#### **The Houston Independent School District**

## 2002–2003 Recommended Budget

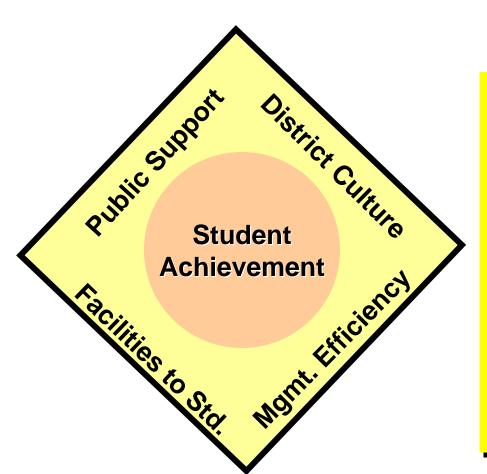


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HISD...Urban Success

#### **Challenges for Building the Budget**

- Perception of closed development process
- Decreased fund balance
- Slowing economy
- Balancing revenues with rising costs
- Convincing the public that HISD is impacted by equalization



#### **Core Values**

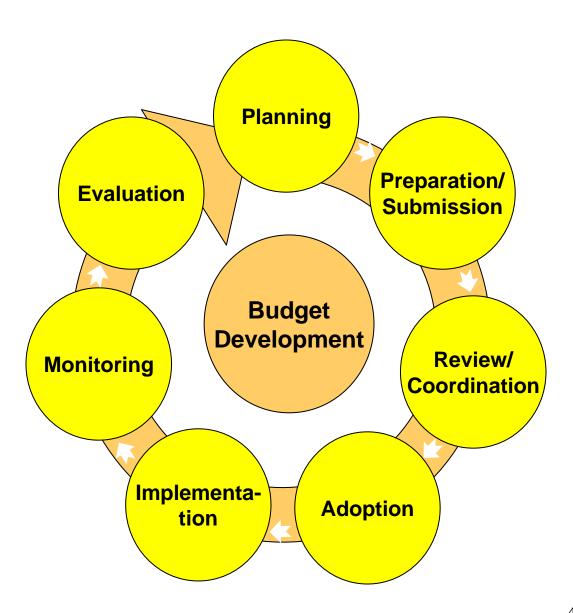
Safety Above All Else

Student Learning is the Main Thing

Focus on Results and Excellence

Parents as Partners
Common Decency

## Budget Development Process



#### **Stakeholders**

#### **Board of Education**



#### **Shared-Decision-Making Committees**

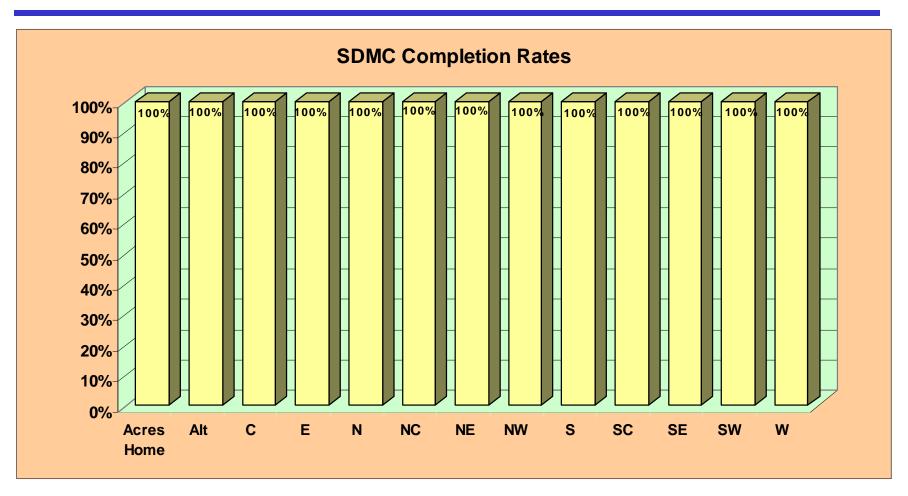
#### FEBRUARY 2002

- Campus administrators were instructed to document the following
  - Informing SDMC about budget development
  - Receiving input from SDMC process on how resources are to be allocated to build the campus budget
- Regional meetings held at
  - Chávez High School
  - Madison High School
  - Waltrip High School
  - Board auditorium
- Inviting public participation

