Advisory Budget Committee Composition and Charge

School Board Approval: August 23, 2016

Purpose:

The purpose of this committee is to become educated about the SRSD budget and provide budget recommendations to the School Board that meets the needs of the students and is fiscally responsible to the taxpayers.

Charge:

1. May conduct an in-depth analysis on spending and best practices in specific areas such as technology, transportation, facilities maintenance/management, insurance, etc., and make recommendations on cost-savings.
2. May serve as a resource to the School Board on budget issues.
3. May recommend process to communicate budget to the community.
4. The Committee's purpose is to advise the School Board. The Committee does not have a vote pertaining to School Board action.

Committee Composition:

- 3 members from Belmont and 3 members from Canterbury
- Community members must be a registered voter of the town they are serving and will be selected by the School Board. Lists of interested candidates will be sent to the School Board.
- Members should attend most budget meetings of the district and School Board deliberations that pertain to its purpose.
- Committee may meet as an entity on select occasions with Superintendent and/or his designee to discuss expenditures in a specific section of the budget.
- All meetings are open to the public and will comply with current Right to Know Laws.