



# MSAD 15 Superintendent Spotlight

A District Newsletter

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**PLEASE VOTE!**  
**June 9, 2026**

Gray - Newbegin Gym, 7:00 am to 8:00 pm

New Gloucester - Fire Station, 6:00 am to  
8:00 pm

*Early voting open now at both town offices.*

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Please Vote!



Proposed Budget Receives Support



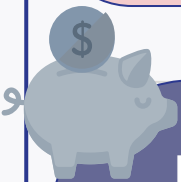
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## Proposed Budget Receives Overwhelming Support at 5/21/26 District Budget Meeting

More than 150 voters gathered for the MSAD 15 District Budget Meeting on May 21, where all 18 articles on the warrant were approved. The community will now have the final say when polls open on Tuesday, June 9.

The registered voters present decisively supported the proposed MSAD 15 budget. Articles 1-13, 16, and 17 were passed unanimously. Articles 15 and 18 were passed with majority in favor and two opposed. Article 14, which is done by written ballot, was approved 153 in favor and 8 opposed.

Key investments in the proposed budget include new K-2 mathematics instructional materials, K-8 science instructional materials, updated technology infrastructure, two replacement buses, bus routing software with GPS bus monitoring for families, and continued facilities improvements.

Final budget approval is done by referendum ballot on June 9, 2026. We encourage all registered voters of Gray and New Gloucester to vote!



## Where's Chanda?

### Highlights of awesome things happening in MSAD 15



Central Office Team cheering graduates at district tour



Back in the Snack Shack



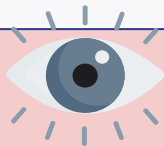
Cords and Coins Ceremony



Budget Validation Meeting



High School Marching Band (Middle school performed as well, they were great!)



## Coming Up.....

June's Superintendent Spotlight will be the "Graduation Edition".

Gray-New Gloucester High School's graduation was held yesterday, May 28, 2026. Stay tuned for this annual celebration including snapshots of the top 10% and lots of candid and photographs of the ceremony!

## School Board Work

### Highlights that happened in May:

- Safety Plan vote (Business 5/6)
- Board budget vote (Business 5/6)
- Celebrating top 10% (Business 5/6)
- End of year reflections (all committees)
- Bell-to-Bell cell phone policy (Policy 5/27)

### Highlights coming in June:

- Air quality proj. report (Business 6/3)
- Capital Improvement Planning (Business 6/3)
- Validation of referendum vote (Business 6/17)
- New board members, election of chair and vice chair (Business 6/17)

Check out the **2025-2026 School Board Anticipated Workflow** for an overview of planned board work on the [School Board Webpage](#).