

Senate Resolution No. 2870

**BY:** Senator STEWART-COUSINS

establishing a plan setting forth an itemized list of grantees for a certain appropriation for the 2022-23 state fiscal year for purposes of providing additional funding for school districts which have experienced a significant financial hardship created by (1) an extraordinary change in the taxable property valuation or (2) a significant shift in tax liability due to a tax certiorari settlement or judgment, as required by a plan setting forth an itemized list of grantees with the amount to be received by each, or the methodology for allocating such appropriation. Such plan shall be subject to the approval of the temporary president of the senate and the director of the budget and thereafter shall be included in a resolution calling for the expenditure of such monies, which resolution must be approved by a majority vote of all members elected to the senate upon a roll call vote; and amending Senate Resolution R 1245 of 2021 establishing a plan setting forth an itemized list of grantees for certain appropriations for the 2021-2022 state fiscal year for additional grants-in-aid to certain school districts

**RESOLVED,** That pursuant to and as required by money appropriated in section 1 of chapter 53 of the laws of 2022 which enacts the aid to localities, local assistance account, for purposes of providing additional funding for school districts which have experienced a significant financial hardship created by (1) an extraordinary change in the taxable property valuation or (2) a significant shift in tax liability due to a tax certiorari settlement or judgment. Such funds shall be apportioned pursuant to a plan setting forth an itemized list of grantees with the amount to be received by each, or the methodology for allocating such appropriation. Such plan shall be subject to the approval of the temporary president of the senate and the director of the budget and thereafter shall be included in a resolution calling for the expenditure of such monies, which resolution must be approved by a majority vote of all members elected to the senate upon a roll call vote, in accordance with the following schedule:

Haverstraw-Stony Point Central School district (North Rockland)	1,000,000
Island Park Union Free School District	1,000,000
North Shore Central School District	1,000,000
Northport-East Northport Union Free School District	1,000,000

**RESOLVED,** In addition to grants allocated pursuant to section 1 of chapter 53 of the laws of 2021, within the State Education Department

Aid to Localities in accordance with the following plan and as adopted by Senate Resolution 1245 of 2021:

Additional funds appropriated in state fiscal year 2021-2022 pursuant to section 1 of chapter 53 of the laws of 2021 which enacts the aid to localities budget to the state education department under the prekindergarten through grade twelve education program from the general fund, local assistance account for additional funding for school districts which have experienced a significant financial hardship created by (1) an extraordinary change in the taxable property valuation or (2) a significant shift in tax liability due to a tax certiorari settlement or judgement. Notwithstanding section 24 of the state finance law or any provision of law to the contrary, funds from this appropriation shall be allocated only pursuant to a plan (i) approved by the temporary president of the senate and the director of the budget which sets forth either an itemized list of grantees with the amount to be received by each, or the methodology for allocating such appropriation, and (ii) which is thereafter included in a senate resolution calling for the expenditure of such funds, which resolution must be approved by a majority vote of all members elected to the senate upon a roll call vote, in accordance with the following schedule:

Haverstraw-Stony Point Central School

District (North Rockland)

1,000,000

Island Park Union Free School District

1,000,000

Northport-East Northport Union Free School

District

1,000,000

North Shore Central School District

1,000,000

**Hendrick Hudson Central School District**

**1,000,000**