Dorchester County Board of Education FY 2024 Budget Calendar

1. FY 2024 budget packets sent out to Principals and Dep't Sept-Dec 2022... **Managers** 2. Principals project enrollment for FY24 budget year and review current year staffing levels. 3. Receive official September 30th enrollment for current year 4. Department managers project department expenses 5. Union negotiations begin with A & S, DE-Teachers, and ESPA 1. Individual meetings are held with Principals and Department Oct-Nov managers to review budget requests (dates and times to be determined) 2. Meet and confer with Bus Contractors December...... 1. 12/15/22 Monthly Board Meeting - discuss initiatives as needed 2. Receive preliminary State revenue projections 3. Develop a draft budget based on identified initiatives and projected revenues January 2023...... 1. 1/5/23 Board budget work session & public input 2. 1/19/23 Monthly Board Meeting – discuss initiatives as needed 3. Final draft budget developed February...... 1. 2/2/23 Board budget work session - Superintendent's proposed budget reviewed 2. 2/16/23 Board adopts proposed FY 2024 budgets (operating, technology, capital projects, school construction) March..... 1. Presentation of budget to County Council 2. Budget worksessions with County Council as needed April-May...... 1. April - County Council presents their draft FY 2024 budget 2. County Council public hearings on County proposed budget 3. May - County Council adopts budget, sets Board appropriation 1. Revision of B.O.E. budget as needed based on County & State June..... final appropriations 2. Approval of revised budget by Board, if needed 3. County Council approval of categorical budget 4. Copy of final budget due to State Superintendent of Schools within 30 days of County Council's approval