GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT FINAL BUDGET RESOLUTION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026-2027

RESOLVED, that this resolution shall be to propose the general appropriation of Hartford Public Schools for the fiscal year 2026-2027. This resolution makes appropriations, provides for the expenditure of the appropriations, and the disposition of all revenue received by the Hartford Public Schools for the proposed budgets of the General Fund and the School Service Fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the total revenues and unappropriated fund balance estimated to be available for appropriations in the General Fund of the school district for fiscal year 2026-2027 which includes 18.0000 mills of ad valorem taxes to be levied on non-homestead and non-qualified agricultural property to be used for operating purposes is as follows:

Revenue		
1xx	Local	$1,785,555
3xx	State	16,434,681
4xx	Federal	1,080,812
5xx-6xx	Other Financing Sources	499,311
	Total Revenue	$19,800,359
Fund Balance 07/01/2025 Available to Appropriate		7,975,653
Total Available to Appropriate		$27,776,012

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that $19,800,359 of the total available to appropriate in the General Fund is hereby appropriated in the amount and for the purposes set forth as follows:

Expenditures			
1xx	**Instruction:**		
	11x	Basic Programs	$8,052,921
	12x	Added Needs	2,807,995
	13x	Adult Education	77,490
2xx	**Support Services:**		
	21x	Pupil Support	1,032,712
	22x	Instructional Staff Support	1,075,264
	23x	General Administration	436,998
	24x	School Administration	1,019,901
	25x	Business Service	512,966
	26x	Operation & Maintenance	2,028,826
	27x	Transportation	908,967
	28x	Central Services	596,432
	29x	Other Supporting Services	602,833
3xx	**Community Services:**		208,604
4xx	**Building Improvements:**		0
5xx-6xx	**Other Financing Uses:**		1,310
64x	**Outgoing Transfers & Other:**		437,140

	Total Appropriated Including Change in Reserves	**$19,800,359**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the total revenues and unappropriated fund balance estimated to be available for appropriations in the Food Service Fund for 2026-2027 are as follows:

Revenue		
1xx	Local	$ 51,440
3xx	State	43,665
4xx	Federal	1,086,425
	Total Revenue and Transfers In	**$1,181,530**
Beginning Fund Balance Café 07/01/2025 Available to Appropriate		1,073,172
Total Available to Appropriate		**$2,254,702**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that $1,1587,552 of the total available to appropriate in the Food Service Fund is hereby appropriated in the amounts and for the purposes set forth below:

Expenditures		
	Food Service	$ 1,587,552
	Total Appropriated	**$ 1,587,552**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the total revenues and unappropriated fund balance estimated to be available for appropriations in the Student and School Activity Fund for 2026-2027 are as follows:

Revenue		
179	Other Student and School Activity Income	$ 220,213
	Total Revenue and Transfers In	**$220,213**
Beginning Fund Balance Student Activity 07/01/2025 Available to Appropriate		201,747
Total Available to Appropriate		**$421,960**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that $220,213 of the total available to appropriate in the Student and School Activity Fund is hereby appropriated in the amounts and for the purposes set forth below:

Expenditures		
296	Other Student and School Activity Income	$ 220,213
	Total Appropriated	**$ 220,213**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the total revenues and unappropriated fund balance estimated to be available for appropriations in the Capital Projects Fund for 2026-2027 are as follows:

Revenue

Capital Projects Fund	$ 200,000
Total Revenue and Transfers In	**$200,000**
Beginning Fund Balance Capital Projects 07/01/2025 Available to Appropriate	4,618,677
Total Available to Appropriate	**$4,818,677**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that $1,200,661 of the total available to appropriate in the Capital Projects Fund is hereby appropriated in the amounts and for the purposes set forth below:

Expenditures

Capital Projects Fund	$ 1,200,661
Total Appropriated	**$ 1,200,661**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the total revenues and unappropriated fund balance estimated to be available for appropriations in the Debt Retirement Fund for 2026-2027 are as follows:

Revenue

Debt Retirement Fund 2015	$ 555,427
Debt Retirement Fund 2024	$ 1,072,633
Debt Retirement Fund 2026	$ 174,250
Total Revenue and Transfers In	**$1,802,310**
Beginning Fund Balance Debt Retirement 07/01/2025 Available to Appropriate	620,988
Total Available to Appropriate	**$2,423,298**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that $2,228,127 of the total available to appropriate in the Debt Retirement Fund is hereby appropriated in the amounts and for the purposes set forth below:

Expenditures

Debt Retirement Fund 2015	$ 903,165
Debt Retirement Fund 2024	$ 1,150,712
Debt Retirement Fund 2026	$174,250
Total Appropriated	**$ 2,228,127**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that no Board of Education member or employee of the Harford School District shall expend any funds or obligate the expenditure of any funds except pursuant to appropriations made by the Board of Education and in keeping with the Budgetary Policy Statement #3202 adopted by the Board. Changes in the amount appropriated by the Board shall require approval by the Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Superintendent is hereby charged with general supervision of the execution of the budget adopted by the Board and shall hold the Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Director of Community Education, Principals, Supervisors and Finance Director responsible for performance of their responsibilities within the amounts appropriated by the Board of Education and in keeping with the budgetary policy statement hitherto adopted by the Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that for purposes of meeting emergency needs of the School District, transfers of appropriations to Debt, Capital Projects, School Service Funds, and Trust and Agency Funds may be made upon the written authorization of the Superintendent. No other transfers shall be made without approval by the Board of Education. When the Superintendent makes a transfer of appropriations as permitted by this resolution, such transfer shall be presented to the Board of Education at its next regularly scheduled meeting in the form of an appropriation amendment, which amendment shall be adopted by the Board of Education at such meeting.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Superintendent may allot the appropriations. This appropriation resolution shall take effect June 15, 2026.

CERTIFICATE

The undersigned does hereby state that he/she was the Secretary of the Board of Education of Hartford Public Schools, Van Buren County, Hartford, Michigan and that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the General Appropriation Act Resolution adopted by the Board of the School District at a Regular Meeting of the Board duly called and held on Monday, June 15, 2026.

Jason Meachum, Secretary
HARTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS