DEVINE ISD BUDGET TIMELINE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026

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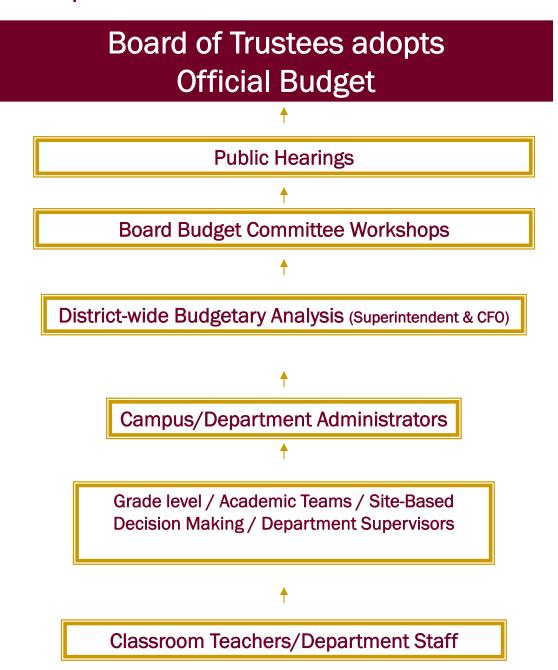
Budget Workshops

- Begin in April rather than May
- Schedule workshops 1 & 2 separately from regular Board meeting to allow for more discussion time
- Preliminary Property Values are due at end of April
 - Determines additional revenue
- Budget Workshop 1 : Early to mid April
 - District Budget Priorities for 2025-2026
 - Balanced budget
 - Pay increases
 - Retention/Staffing
 - Bond Projects and use of fund balance
- Budget Workshop 2 : Early May
 - TASB's salary report potentially completed with recommendations for pay increases
 - Prioritize capital projects
- Budget Workshop 3: Early June

Budget Calendar for Fiscal Year 2025-2026

Target Date	Activity/Process	Responsibility
12/1/2024	Budget process outlined to Principals and Directors	CFO
1/1/2025	Campus and department allocations to be distributed	CFO
2/2025	Start the process for estimated enrollment	CFO
2/2025	Review TASB staffing report and DISD's staffing levels and funding	Principals, Directors, HR, Superintendent and CFO
2/2025-3/7/2025	Budget meetings with Principals and Directors	Principals, Directors, Superintendent and CFO
3/17/2025 – 3/28/2025	Budget preparation and entry	CFO
3/31- 4/4/2025	First Budget Workshop-Set district fiscal priorities	CFO, Superintendent, School Board
4/12/2025	Beginning of Special Program and Support Service budget preparation	Special program and Support departments
4/31/2025	Receive Preliminary Values/Review of Budget	CFO and Superintendent
5/5-9/2025	Second Budget Workshop- Review and possibly adopt TASB's recommended compensation plan	CFO, Superintendent, School Board
5/23/2025	Final Review of Total Budget	CFO and Superintendent
5/28/2025	Publication of notice of budget & proposed tax rate	CFO
6/2/2025	Third Budget Workshop, if needed	CFO, Superintendent, School Board
6/16/2025	Official Public Budget Hearing, Official Budget Adoption	School Board

Budgeting a Plan Development Process Flowchart



Budgeting Procedures

- Classroom Teachers/Department Staff
- Budget meetings with classroom teachers and department staff begin in <u>January</u>. Teachers give input on their classroom and grade level needs.
- <u>Grade Level/Academic Teams/Site-Based Decision making/Department</u> Supervisors
- Review at the campus/department as a whole and categorize any needs:
 - Facilities
 - Maintenance
 - Special Projects

- Review campus/department staffing:
 - Is the campus/department over or under staffed?
 - Review student enrollment numbers and trends, including special populations.
 - Are there any new positions required?
 - Will open positions be filled or can be absolved?
- Campus Principals/Department Administrators
- Review current budget:
 - Were the required state allotment percentages spent?
 - What accounts were underspent?
 - What accounts were overspent?
 - Are new accounts needed?
- Prepare a new budget "wish list" for budget meeting including:
 - Estimated amounts for new requests and projects
 - Staffing requests
 - Budget amounts by line
- Set up <u>February</u> budget meeting with CFO and Superintendent.

