

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DIVISION

Report No. 1

OGDENSBURG CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
OGDENSBURG, NEW YORK

SUBJECT: Setting Date of Public Budget Hearing

DATE: March 6, 2017

REASON FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:

The Board of Education must set a date for a Public Budget Hearing for presentation of the 2017-2018 budget.

FACTS AND ANALYSIS:

Chapter 171 of the Laws of 1996 was enacted effective September 1, 1996 requiring for the first time a public vote on school district budgets in Small City School Districts. Each school district must hold its annual meeting and election on the third Tuesday in May, which constitutes the state-wide day for conducting school district budget votes and annual school board elections. The Board of Education must hold a Public Hearing on the budget at least seven (7) days but not more than fourteen (14) days prior to when the annual meeting, budget vote and election will occur (§§1608(1), 1716(1)). The new budget document must be available fourteen (14) days prior to the vote.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Moved by _____ and supported by _____ that, having the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education of the Ogdensburg City School District does elect to set a Public Budget Hearing to be held on Wednesday, May 3, 2017 at 6:00 pm in the OFA Senior High Cafeteria.

APPROVED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD:


Superintendent

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