



SUMMARY OF FUNDS

Newton Community School District prides itself on maintaining transparency with the management of public funds. State laws, rules and regulations direct districts how to spend money and what funds can be used to purchase certain items

 REVENUES  EXPENDITURES

*THESE FUNDS CANNOT BE USED FOR SALARIES OR PROGRAM NEEDS. THIS IS WHY DISTRICTS CAN BUILD NEW BUILDINGS BUT STILL HAVE TO MAKE STAFF REDUCTIONS.

*General Fund

 Property Taxes, State Aid, Misc Income
 Salaries, Employee Benefits, Services, Materials, Supplies, Transportation

Normally very little funding comes from the Federal Government. Federal funding is 4.75% of the budget.

State Supplemental Aid (SSA) is the main way the general fund increases. Currently \$7,826 per student.

School districts are a people business. 78.01% of the general budget pays for salaries and benefits. Under 80% is considered ideal.

Debt Service Fund

 Property Taxes Transfers, PPEL, G.O. & Sales Tax
 Capital, Projects, Land, Construction

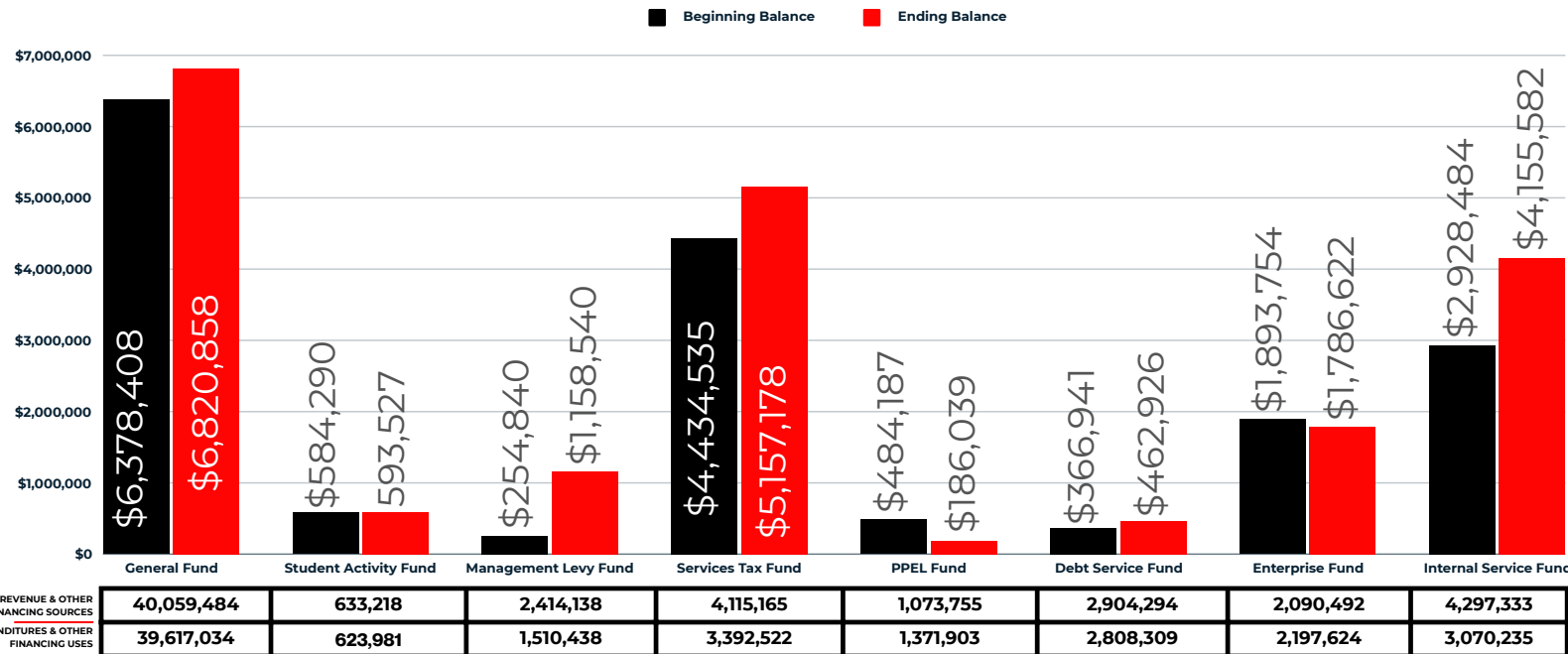
*Sales Tax Fund

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*General Obligation Fund

 Voter Approved Bonds
 New Construction

G.O. bonds give districts a tool to raise funds for projects that will not provide direct sources of revenue.



Management Fund

 Property Taxes
 General Liability Insurance, Unemployment, Early Retirement Benefits

The district's portion of property taxes is \$15.86 per \$1,000 of the assessed value of the home.

Proprietary Fund

Enterprise Fund

 Federal/State Meal Sales  Food Service Breakfast & Lunch

The district's only profit centers. Profits cover staffing and program costs for those departments.

Internal Service Fund

 General Fund  Self Insured Health Insurance, Goods or Services provided from one department to another

Self-funded through employees & employer contributions. Self-funding allows the district to better manage insurance costs.

Student Activity Fund

 Admissions, Activity Fees, Gate Receipts, Fundraising, Co-Curricular & Extra-Curricular Activities

 Support Co-Curricular Activities

Activity Fund should be self sustaining. These expenditures should not take away from the classroom.

Physical Plant & Equipment Fund*

 Property Taxes

 Building & Grounds, Vocal & Instrumental, Vehicle, Land, Construction, Technology, Repair/ Remodel, Equipment > \$500

Voter Approved PPEL is \$0.67 through 2025. 2023 voters approved PPEL's increase to \$1.34 in 2026.