

## East EPO Budget Presentation 2023-24

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#### Context

- Resolution No. 2019-20: 734 approved the renewal of the EPO contract with the University of Rochester effective January 2020 for up to a 5 year term to commence on July 1, 2020 upon NYSED approval.
- Per the fully executed EPO agreement, budgetary support shall not be decreased from what was established in the 2019-20 school year.
- In response to the financial crisis for RCSD, we volunteered to temporarily reduce our budget by 20.3% for the 2020-21 school year.
- We reduced programs even further due to COVID and will return additional funds for the 2022-23 school year
- For the 2023-24 school year, we will work to reestablish all programs and services as originally intended in the EPO agreement



### 2023-24 School Year Budget

- Receivership was created to insulate school improvement efforts from conditions outside of its control.
- Meaning, our budget has to be managed appropriately and should not impede the efforts of the District. The same holds true for the District's impact on the EPO's budget.
- We have consistently been fiscally responsible for 8 years. We anticipate additional savings for the 2022-23 year. However, academic priorities that were delayed will be fully restored. Our model has an emphasis on staff development, school culture, and curriculum development. We will use the American Rescue Plan to create learning opportunities for the larger Rochester community to ensure the learning is shared.



### 2023-24 Budget continued

- The approved EPO combined General Fund and Special Aid Fund budget for the 2023-24 school year is \$22,209,911
- This budget will refocus our energy on the programs, systems, and structures which has led to our transformative successes
  - Freshman Academy success
  - Creating and sustaining a literacy rich environment
  - Professional Learning
  - Curricular development and revision
  - Developing a culturally sustaining environment
  - Our use of pandemic funds include academic programs for other schools and RCSD staff
  - Expand our programs for Students With Disabilities



#### **SPED Budgeted Projection**

| Year<br>2020-2021 | Class     | Teacher       | Paras         | ТА                          | PE           | Music        | Art                         | Tech         | Health       | Speech       |    | Grand Total |
|-------------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----|-------------|
|                   | 12:1:3 US | \$ 75,645.63  | \$ 46,701.20  | \$ 27,513.26                | \$ 16,253.57 | \$ 14,693.28 | \$ 15,129.13                | \$ 15,910.77 | \$ 15,129.13 | \$ 20,250.06 | \$ | 247,226.02  |
|                   | 8:1:2 LS  | \$ 75,645.63  | \$ 23,350.60  | \$ 27,513.26                | \$ 16,253.57 | \$ 14,693.28 | \$ 15,129.13                | \$ 7,955.38  | \$ 7,564.56  | \$ 20,250.06 | \$ | 208,355.47  |
|                   | 12:1:1 LS | \$ 75,645.63  | \$-           | \$ 27,513.26                | \$ 16,253.57 | \$ 14,693.28 | \$ 15,129.13                | \$ 7,955.38  | \$ 7,564.56  | \$ 20,250.06 | \$ | 185,004.87  |
| Total             |           | \$ 226,936.90 | \$ 70,051.80  | \$ 82,539.77                | \$ 48,760.71 | \$ 44,079.84 | \$ 45 <mark>,</mark> 387.38 | \$ 31,821.54 | \$ 30,258.25 | \$ 60,750.17 | \$ | 640,586.37  |
| Cost              |           |               |               |                             |              |              |                             |              |              |              |    |             |
| Year<br>2021-2022 | Class     | Teacher       | Paras         | ТА                          | PE           | Music        | Art                         | Tech         | Health       | Speech       |    | Grand Total |
|                   | 12:1:3 US | \$ 77,895.00  | \$ 49,314.13  | \$ 29,054.00                | \$ 16,742.80 | \$ 15,127.90 | \$ 15,579.00                | \$-          | \$ 15,579.00 | \$ 20,859.25 | \$ | 240,151.08  |
|                   | 12:1:1 LS | \$ 77,895.00  | \$-           | \$ 29,054.00                | \$ 16,742.80 | \$ 15,127.90 | \$ 15,579.00                | \$ 8,194.00  | \$ 7,789.50  | \$ 20,859.25 | \$ | 191,241.45  |
|                   | 12:1:1 LS | \$ 77,895.00  | \$ -          | \$ 29,054.00                | \$ 16,742.80 | \$ 15,127.90 | \$ 15,579.00                | \$ 8,194.00  | \$ 7,789.50  | \$ 20,859.25 | \$ | 191,241.45  |
|                   | 8:01:02   | \$ 77,895.00  | \$ 49,314.13  | \$ 29,054.00                | \$ 16,742.80 | \$ 15,127.90 | \$ 15,579.00                | \$ 8,194.00  | \$ 7,789.50  | \$ 20,859.25 | \$ | 240,555.58  |
| Total             |           | \$ 311,580.00 | \$ 98,628.27  | \$ 116,216.00               | \$ 66,971.20 | \$ 60,511.60 | \$ 62,316.00                | \$ 24,582.00 | \$ 38,947.50 | \$ 83,437.00 | \$ | 863,189.57  |
| Cost              |           |               |               |                             |              |              |                             |              |              |              | Γ  | 34.75%      |
| Year<br>2022-23+  | Class     | Teacher       | Paras         | ТА                          | PE           | Music        | Art                         | Tech         | Health       | Speech       |    | Grand Total |
|                   | 12:1:3 US | \$ 79,225.34  | \$ 50,300.42  | \$ 29,635.08                | \$ 17,032.14 | \$ 15,384.95 | \$ 15,845.07                | \$ 16,670.25 | \$ 15,845.07 | \$ 16,975.64 | \$ | 256,913.95  |
|                   | 12:1:3 US | \$ 79,225.34  | \$ 50,300.42  | \$ 29,635.08                | \$ 17,032.14 | \$ 15,384.95 | \$ 15,845.07                | \$ 16,670.25 | \$ 15,845.07 | \$ 16,975.64 | \$ | 256,913.95  |
|                   | 12:1:1 LS | \$ 79,225.34  | \$ 50,300.42  | \$ 29,635.08                | \$ 17,032.14 | \$ 15,384.95 | \$ 15,845.07                | \$ 8,335.12  | \$ 7,922.53  | \$ 16,975.64 | \$ | 240,656.29  |
|                   | 12:1:1 LS | \$ 79,225.34  | \$-           | \$ 29,635.08                | \$ 17,032.14 | \$ 15,384.95 | \$ 15,845.07                | \$ 8,335.12  | \$ 7,922.53  | \$ 16,975.64 | \$ | 190,355.87  |
| Total             |           | \$ 316,901.36 | \$ 150,901.25 | \$ 118,540. <mark>32</mark> | \$ 68,128.58 | \$ 61,539.78 | \$ 63,380.27                | \$ 50,010.74 | \$ 47,535.20 | \$ 67,902.54 | \$ | 944,840.05  |
| Cost              |           |               |               |                             |              |              |                             |              |              |              |    | 9.46%       |



