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Mr. Albert Chase, Monitor  
Wyandanch Union Free School District  
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Dear Mr. Chase:

Thank you for submitting your findings regarding the Wyandanch Union Free School District's ("the district") proposed 2024-2025 school year budget in accordance with Chapter 18 of the Laws of 2020.

You have determined that the proposed budget is balanced in the context of revenue and expenditure estimates, and mandated programs. You have also determined that the proposed budget is to the greatest extent possible consistent with the district's approved financial plan. It is my understanding that in making these determinations you were informed by the guidance documents that the New York State Education Department shared with you initially at the State Monitor Community of Practice Meeting on November 1, 2023.

Because you have not submitted any recommendations on the proposed budget, the district is now required to make available on the district's website the initial proposed budget, the monitor's findings, and the final proposed budget no later than seven days prior to the date of the district's budget hearing.

I wish to congratulate you on the work that you have done to assist the district in developing a balanced budget that you have determined is consistent with the district's approved financial plan. Because the district did not provide a five-year financial projection, I have directed the district to do so and ask that you share with the Department your analysis so that we can ensure that the district remains on track to long-term fiscal stability.

We look forward to continuing to support the critical work that you do on behalf of the Wyandanch school community.

Sincerely,



Betty A. Rosa  
Commissioner

cc: Dr. Lester W. Young, Jr., Chancellor  
Jason Harmon, Deputy Commissioner  
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