West Orange Board of Education West Orange, New Jersey

J. Scott Cascone, Ed. D. Superintendent of Schools

John Calavano Business Administrator

2021-2022 BUDGET GOALS

- Continue to provide funding to maintain a safe environment in all buildings.
- Continue to reduce the amount of fund balance utilized to balance the budget.
- Optimize district spending in order to increase student achievement.
- Review and evaluate district expenditures to identify opportunities for efficiencies and financial savings.

WEST ORANGE BOARD OF EDUCATION

2021 – 2022 TENTATIVE BUDGET CALENDAR

| Activity | Completion Date |
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| Analyze State Aid and Tax Levy Data | October |
| Create Budget Goals and Calendar | October |
| Create and Review Budget Development Guidelines/Forms with Management Team | November |
| Town Hall Budget Preparation Meeting | November/December |
| Submit Budget & Staffing Requests and Supporting Materials to Superintendent's Office Budgets Entered in Systems 3000 | December |
| Review Budget Requests with Administrative Team | December |
| Defend Budgets to the Superintendent | December/January |
| Special Budget Meeting | February |
| Governor's Budget Address | February 23 |
| Update Revenue Projections Based on State Aid Notices | February 25 |
| Special Budget Meeting | March |
| Approve Preliminary Budget for County Office Review | On or Before March 20 |
| Submit Budget to County Superintendent of Schools | On or Before March 20 |
| Special Budget Meeting | April |
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| Public Hearing on Budget | April 24 – May 7 |
| Post User-Friendly Budget on District Website | Within 48 Hours After Public Hearing |

Certify Tax Levy to the County

Board of Taxation

By May 19