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**Cc:** Art Shilosky  
**Subject:** Fw: ECS Revenue Question

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**Cc:** Andreas Bisbikos <abisbikos@colchesterct.gov>  
**Subject:** ECS Revenue Question

Dear BOF members,  
ECS funds earmarked in revenue increased by \$497K since the 3.9% increase was determined on 4/20. Yet there has been no commensurate increase in the BOE budget. Please recalculate our ability to pay for education given this change and increase the BOE budget by a similar amount.

Question- the 6/30 amount on the new revenue document only indicates a total of \$11,974,619 instead of the \$12,048,218 Colchester is estimated to receive. Where is the \$73,599 difference? Did we not receive what was anticipated?

Since Citizens' Comments are only at the end of the meeting, I hope that someone can address my question either in reply to this email or tonight during the discussion.

Thank you,  
Cindy Praisner

On 06/07/2023 5:40 PM EDT CINDY PRAISNER <praisner@comcast.net> wrote:

Good Evening,  
On April 20, Andrea's 1.3 mil cut document with the 3.9% increase was posted online with the rationale document that states "BOE Revenues are down by -\$497k this year". We have been officially held harmless for \$497,394.  
<https://schoolstatefinance.org/resource-assets/State-Budget-FYs-2024-and-2025-Education-Snapshot.pdf> What is the process for the BOE to be able to access the additional funds with the budget moving to a referendum next week?

Thank you,  
Cindy Praisner

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