Budgeting Procedures continued

- District-wide Budgetary Analysis
- The CFO and Superintendent meet to prioritize districtwide initiatives.
- The CFO presents salary increase scenarios to Superintendent by the end of <u>March</u>. Staffing is reviewed.
- The CFO runs the summary of finance template with estimated property value growth and ADA estimates.
- The CFO compiles the first budget run with all campus and department requests by the end of March.
- CFO and Superintendent review first budget run.
- CFO and Superintendent begin prioritizing campus and department needs.
- Preliminary property values are received by end of <u>May</u>. Revenue estimate is recalculated accordingly and budget reviewed and reprioritized.

Public Hearings

- First of three public budget workshops with the Board of Trustees is held. The budget is presented with a menu of options for the Board to prioritize with a goal of a balanced budget. The Board decides on projects and expenses being put in three categories:
 - Remains in budget
 - Moved to a later date with a budget amendment and taken out of fund balance
 - Removal from current budget consideration

Budgeting Procedures continued

- Budget is revised with Board recommendations including salary increases.
- CFO reviews budget to ensure financial legal requirements are met including:

- FIRST indicators
- State allotment spending requirements
- Special Ed Maintenance of Effort
- other
- Second of three budget public budget hearings is held. Budget is presented with recommendations.
- Budget is revised and finalized. Third public budget meeting is held, if necessary.
- Board of Trustees Officially Adopt the Budget
- Budget is adopted by <u>June 19</u> at the function level.
- New funds are open the first week of July.
- Certified property values are received in August. The Board adopts the tax rate based off the values. Adjustments to budgeted revenue and expenses may be required.
- Budget reallocations within function can be requested via an expense reclassification form submitted to CFO.
- Budget reallocations outside of function must be taken to the Board for approval.

FUND

- The Fund identifier is the first sequence of numbers in the following sequence of numbers
 - <u>199</u>-XX-XXXX-XX-XX-XXX-XX-XX

- The <u>FUNCTION</u> is the second field of the account sequence
 - XXX-11-XXXX-XX-XXX-X-XX-XX
- The list of Function's are:
 - 11 Instructional (for students)
 - 12 Library & Media Services
 - 13 Staff development
 - 23 Campus Administration (office)
 - 31 Counseling Services
 - 33 Health Services
 - 36 Co/Extra-curricular
 - 61 Community Services

- The <u>OBJECT</u> is the third field of the account sequence
 - XXX-XX-6239-XX-XXX-X-XX-XX
- The list of Objects are:
 - 6100's Payroll
 - 6200's Contracted Services
 - 6219 Professional Services
 - 6239 ESC Services
 - 6249 Repairs & Maintenance
 - 6291 Consulting Services
 - 6300's Supplies
 - 6329 Reading Materials
 - 6395 Tangible Supplies (per inventory procedures)
 - 6399 General Instructional Supplies (not food)
 - 6400's Travel & Misc. Expenditures
 - 6411 Staff Travel (includes registration)
 - 6412 Student Travel
 - 6499 Miscellaneous Expenditures (food)
 - 6600's Equipment & Capital over \$5,000

- To identify the different organizations you will look at the fifth field of the following sequence of numbers
 - XXX-XX-XXXX-XX-<u>002</u>-X-XX-XX
- The organization is your campus number that you have been given for budget as well as PEIMS.
- 001 High School
- 004 DAEP
- 041 Middle School
- 101 Elementary
- 102 Intermediate

- To identify the different program allocations you will utilize the program intent number which will be found in the seventh field of the following sequence of numbers
 - XXX-XX-XXXX-XX-XX-X-<u>21</u>-X-XX
- The following are the program intent codes and the associated program
 - 11 Basic Educational Services
 - 21 Gifted and Talented
 - 22 Career and Technology
 - 23 Special Education
 - 25 -- Bilingual
 - 30 State Compensatory Education
 - 32 Pre K
 - 33 Pre K SPED
 - 36 Early Education (K-3)
 - 37 -- Dyslexia
 - 38 CCMR
 - 43 Dyslexia SPED
 - These allotments having a minimum spending requirement.