

### RIDGEFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### **BUDGET PRESENTATION**

SY 2022-2023

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## **BUDGET QUESTIONS**

- WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE RIDGEFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS BUDGET?
- WHAT IS THE IMPLICATION TO THE TAXPAYERS?



## RIDGEFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2022-2023 BUDGET



## **BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS**

- Maintains current programs and class sizes
- Additional Elementary School Counselor



## 10 YEAR HISTORY OF STATE AID

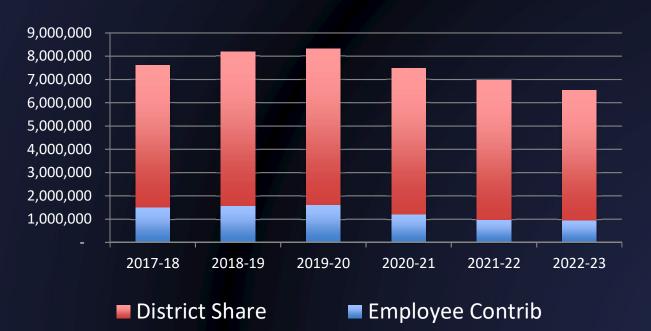


The district saw an increase of \$82,472 in school aid.



## HEALTH BENEFITS COST

	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Total Health Cost	7,662,281	8,200,489	8,328,413	7,485,118	6,969,100	6,543,000
Employee Contribution	1,502,000	1,570,000	1,610,000	1,211,980	970,000	960,000
District Share	6,120,281	6,630,489	6,718,413	6,273,138	5,999,100	5,583,000





### **BUDGET COMPARISON**

# CURRENT YEAR (2021-22)

- County Office Approval
- 2% Tax Levy Increase
- Tax Increase of \$ 451,333
- No waivers
- Projected Magnet School Enrollment of 175
- Magnet School Revenue -\$9,198,382

## PROPOSED BUDGET (2022-23)

- County Office Approval
- 2% Tax Levy Increase
- Tax Increase of \$ 460,359
- No waivers
- Projected Magnet School Enrollment of 165
- Magnet School Revenue -\$9,176,139

# CAPITAL & MAINTENANCE RESERVE WITHDRAWALS

### Bergen Boulevard School:

Remove and Replace Side Staircase by Parking Lot - \$14,000

#### Slocum Skewes School:

- ➤ Paving of Slocum Schools Playground \$80,000
- Paving of Slocum Schools Parking Lot \$40,000
- ➤ Intercom Upgrade \$25,000

### Ridgefield Memorial High School:

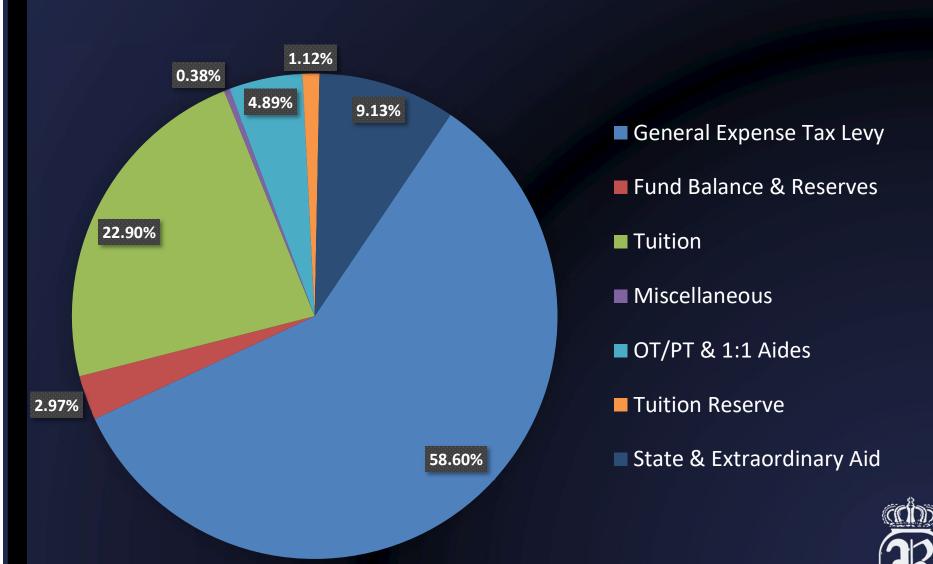
- ➤ Roof Replacement, Athletic Storage Unit \$10,000
- Repair of Staircase- \$18,000

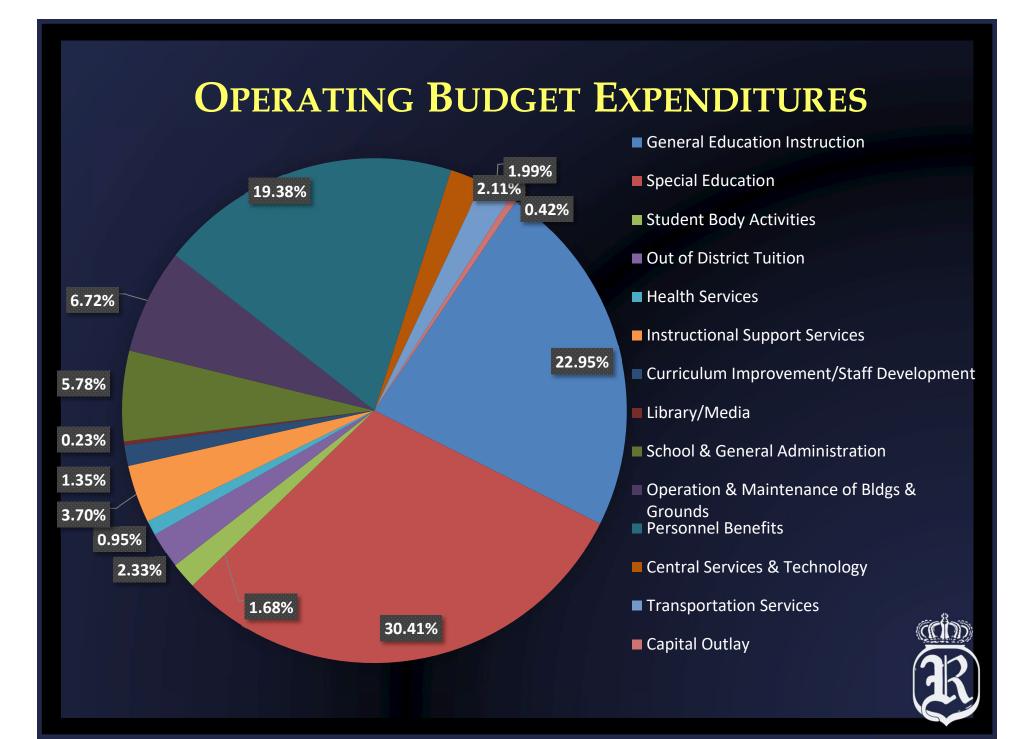
#### Districtwide

Fire Alarm Communication Device/Monitoring Upgrade - \$4,000



## **OPERATING BUDGET REVENUES**





## PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION

Category	2022-2023		
General Fund Tax Levy	\$ 23,478,319		
Amount of Tax Levy Increase/ (Decrease) from 2021-2022 to 2022-2023 General Fund	\$460,359 (Current Expense Tax Levy) \$(157,161)(Debt Repayment Tax Levy)		
% Increase from 2021-2022 to 2022-2023 General Fund	2%		
Tax Increase on Average Home	\$113.36		

Based on Assessed Valuation of \$ 393,515 for Average Home Based on Total Assessed Valuation of \$1,568,657,788



## THANK YOU