#### **Shared-Decision-Making Committees**

- APRIL 2002
  - School allocations released along with written instructions to turn in SDMC meeting minutes with signatures and/or rosters
- JUNE 2002
  - 100% of campuses supplied documentation to School Administration

#### **SDMC Completion Rates**



#### **Overview of Texas School Finance**

School Finance: Complex, Counter-Intuitive

**Large Number of Influential Participants** 

Governor

Legislature

Comptroller

TEA

**Appraisal District** Attorney General

**School Board** 

**Superintendent** 

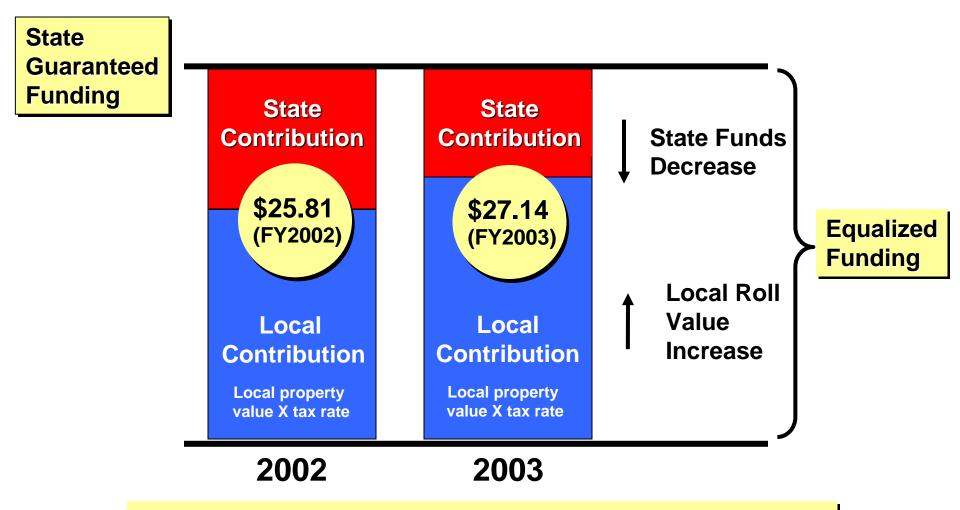
Community

SDMC's

Courts

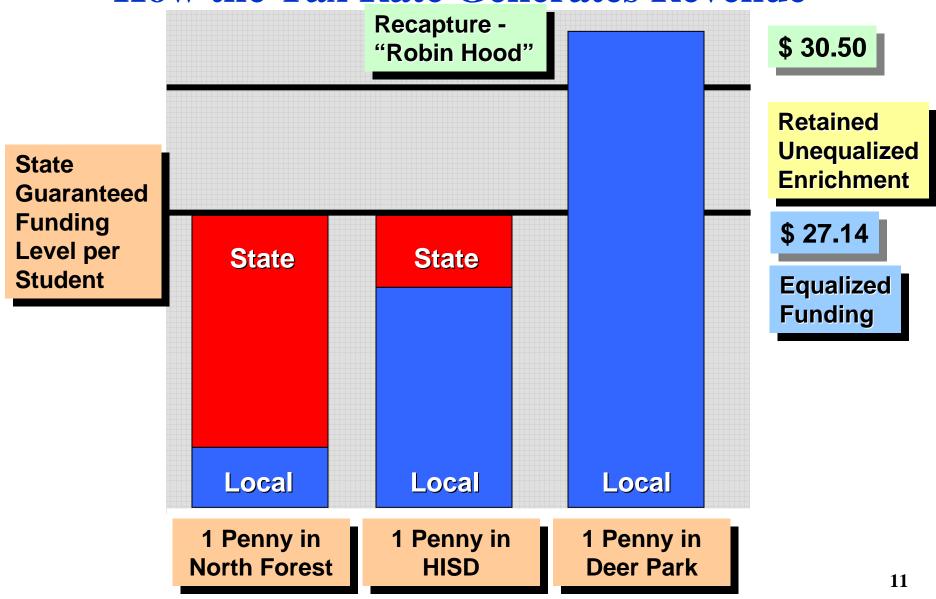
**Highly Technical Issues** 

#### What Happens When the Tax Roll Rises?



When Local Values Rise - State Funding Falls

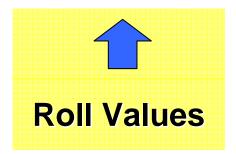
#### **How the Tax Rate Generates Revenue**



