

2019-20 Budget Adoption Reserves

KENTFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Substantiation of need for reserves greater than the state required minimum reserve for economic uncertainty

The governing board of a school district that proposes to adopt a budget that includes a combined assigned and unassigned ending fund balance in excess of the minimum recommended reserve for economic uncertainties, shall, at the Budget Adoption public hearing, provide:

The minimum recommended reserve for economic uncertainties;

The combined assigned and unassigned ending fund balances that are in excess of the minimum recommended reserve for economic uncertainties for each fiscal year identified in the budget; and

A statement of reasons to substantiate the need for reserves that are higher than the minimum recommended reserve.

		2019-20	
Total General Fund Expenditures & Other Uses		\$	19,004,161
Minimum Reserve requirement	3%	\$	570,125
General Fund Combined Ending Fund Balance 2019-20		\$	1,343,827
Special Reserve Fund Ending Fund Balance (Fund 17)		\$	-
Components of ending balance:			
Nonspendable (revolving, prepaid, etc.)		\$	700
Restricted		\$	-
Committed		\$	-
Assigned			
2% District Designated Reserve		\$	380,083
Special Education Reserve		\$	100,000
Reserve for economic uncertainties	3%	\$	570,125
Unassigned and Unappropriated		\$	292,919
Subtotal Assigned, Unassigned & Unappropriated		\$	1,343,827
Total Components of ending balance		\$	1,343,827
Assigned & Unassigned balances above the minimum 3% reserve requirement		\$	773,702

Statement of Reasons

The District's Fund Balance includes assigned, unassigned and unappropriated components, that in total are greater than the Minimum Recommended Reserve for Economic Uncertainties because:

The Kentfield School District Board of Trustees approved a 2% 'District Designated Reserve'. A 'Special Education Reserve' has been established for unforeseen special education program costs, and the 'Undesignated Reserve' for enrollment growth and staffing needs, and possible unforeseen deferred maintenance costs.