

Joint Meeting\* of the Somersworth City Council and School Board Budget Workshop

March 8, 2021

6 PM – 7 PM

*\*Due to the State of Emergency declared by the Governor and in accordance with the Governor's Emergency Order #12 pursuant to Executive Order 2020-04, this public body is authorized to meet electronically. This meeting will be held via zoom online platform.*

Present were the Mayor, City Manager, Deputy City Manager, Superintendent of Schools, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Business Administrator, all members of the City Council and all members of the School Board.

Meeting was called to order at 6 PM by the Mayor.

Discussion took place on the overall budget process and purpose of the evening's meeting. Councilor members were invited to share their preliminary thoughts on the 2021-2022 proposed school budget. Both members of the Council and School Board discussed ongoing budgetary restrictions due to state revenue losses and citywide tax cap.

The Superintendent gave an overview of the 2021-22 proposed budget and requested that the Council consider adopting the budget as proposed.

Meeting adjourned at 7 PM by the Mayor.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Lane  
Assistant Superintendent of Schools