# Revenue Differences Between the City of Houston and HISD

## **City of Houston Revenues:**

**Local Roll Value x Tax Rate = Revenue to City** 



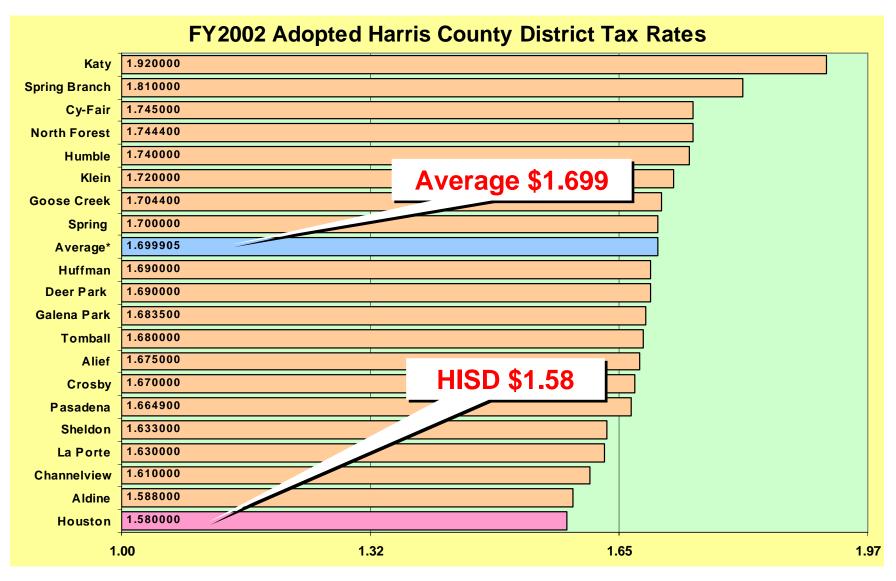


## Revenue Differences Between the City of Houston and HISD

#### **Houston ISD Revenues:**

What TEA Calculates the HISD Program Should Cost minus

Local Roll Value x Tax Rate = State Revenue to HISD



#### **Tax Rate Comparison**

	Aldine ISD	Spring Branch ISD	Houston ISD
Avg. Appraised Home Value	\$126,734	\$126,734	\$126,734
Regular Exemption	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000
Homestead Exemption	\$ -	\$ 25,347	\$ 25,347
Taxable Value	\$111,734	\$86,387	\$86,387
Tax Rate (Per \$100 Valuation)	\$1.588	\$1.81	\$1.58
Taxes Due	\$1,774.34	\$1,563.60	\$1,364.92
	\$409.42 > HISD	\$198.68 > HISD	

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#### **Revenue Factors**

#### **REVENUE PROJECTIONS**

- Taxes
- State Aid and Average Daily Attendance (ADA)

#### **Tax Roll Assumptions**

2001–2002 \$65.2 billion

2002–2003 \$68.9 billion

Increase in Roll Value

\$3.7 billion

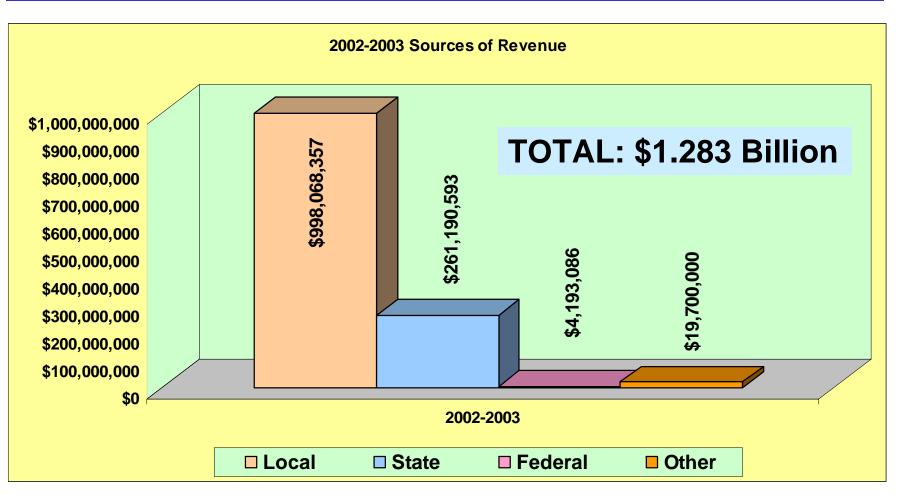
**State Aid** (Per Capita and Foundation School Program)

