

**WARNING
TOWN OF SUFFIELD
NOTICE OF TOWN MEETING**

All electors and citizens qualified to vote in town meetings of the Town of Suffield, Connecticut (the “Town”) are hereby notified that the Board of Selectmen is convening a Special Town Meeting of the Town to be held at the Suffield Middle School, 350 Mountain Road, Suffield, Connecticut on Wednesday May 6, 2026, at 7:00 p.m., for the following purposes:

1. To elect a moderator.
2. To consider and vote on the following proposed resolutions, entitled:

Resolution Authorizing An Appropriation Of \$1,950,000 For The Suffield High School Shingle Roof Replacement Project And The Financing Of Said Appropriation By The Issuance Of General Obligation Bonds Of The Town And Notes In Anticipation Of Such Bonds In An Amount Not To Exceed \$1,950,000

Resolution Authorizing An Appropriation of \$600,000 For The Suffield High School Photovoltaic Project And The Financing Of Said Appropriation By The Issuance Of General Obligation Bonds Of The Town And Notes In Anticipation Of Such Bonds In An Amount Not To Exceed \$600,000

The full text of the foregoing authorizing resolutions are on file and open to inspection at the office of the Town Clerk, Suffield, Connecticut for the use or inspection of any interested person. Upon approval by the Town Meeting of the foregoing resolutions, the resolution which encompassed the above two projects in one resolution that was adopted by the Town Meeting on February 26, 2026 will be rescinded.

3. To consider and vote on the Fiscal 2026-27 Budget Proposal, as summarized below.

Additional detail is available in the Town Clerks Office, and online at www.suffieldct.gov/departments/finance under budget handouts.

BUDGET SUMMARY

General Government	\$ 19,509,306
Board of Education	43,692,148
Debt Service	2,606,849
Capital Expenditures	3,791,000
Contingency	500,000
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 70,099,303</u>
Less: Estimated Revenues	
General Fund, other than taxes	21,052,218
To be raised from taxes	<u>\$ 49,047,085</u>

Based on an estimated grand list of \$2,055,820,558 and assuming a 99% collection rate on a net collectible grand list of \$2,035,262,352, a mill rate of 24.10 will produce the necessary revenue.

BOARD OF FINANCE, Town of Suffield

Eric Harrington, Chairman
 Brian Kost, Vice Chairman
 Chris Childs
 Tom Frenaye
 Michael Haines

Mark Sinopoli
 Brad Belcher, Alt.
 Candace Forsman, Alt.
 Glen Garrity, Alt.

	2024-2025 Actual	2025-2026 Budget	2026-27 Proposed
REVENUE BUDGET			
Property Taxes	\$ 46,843,132	\$ 48,365,390	\$ 50,247,085
Licenses, Permits & Fines	763,232	536,580	631,930
Investment Income	1,344,205	1,000,000	1,250,000
Other Agencies	752,057	751,909	763,809
State and Federal Grants	6,050,225	5,625,361	5,781,557
Education Related Revenues	7,539,543	7,985,107	8,012,244
Current Services	983,584	974,670	1,056,000
Miscellaneous	397,589	407,000	463,919
Budget Transfers In:			
Off Duty Fund	300,000	150,000	200,000
Insurance Fund	1,000,000	-	-
Cemeteries Trust	40,290	40,290	40,290
Capital Non-Recurring	820,770	514,009	642,469
Capital Reserve	-	-	760,000
American Rescue Plan Act	707,295	-	-
Undesignated Fund Balance	-	2,750,000	-
Fund Balance-Bond Premium	-	-	250,000
Total General Fund Revenues	\$ 67,541,922	\$ 69,100,316	\$ 70,099,303
EXPENDITURE BUDGET			
General Government	\$ 18,190,493	\$ 18,789,184	\$ 19,509,306
Board of Education	39,425,984	42,025,928	43,692,148
Debt Service	2,124,225	2,070,175	2,606,849
Capital Expenditures	3,002,375	3,715,029	3,791,000
Contingency	-	500,000	500,000
Budget Transfers out:			
OPEB	700,000	-	-
CNRE Fund	2,250,000	2,000,000	-
Other funds	33,923	-	-
Total General Fund Expenditures	\$ 65,727,000	\$ 69,100,316	\$ 70,099,303

Dated at Suffield, Connecticut this 29 day of April, 2026.

TOWN OF SUFFIELD
 BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Colin Moll, First Selectman
Kathleen Dunai, Selectman
Klaire Bielonko, Selectman
Kathleen Harrington, Selectman
Peter Hill, Selectman