

# Governor's Proposed 2019-2020 State Budget

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# **Budget Adoption Process**

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- Governor presents proposed State budget January 10
- MVWSD staff plans budget assumptions
- Governor and State legislators negotiate the specifics of the budget
- Staff presents Second Interim Budget Report to Board on 3/7
- MVWSD finalizes budget assumptions in March/April
- Governor presents a revised budget in mid-May
- District adopts 2019-2020 budget June 13
- State adopts the 2019-2020 budget by June 30



# Themes and Highlights of Governor's Budget

## **General Theme of Budget Presentation**

- The economy continues to outperform expectations, but the recovery from the Great Recession is in its tenth year and some fear a downturn is looming
  - National employment is robust
  - The unemployment rate remains low at 3.9% in December 2018
  - Both the U.S. and California are at full employment
- Though not as robust, the housing market remains steady
- Proposition 98 requires a minimum percentage of the state budget to be spent on K-12 education.

#### **Prop 98 Growth is Slowing**

- The minimum guarantee has declined from the 2018 Budget Act for both 2017-18 and 2018-19
- The 2019-20 minimum guarantee is \$80.7 billion (\$2.8 billion increase from 2017-18)

# Risks to the California Economy and the State Budget

- The Budget assumes moderate growth over the forecast period
- Even a moderate recession could result in significant revenue declines
- Maintaining a balanced budget under the moderate recession scenario would be a challenge
- The trade war between the U.S. and China contributes to increased risks of stock market volatility and a recession
- Policy conflicts with the federal government
- Housing crisis due to decades of historical underproduction of supply when compared to demand

## **Overview of the State Budget**

- Prop 2 Rainy Day Fund additional reserves beyond the \$13.5 billion currently set aside in the Budget Stabilization Account (commonly called the Rainy Day Fund)
- The Budget assumes an additional \$1.8 billion transfer in 2019-20 and an additional \$4.1 billion over the remainder of the forecast period, bringing the Rainy Day Fund to \$19.4 billion by 2022-23.
- The Budget also adds \$700 million to the Safety Net Reserve created in the 2018 Budget Act, bringing the total in this reserve to \$900 million. This reserve sets aside funds specifically to protect safety net services during the next recession.
- Expand the Paid Family Leave program with the goal of ensuring that all babies can be cared for by a parent or a close family member for the first six months.

## **Education Budget**

- Statewide K-12 enrollment continues to decline
  - ADA is expected to decline from \$5.935 million in 2018-19 to \$5.928 million in 2019-20
- Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) at full funding
  - Began 2013-2014, with planned full funding in 2020-2021 school year
  - Proposed \$2.8B contribution in 2019-20 (increase from \$77.9 B in 2018-19 to \$80.7B in 2019-20)
  - State-funded districts can anticipate only cost of living adjustments (COLA) starting 2019-20, which is proposed at 3.46%
  - This brings LCFF funding to \$63 billion (up from \$61 billion in 2018-19)
- One-time and ongoing funding proposed to be used for Special Education services and school readiness services not currently specified in the IEP

# **Education Budget (continued)**

- Non-Proposition 98 funding
  - \$750M for Full-Day Kindergarten and \$422M for Full-Day Preschool
  - \$700M to reduce the CalSTRS employer contribution rate by 1% in both 2019-20 and 2020-21
  - Proposed pay down of \$5.3 billion in unfunded pension liabilities.
    - \$3 billion towards supplemental payment to CalPERS
    - \$2.3 billion towards CalSTRS employers' liability, which is expected to reduce the
      - out-year employer contribution rate by approximately 0.5%
  - \$10M in one-time funding for a longitudinal intersegmental student data system

## **Accountability System**

#### Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP)

 With full LCFF funding, districts will be expected to make academic achievement progress with Unduplicated Pupils (UPP) (low income, English learner, and/or Foster youth)

#### Dashboard

 In December 2018, the CDE and the State Board of Education (SBE) released the second year of the Dashboard, the state's grading system for LEAs and individual schools

#### Fiscal Transparency

- Proposed State template to align expenditures to LCFF goals
- New budget overview for parents
- New prompts to identify and detail plans for schools identified for comprehensive support and improvement as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act



# Impact on MVWSD

## The Education Budget

- No one-time discretionary funding proposed for 2019-20
- Grade Span Adjustment (24:1)
  - TK-3gr must be at 24:1 next year
- The K-12 COLA is 3.46% for 2019-20 and is applied to the LCFF base grants for each grade span
- 2019-20 LCFF growth provides an average increase in per-pupil funding of an estimated \$343 per ADA, or 3.37%
- Supplemental and concentration (S/C) grants are calculated based on the unduplicated pupil percentage (UPP)
- Mandated Block Grant \$32.24 per ADA
- Current Expense of Education Actuals (CEA)
  - approximately 43% of elementary districts did not meet CEA threshold of 60% in 2016-2017

# The Education Budget (contd...)

- Facilities Construction
  - Includes approximately \$1.5B for the State Facility Program, including New Construction, Modernization, CTE Facilities, and the Charter School Facilities programs
- Special Education
  - \$576 million (of which \$186 million is one time) to support expanded Special Education services and school readiness supports at LEAs with high percentages of both SWDs and unduplicated students
- After School Programs
  - No increases
- Preschool reimbursement rates increased by 3.46% COLA
  - Part-day: \$30.94 per day
  - Full-day: \$49.95 per day



# Multi-Year Projection

# Multi-Year Projection (contd..)

- One-time discretionary dollars, used by many LEAs to provide off-schedule salary increases, are no more
- The proposed Budget provides some bargaining opportunities and challenges
- The annual increased cost of maintaining existing salary schedules, and related benefits, will continue to outpace annual COLAs leaving little, if any, dollars on the bargaining table
- In a COLA only environment, all districts receive the same percentage of funding increase. Increase in funding will be COLA-only.

