## Dear WPS Families:

At last month's School Committee meeting, I presented information about the context in which we were developing the FY'24 budget for the 2023-2024 school year. A <u>video</u> of the presentation is available on our website. (Budget discussion starts at :55).

At tonight's School Committee meeting, I will be presenting the proposed FY'24 Budget. All of our <u>budget documents</u>, including the <u>Executive Summary</u>, are provided on our website for the public to review.

Tonight's meeting is in the Little Theater at Westwood High School at 7:00 pm. The meeting will also be live streamed by <u>Westwood Media Center</u>, and a video of the presentation will be available starting tomorrow on our District website.

At the February 9th School Committee meeting, the School Committee will hold its annual public budget hearing to provide an opportunity for members of the public to comment on the budget. After public participation and its own deliberations, the School Committee will vote whether to accept the proposed budget. The budget will also be presented and discussed at a series of meetings of the Finance and Warrant Commission over the next couple of months prior to coming to vote of Town residents at the Annual Town Meeting on May 1st.

Sincerely,

Emily Parks Superintendent