

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD

RESOLUTION 10-100

**REDUCING TAX LEVY OF THE UPPER DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF EDUCATION 2010-2011 BUDGET**

WHEREAS, the budget for the Upper Deerfield Township Board of Education in the amount of \$6,207,136.00 has been rejected by the voters of the Township of Upper Deerfield; and

WHEREAS, a review of the budget has taken place between representatives of the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield and representatives of the Board of Education of the Upper Deerfield Township school district, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-37; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield believes that certain line items within the budget need to be adjusted; and

WHEREAS, it is the position of the Township Committee to reflect the wishes of the electorate by reducing educational costs in the district without adversely affecting the Upper Deerfield Township Board of Education's ability to provide a thorough and efficient education.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield that the Township Committee does hereby certify a reduced budget amount for the 2010-2011 school year for the Upper Deerfield Township Board of Education as follows;

1. The original tax levy for the base budget on the ballot defeated by the voters of Upper Deerfield was \$6,207,136.00.
2. The amount of reduction to the tax levy for the base budget proposed by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield is \$234,440.00.
3. The amount of tax levy being certified by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield for the base budget is \$5,972,696.00.
4. The specific line item reductions and or increases in budgeted revenues for each change are as follows:

	Description	Account Number	Total
Deduct	From Salaries of Principals	11-000-240-103	\$110,000.00
Deduct	From Grades 1-5 Salaries of Teachers	11-120-100-101	\$ 52,115.00
Deduct	From Child Study Team Salaries	11-000-219-104	\$ 52,115.00
Deduct	From Health Benefits	11-000-291-270	<u>\$ 20,210.00</u>
			\$234,440.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield that it is believed, that the foregoing reductions to the 2010-2011 Upper Deerfield Township Board of Education school budget will not adversely affect the Upper Deerfield Township Board of Education's ability to provide a thorough and efficient education nor would it affect the stability of the school district. The Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield further certifies that the revised budget is and would be sufficient to provide a thorough and efficient education to the students of the Upper Deerfield Township schools.

Moved By: Bruce T. Peterson

Seconded By: John L. Daddario

VOTING

James P. Crilley
 John L. Daddario
 John O'Neill, Sr.
 Bruce T. Peterson
 Scott Smith

<u>In Favor</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Absent</u>
X			
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of Resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield, in the County of Cumberland, at a meeting thereof held May 17, 2010.

 Roy J. Spoltore, Township Clerk