2001–2002 \$206.2 million
2002–2003 \$194.1 million

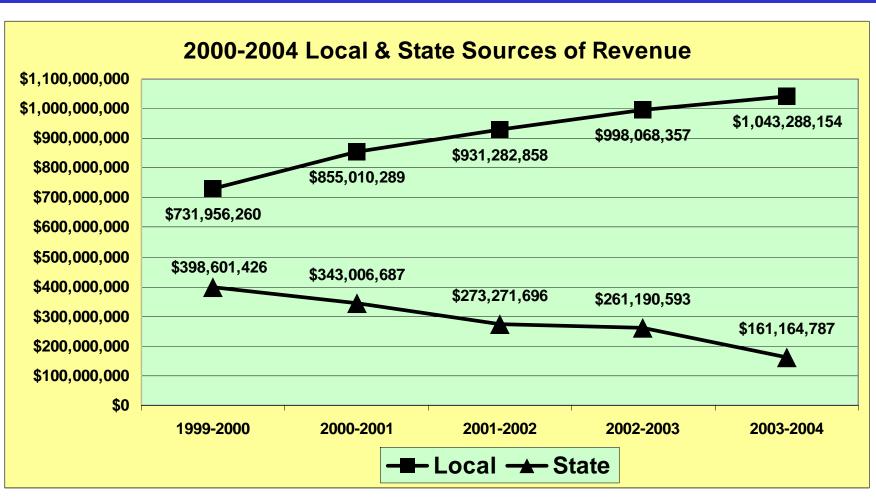
Decrease \$(12.1) million
in State Aid

Revenue forecast based on ADA of 189,500 for both years.

#### 2002–2003 Sources of Revenue



#### **Total Local and State Sources of Revenue**



#### **Expenditure Factors**

#### **EXPENDITURE PROJECTIONS**

- School allocations
- Appropriation increases and decreases
- Departmental budgets

#### **GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS**

## School Allocations 60.51%

General Administration 0.71%

(Direct, Magnet; Alternative; Charter Allocations)

School Administration and District Offices 2.27%

Chief Academic Officer 1.33%

Total Appropriations \$1,410,428,699

School Support Services 2.88%

Chief Financial Officer 1.11%

Districtwide Services 21.60%

(Benefits; Stipends; Utilities; TIRZ Payments)

Chief Business Officer 9.59%

(Transportation; Facilities Maintenance Operation; Security; Technology)

# School Budget Allocations \$853 million

Direct School Allocations

Magnet School Allocations

Alternative School Allocations

Charter School Contracts

#### Decentralization of Funds to Schools

After the budget adoption, approximately \$5 Million\* from the following departments will be decentralized to the schools:

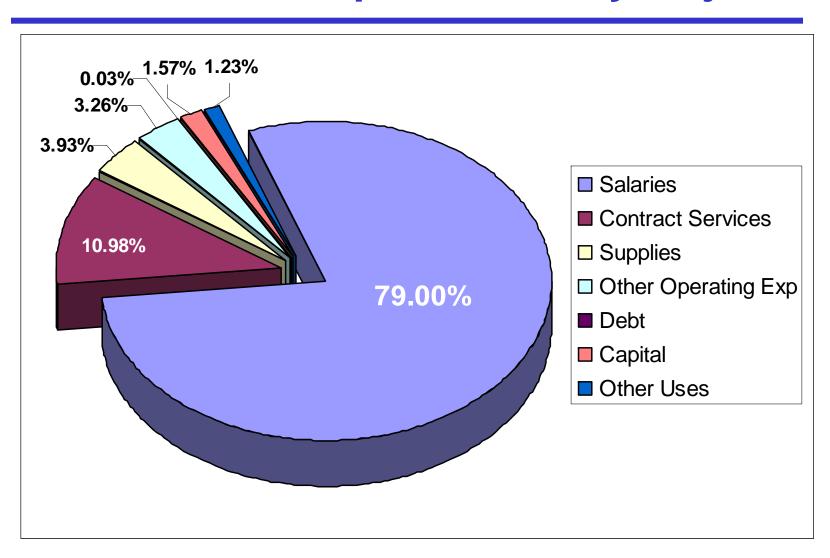
- Instructional Technology
- Technology Training
- State Technology Program
- Fine Arts
- Multilingual Services
- Career and Technology Education

<sup>\*</sup>These funds are from the General Fund and / or Special Revenue Fund.

