**Education Law §3614 School Funding Allocation Report**

**Part F - Narrative Description**

**(A) Describe the local methodology/approach used to allocate funds to each school in the district during the process of budget development and implementation. (B) Please also describe the role(s) of all relevant stakeholders in such budgetary processes and decision-making. (C) Finally, if schools are allocated a significant portion of their funds—either in part or in full—through a formula, outline the nature/mechanics of the formula and the elements impacting each school’s allocation.**

**Specifically, the Division of Budget and the State Education Department would consider a complete response to this question to include explicit answers to the questions included in the rubric below, including a substantive discussion on the translation of students needs into the district's budget (at least 1 sentence per question, when applicable).**

A. Budget Development Process is lead by the Superintendent and the Business Official. We review the needs for each building to ensure the buildings have the resources they need. We begin the budget process in January with an overview and have each department and building leaders present their recommendations for the budget to the board at board meetings. We collaborate with directors, building leaders and central office administrators. The building leaders represent the needs of the buildings after meetings with their staff. The directors represent the needs of the support departments. We do not use a specific formula to allocate funds.

**If applicable, is there anything unique about certain schools which explain why per pupil spending at these locations may be significantly higher/lower than the district average?**

No

**If applicable, describe any items which the district feels are anomalous in nature and require additional description.**

None

  