Sachem Central School District School District Budget Notice

Overall Budget Proposal

	N	Modified Budget Budget Proposed for 2009-10 for 2010-11 School Year School Year		Contingency Budget for 2010-11 School Year*		
Total budgeted amount	\$	277,694,940	\$	280,711,665	\$	276,124,265
Increase/decrease for the 2010-11 school year			\$	3,016,725	\$	(1,570,675)
Percentage increase (decrease) in each budget				1.09%		-0.57%
Percentage increase (decrease) in the consumer price index				-0.40%		
Property tax levy for the 2010-11 school year			\$	146,820,084	\$	142,232,684
Administrative component	\$	23,385,004	\$	24,187,302	\$	24,040,493
Program component	\$	210,730,537	\$	215,452,405	\$	211,970,375
Capital component	\$	43,579,399	\$	41,071,958	\$	40,113,397

^{*} Statement of assumptions made in projecting a contingency budget for the 2010-11 school year, should the proposed budget be defeated. (1)

Should it become necessary to adopt a contingency budget, the district may decrease expenditures in the areas of equipment, capital projects and any other non-contingent areas that are not necessary for the health and safety of the school district.

Basic STAR Exemption Impact

Estimated Basic STAR (2) Exemption Savings:

	Budget Adopted for 2010-11 School Year	
Basic STAR tax savings	\$	490

The annual budget vote for the fiscal year 2010-11 by the qualified voters of the Sachem school district, Suffolk County, New York, will be held at all twelve (12) elementary schools in said district on Tuesday, May 18, 2010 between the hours of 6:00AM and 9:00PM prevailing time in all twelve (12) elementary schools, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting machine.

- (1) Provide a statement of assumptions made in estimating the contingency budget pursuant to section 2023 of the Education Law.
- (2) The basic school tax relief (STAR) exemption is authorized by section 425 of the Real Property Tax Law.

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