## **General Fund Expenditures by Object**

	2002 Adopted	2003 Proposed	
Object	Budget	Budget	% Change
Salaries	\$1,116,130,507	\$1,114,178,549	-0.17%
<b>Contracted Services</b>	\$165,274,015	\$154,932,220	-6.26%
Supplies & Materials	\$58,180,102	\$55,390,328	-4.80%
Other Operating Exp.	\$41,705,037	\$46,011,939	10.33%
<b>Debt Services</b>	\$649,915	\$485,099	-25.36%
Capital Outlay	\$18,151,748	\$22,078,189	21.63%
Other Uses	\$10,337,375	\$17,352,375	67.86%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$1,410,428,699	\$1,410,428,699	0.00%

#### **General Fund Expenditures by Object**



#### **Appropriation Increase Detail**

BUDGET INCREASES				
Salary	\$19,730,000	Electricity for New Schools	\$ 1,000,000	
TIRZ Payment*	\$ 5,000,000	<b>Technology Maintenance Contracts</b>	\$ 500,000	
E-Rate Share*	\$ 5,000,000	Fire-Alarm Testing	\$ 450,000	
Property and Casualty Insurance	\$ 2,500,000	Medicare Costs (HB3343)	\$ 310,000	
Charter Schools	\$ 2,000,000	Audit Services	\$ 240,000	
Project Grad/CIS	\$ 1,500,000	High-School Leases	\$ 175,000	
Capital Acquisition Costs*	\$ 1,500,000	Outdoor Education Contracts	\$ 54,833	

\$39,959,833

<sup>\*</sup> Funded in whole or in part by offsetting revenue

## **HISD Salary Increase Proposals**

EMPLOYEE GROUP COST (in million	
Teachers	\$15.21
Master Schedule (regular staff)	2.86
Hourly Staff	1.66
TOTAL COST	\$19.73

#### **HISD Salary Impact**

INCREASE	PERCENTAGE
Weighted Average Teacher Increase	\$3.1%
Master Teacher Schedule Salary Increase	e* 2.0%-7.0%
Hourly Schedule Salary Increase*	1.0%
Teacher Increase with HB 3343 \$1,000	4.4%-8.8%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes master and hourly salary increases of 1% plus \$1,000 for all TRS members (HB 3343).

#### **Appropriation Decrease Detail**

BUDGET DECREASES			
Departmental Reductions	\$(12,313,911)	Electricity Savings	\$(5,000,000)
Other Districtwide and Departmental Reductions	\$(10,944,396)	District Office Cuts	\$(2,800,000)
Districtwide Stipends	\$ (6,978,275)	Voluntary Retirement Pgm.	\$(1,923,251)

\$39,959,833

Decreases include the closing of 166 central-office positions.

## **Total Budgets for All Governmental Funds**

	2002 Adopted	2003 Proposed	
Fund	Budget	Budget	% Change
General	\$1,410,428,699	\$1,410,428,699	0.00%
<b>Debt Service</b>	\$106,089,641	\$107,604,547	1.43%
Special Revenue	\$153,671,546	\$159,095,337	3.53%
Capital Projects	\$200,063,780	\$130,000,000	-35.02%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$1,870,253,666	\$1,807,128,583	-3.38%

#### **Total Budgets for Enterprise Funds**

	2002 Adopted	2003 Proposed	%
Fund	Budget	Budget	Change
Medicaid / TWC	\$1,314,931	\$1,401,288	6.57%
Food Services	\$75,067,385	\$82,543,657	9.96%
<b>Business Development</b>	\$0	\$6,873,308	100.00%
<b>Total Enterprise Funds</b>	\$76,382,316	\$90,818,253	18.90%

Enterprise Funds are used report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services.

#### **Total Budgets for Internal Service Funds**

	2002 Adopted	2003 Proposed	%
Fund	Budget	Budget	Change
Health Insurance Fund	\$111,391,241	\$111,849,800	0.41%
<b>Print Shop Fund</b>	\$3,253,758	\$4,251,313	30.66%
<b>Worker's Compensation</b>	\$24,810,452	\$26,807,826	8.05%
<b>Total Internal Service</b>	\$139,455,451	\$142,908,939	2.48%

Internal Service Funds are used to account for the financing of goods or services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of a government, or to other governments, on a cost-reimbursement basis.

#### **Summary**

- No tax increase
- No cuts to school budgets this year
- Reduced central-office positions
- Reduced central-office non-payroll budgets

#### **Future Challenges**

- Program reviews
- Educational delivery to students
- Central-office efficiencies
- Sale of surplus property
- Tax-rate increases

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