#### **Historic Savings**

| Budget Year | Proposed Budget<br>per RCSD Budget<br>Book-All Funds | Amount Returned<br>to RCSD Fund Balance<br>Based On Proposed Budget<br>in RCSD Budget Book |
|-------------|--|--|
| 2015-16     | \$22,482,706   | \$5,535,666  |
| 2016-17     | \$22,695,653   | \$4,561,985  |
| 2017-18     | \$23,583,555   | \$4,187,189  |
| 2018-19     | \$23,719,556   | \$4,803,724  |
| 2019-20     | \$22,209,911   | \$4,631,622  |
| 2020-21     | \$19,058,150   | \$2,116,294  |
| 2021-22     | \$20,430,911   | \$1,838,782*   |
| Total       |  | \$27,675,262   |

\*Estimated as of March 19, 2022



#### **East EPO Initiatives**

- Distributive
  Leadership
- Professional Learning
- Teacher Leaders
- Career & Technical Education (CTE) Programming
- College 30

- Teacher Practices
- Curriculum
- Support Room Model
- Freshman Academy
- Community
  School Model

- Family Group
- Restorative
  Practices
- Alternative Programs
- Family and Community Engagement



#### **Technical Assistance Center**

- Since the inception of the EPO, the Board of Education has supported the creation and development of:
  - Curriculum for all content areas grades 6-12
  - Restorative Practices
  - Teacher Leadership Model
  - Administrative Leadership Model
  - Robust Family and Community Engagement model
  - www.elevatededucator.org
- Through the use of pandemic funds, these services are available to the RCSD at no cost.
- Expand the role of the data and accountability administrator to include curriculum, assessment, and instruction
- The financial accounting of this priority is represented in the reallocation of funds in the administrative lines on page 34 of the Budget Book draft.



# GREAT THINGS ARE HAPPENING HERE

