

Dear Wappingers Families,

On May 21<sup>st</sup> the public will have the opportunity to vote on the Board adopted budget and a proposition that contains critical improvements to all school buildings as well as a sorely needed bus garage. These improvements have been planned to repair and rebuild district and school building infrastructure while saving taxpayer money through a combination of state aid, energy savings, and rental cost elimination. The Bus Proposition supports our ongoing student transportation needs through the replacement of vehicles that must come out of service because of mechanical or frame failure due to rust. Our ability to reduce the frequency at which we need to replace vehicles is addressed by the improvements made possible by the Capital Improvements Project Proposition. This is another example of a cost saving measure made possible by preventive maintenance, a long standing goal addressed by the Capital Improvements Project Proposition.

For full information on the Board of Education adopted budget, our Capital Improvement Project Proposition and the Bus Proposition please visit our [2013-2014 Budget Information page](#). This link will provide you with a schedule of budget presentations by the Superintendent. If you are unable to attend a presentation you can still see the information and presentation material by accessing this link.

Regards,

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