |
| | SUMMIT | Paging & Clock System | \$26,000 | | | | |
| Safety & Security Total | | | \$39,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Accessibility Improvement Issues | SUMMIT | Exterior Steps - North | \$50,000 | | | | |
| Accessibility Improvement Issues Tot | al | | \$50,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Preventative & Routine Capital Maintenance | DISTRICT | Child Nutrition Equipment | \$34,000 | | | | |
| | | Roof Repairs | \$30,000 | \$75,000 | \$175,000 | \$120,000 | |
| | | Heat Plant Repairs | | \$10,000 | | \$10,000 | |
| | FLEMING | Stage Curtain | \$7,000 | | | | |
| Preventative & Routine Capital Mainte | nance Tota | l | \$71,000 | \$85,000 | \$175,000 | \$130,000 | \$0 |
| Environment Enhancements/Efficiencies | DISTRICT | Information Technology | \$55,000 | \$55,000 | \$55,000 | \$55,000 | \$55,000 |
| | ADL | Bathroom Flooring | \$11,000 | | | | |
| | | Renovations (FACS & SpEd) | | | | \$50,000 | \$185,000 |
| | SUMMIT | Building Renovations | | \$425,000 | | | |
| Environment Enhancements/Efficience | ies Total | | \$66,000 | \$480,000 | \$55,000 | \$105,000 | \$240,000 |
| Grand Total | | | \$226,000 | \$565,000 | \$230,000 | \$235,000 | \$240,000 |

Roof Repairs: FY16-18 to replace 1995 ADL roof and partial replacement at Fleming

Heat Plant Repairs: For unanticipated, costly repairs such as burner or pump replacement - funds can roll-over

Information Technology: Two switches and wireless access points

ADL Renovation: Begin saving for renovation to meet educational needs (FACS & SpEd)

Summit Renovations: Renovation of the main office to provide space for guidance, social worker/ELL/testing, conference space, and a lobby area

U#46 Capital Plan

| Category | Item | FY'15 | FY'16 | FY'17 | FY'18 | FY'19 |
|--|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Life Safety & Security | Safety/Security | \$9,739 | | | | |
| | Replacement of Doors/Frames | \$50,000 | | | | |
| Life Safety & Security Total | | \$59,739 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Accessibility Improvements | Bathroom Improvements | \$35,000 | \$35,000 | \$35,000 | \$35,000 | |
| | Stadium Accessibility | | | | \$50,000 | \$50,000 |
| Accessibility Improvements Total | | \$35,000 | \$35,000 | \$35,000 | \$85,000 | \$50,000 |
| Preventative & Routine Capital Maintenance | Replacement Vehicles | | | \$30,000 | | |
| | Resurface Track | | \$150,000 | | | |
| | Heat Plant Repair | \$10,000 | \$9,650 | \$20,000 | \$20,000 | \$20,000 |
| | Roof Repair/Replacement | | | | | |
| Preventative & Routine Capital Maintena | nce Total | \$10,000 | \$159,650 | \$50,000 | \$20,000 | \$20,000 |
| Environment Enhancements/Efficiencies | Information Technology | \$50,400 | \$50,000 | \$50,000 | \$50,000 | \$50,000 |
| | Renovate Baseball Field | \$10,000 | | | | |
| | Pavement Repair - Ed Ctr Dr | \$25,000 | | | | |
| | Enhancing Educational Physical Space | \$50,000 | | | | |
| | Renovation of Instructional Spaces | | | \$182,500 | \$202,500 | \$245,000 |
| | Locker Replacement | | | \$25,000 | \$25,000 | \$25,000 |
| | Paint Gym | | | \$32,500 | | |
| Environment Enhancements/Efficiencies | Environment Enhancements/Efficiencies | | | \$290,000 | \$277,500 | \$320,000 |
| Grand Total | | \$240,139 | \$244,650 | \$375,000 | \$382,500 | \$390,000 |

Bathroom Improvements (handicap-accessible): Four teacher rooms in FY'16; Locker room bathroom improvements in FY'17 & FY'18

Stadium Accessibility: Ramp and wheelchair platform - not needed if there is a larger stadium project

Replacement Vehicles: Replacement of Truck (2001)

Resurface Track: Running surface is worn down and peeling; resurface includes 5-year warranty

Heat Plant Repair: Set aside for unanticipated repairs

Roof Repair/Replacement: Most of the roof is over 20 years old; Will need to arrange for a bond within the next few years

Information Technology: Funding for infrastructure - Switches & VMWare server upgrades in FY'16

Enhancing Educational Physical Space: Improvements discussed during community engagement; courtyard work in FY'15; Continued

work on the front entrance will be accomplished using funds previously set aside for kitchen floor replacement

Renovation of Instructional Spaces: Renovations of spaces such as band/chorus, creation of multi-purpose spaces, etc.

Locker Replacement: Remove about 1,800 old, narrow lockers with about 1,500 new; Total requirement about \$150K

Paint Gym: Paint ceiling and upper walls - ceiling has never been done; includes realigning banners

ETSD Capital

FUTURE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS SUMMARY for FY16 Budget & Capital Reserve Considerations

| Estimated Amount | Description | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| \$ 250,000 | Replace EES Roof - Pods Wing | | |
| 250,000 | - | | |
| 225,000 | | | |
| 200,000 | Replace FMS Windows | | |
| 200,000 | Enlarge FMS Parent Parking Lot | | |
| 200,000 | Replace EES C-Wing Single Pane Windows & HVAC System | | |
| 150,000 | Install Final Stage Digital HVAC Control Upgrades - all Buildings | | |
| 130,000 | Replace EES Boilers | | |
| 75,000 | Replace FMS Elevator | | |
| 60,000 | Repave EMS Roadway & Install Additional Drainage | | |
| 35,000 | Install Hoods in EES & FMS Kitchens for Gas Appliances | | |
| 35,000 | Install Additional Speakers to PA/Phone System | | |
| 25,000 | Repair Exterior Door Frames - EMS Lobby B & EES C-Wing | | |
| 25,000 | Install EEE Wing Ventilation System | | |
| 20,000 | Redesign EES Playground Pavement | | |
| 20,000 | Replace FMS Knob Locks with Lever-type, Re-Key Building | | |
| 20,000 Replace EES Sidewalk North of C-Wing | | | |
| 10,000 Install Additional Security Card Readers at various exterior doors | | | |
| | Install Outdoor Speakers & Warning Lights to Security System | | |
| \$1,935,000 | Total Estimated Cost for Identified Capital Improvements | | |