	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	Compounded Effect
Statutory COLA	2.71%	3.46%	2.86%	2.92%	2.90%	15.76%
California CPI	3.58%	3.18%	3.05%	2.92%	3.15%	16.92%

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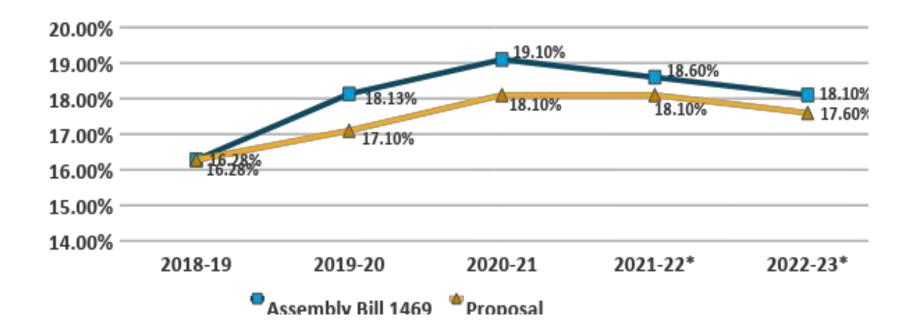
- Routine Restricted Maintenance Account (RRMA)
  - minimum of 3% of general fund expenditures for ongoing maintenance in 2020-2021.
- The 2019 Federal Budget includes minimal increases for federally funded programs
- Local Agency Reserves
  - Exempts basic aid districts and districts with fewer than 2,501 ADA
  - A larger reserve is recommended because of:
  - State economic crisis
  - Fast growth
  - Smaller district
  - Declining enrollment
  - Deficit spending
  - Basic aid district
  - ➤ Per MVWSD **Board Resolution** 1664.1/18 (January 4, 2018):

A balanced general fund shall be defined as the unrestricted general reserve level in the third year of any Board-enacted budget adoption or interim budget report falls within the range of 17%-20%, and may include deficit spending in any or all of they three years included in the multi-year projection.

# **Multi-Year Projection**

- CalPERS and CalSTRS
  - Contribution rates are scheduled to grow through 2020-21

CalSTRS Employer Contribution Rates – Current Law Vs Governor's Proposal



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CalSTRS CalPERS

Fiscal Year	Current (per AB 1469)	Proposed (per Jan. Budget)	Effect of Jan. Budget	
2018–19	16.28	16.28		
2019–20	18.13	17.1	-1.03	
2020–21	19.1	18.1	-1.0	
2021–22	18.2*	17.7*	-0.5	
2022–23	18.2*	17.7*	-0.5	
2023–24	18.2*	17.7*	-0.5	
2024–25	18.2*	17.7*	-0.5	
2025–26	18.2*	17.7*	-0.5	

Fiscal Year	Projected Rates			
2018–19	18.062			
2019–20	20.7*			
2020–21	23.4*			
2021–22	24.5*			
2022–23	25.0*			
2023-24	25.5*			
2024–25	25.7*			
2025–26	25.5*			

Reduction in STRS rate will save the District \$230K in 2019-2020 and \$204K in 2020-2021

# Multi-Year Projection (contd..)

Change From First Interim to Second Interim					
Assumption	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Applied to	
COLA %  Cost of Living Adjustment	0.00%	0.89%	0.19%	<ul> <li>LCFF</li> <li>Special Education and other categorical programs</li> <li>MBG</li> </ul>	
CalSTRS Rate	0.00%	-1.03%	-1.00%	<ul><li>Certificated salaries</li></ul>	

# Multi-Year Projection (cont'd..)

PLANNING FACTORS							
Factors		2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	
Statutory COLA <sup>3</sup>		2.71%	3.46%	2.86%	2.92%	2.90%	
California CPI		3.58%	3.18%	3.05%	2.92%	3.15%	
California I attant	Unrestricted per ADA	\$151	\$151	\$151	\$151	\$151	
California Lottery —	Restricted per ADA	\$53	\$53	\$53	\$53	\$53	
Mandate Block Grant	Grades K-8 per ADA	\$31.16	\$32.24	\$33.16	\$34.13	\$35.12	
CalPERS Employer Rate4		18.062%	20.70%	23.40%	24.50%	25.00%	
CalSTRS Employer Rate <sup>5</sup>		16.28%	17.10%	18.10%	18.10%	17.60%	
One-Time Discretionary Funds per ADA		\$184	( <del>-</del>	-	-	70	



# **Next Steps**

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- State spends next few months working/negotiating trailer bills
- Draft assumptions for MVWSD budget review and discussion
- Staff presents the Second Interim Budget Report at March 7 board meeting
- Action on budget assumptions in late March/early April
- Governor presents his Revised Proposed State Budget in May