

All Island School Committee Meeting
Superintendency Union #19
Edgartown School Committee
Oak Bluffs School Committee
Tisbury School Committee
Martha's Vineyard Regional School District
Up Island Regional School District

MONDAY, APRIL 6TH, 2026 5:00 PM

Hybrid Meeting in person at MVRHS Library or via zoom

Present

Edgartown: Chris Greene, /ZOOM Kelly Scott

Oak Bluffs: ZOOM Rizwan Malik, Kathryn Shertzer

Tisbury: Jen Cutrer, Amy Houghton

Up-Island: Robert Lionette, Skipper Manter, Alex Salop, Jessica Mason, Marsha Shufrin

Superintendent's Office: Richie Smith Superintendent, Mark Friedman Business Manager

MVRHS: Suzanne Cioffi

Recorder: Tara Sykes

Please note: All business will consist of a discussion and possible vote to take action
(Recorder's Note: Discussions are summarized and grouped for clarity and brevity)

I. Call to Order

Chair Amy Houghton called the meeting to order at 5:08 pm.

II. Convene All School Committees FY27 Reduction in All-Island Budget- Discussion and Possible Revote

The following School Committees were called to convene

Up-Island

Oak Bluffs

Edgartown

MVRHS

Tisbury

All Island School Committee

Mark Friedman shared there has been a \$54,632.36 reduction in the Shared Services FY 27 budget. This reduction is due to the new Superintendent's salary and benefits also an addition of a contractual services line item with an amount of \$10,000 that has been added. New Shared Services budget amount is \$11,153,169.23. This represents a total increase of 6.4%.

Skipper made a motion to rescind and recertify the Shared Services budget, Lionette seconded.
Roll Call: Salop-Aye, Scott-Aye, Malik-Aye, Murphy-Aye, Shufrin-Aye, Green-Aye, Lionette-Aye, Shertzer-Aye, Manter-Nay, Houghton-Aye
Motion passes: 9-1-0

Edgartown

Mark Friedman reported the Shared Service budget for Edgartown was reduced by \$12,891.40. The new Shared Services budget for Edgartown is \$13,226,061.40. Motion to rescind and recertify the March 19th budget was made by Scott and seconded by Murphy,

Roll call: Scott-Aye, Green-Aye, Murphy-Aye.
Motion passes: 3-0-0

Motion to adjourn made by Greene seconded by Murphy

Roll call: Murphy-Aye, Greene-Aye, Scott-Aye.
Motion passes: 3-0-0

Oak Bluffs

Mark Friedman reported Oak Bluffs portion of the Shared Services budget was reduced by \$13,220.51. The new Oak Bluffs budget amount is \$12,142,513.16.
Shertzer made a motion to rescind and recertify the budget, Malik seconded.

Roll call: Shertzer-Aye, Malik-Aye
Motion passes: 2-0-0

A motion to adjourn was made by Shertzer, and Malik seconded.

Roll call: Shertzer-Aye, Malik-Aye.
Motion passes: 2-0-0

Up-Island

Mark Friedman reported The Up-Island portion of the Shared Services budget was reduced by \$12,605.46. The new total expenses will be \$19,468,720.97 and the total Assessment is \$18,992,401.52.

Increase is 8.62%.

Made a motion to rescind and recertify the budget Salop, seconded by Skipper.

Roll call: Salop-Aye, Shufrin-Aye, Skipper-Nay, Lionette-Aye
Motion fails: 3-1-0

Skipper made a motion to adjourn, Shufrin seconded.

Discussion held on the consequences of the failed motion.

Richie explained that while the school committee with Jessica Mason had approved the budget, any reduction would need to be addressed before the annual town meeting on the 14th, and if not reduced in time, the full amount would still be taxed by West Tisbury.

Roll call: Salop-Aye, Shufrin-Aye, Skipper-Aye, Lionette-Aye

Motion passes: 4-0-0

Tisbury

Mark Friedman reported The Tisbury portion of the Shared Services budget was reduced by \$11,914.99. There are 2 other additional items. The elimination of a half time Industrial Arts teacher \$68,844.55 and moving an Assistant Cook position to the School Revolving Lunch account savings of \$48,430.30. A total reduction of \$129,179.84. The new FY27 budget is \$11,189,618.57.

Cutrer made a motion to rescind and recertify the budget, Houghton seconded.

Roll call: Cutrer-Aye, Houghton-Aye

Motion passes: 3-0-0

Cutrer made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Houghton.

Roll call: Cutrer-Aye, Houghton-Aye

Motion passes: 3-0-0

MVRHS

Mark Friedman reported the Shared Services portion of the budget for MVRHS had been reduced by \$4,000.00. Total expenses \$30,081,556.65 and the total assessment is \$25,147,321.65.

Lionette made a motion to rescind and recertify the budget, Shertzer seconded.

Roll call:

Murphy-, Scott-Aye, Shufrin-Aye, Lionette-Aye, Mailk-Aye, Cutrer-Aye, Shertzer-Aye, Manter-Nay, Houghton-Aye

Motion passes: 7-1-1

Houghton made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Lionette.

Roll call: Murphy-, Aye, Scott-Aye, Shufrin-Aye, Lionette-Aye, Malik-Aye, Cutrer-Aye, Shertzer-Aye, Manter-Aye, Houghton-Aye

Motion passes: 8-0-1

It was noted that this is Kelly Scott's last meeting. Amy Houghton thanked Kelly for her participation on the AISC and the Personnel sub-committee.

III. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Shertzer, seconded by Skipper.

Roll call:

Salop-Aye, Scott-Aye, Malik-Aye, Murphy-Aye, Shufrin-Aye, Greene-Aye, Lionette-Aye, Cutrer-Aye, Shertzer-Aye, Manter-Aye, Houghton-Aye.

Motion passes: 11-0-0

Minutes submitted by Tara Sykes

Date of Approval of Minutes: July 23, 2026