

Loma Prieta School District

Educational Vision
Financial Overview



- Our student's test scores are among the best in Santa Clara County.
- * We have a fantastic community that cares deeply for what's best for our children.
- ❖ We will create a dynamic learning environment for all of our children
- * We have no limitation to what's possible.



We Face a Financial Crisis

❖ Our district is not alone.

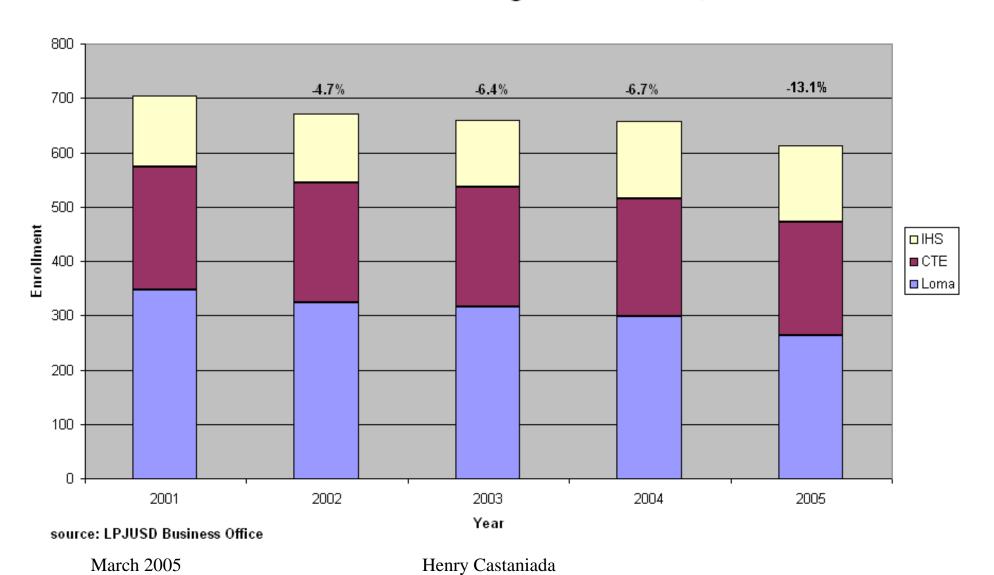
* Public education in California is woefully underfunded compared to other states.

Unfortunately, revenues from the State basically cover the cost of a minimal educational program.

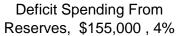
How Did the District Get Here?

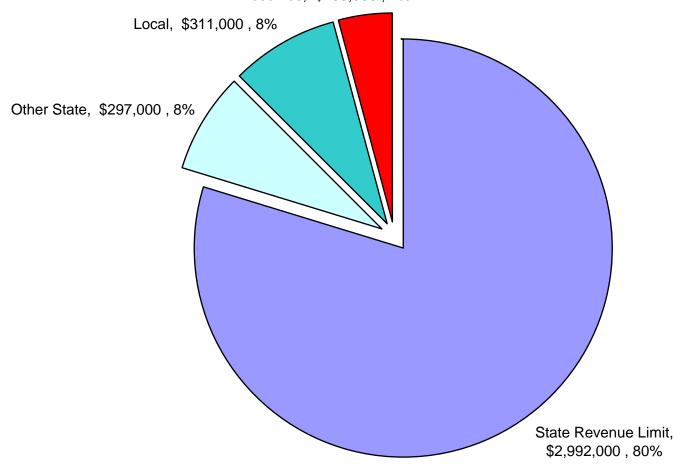
- ❖ For the past few years, the District has faced unprecedented financial challenges as a result of steadily declining enrollment and the state's fiscal crisis.
- ❖ In response, the District made a commitment to maintain small class sizes and keep excellent student programs utilizing current year funds and available reserves.
- ❖ At the conclusion of the current year all available reserves will have been spent.

LPJUSD Enrollment History From 2001 to 2005 LPJUSD experienced a 13.1% decline. Lost Income from declining enrollment \$577,842



2004-2005 Unrestricted General Fund Operational Budget Source of Funds*





source: LPJUSD Business Office

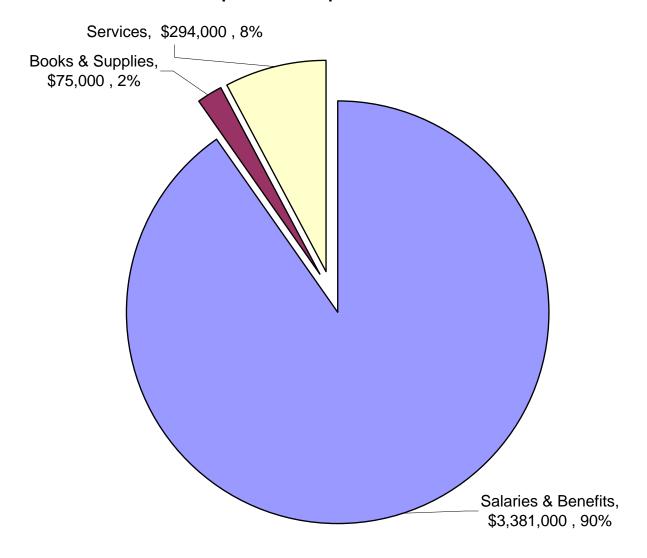
*First Interim Finance Report 12/2004

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2004-2005 Unrestricted General Fund Operational Expenditures*



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Financial Imperatives for 2005-2006

* No more deficit spending—there are no available reserves to keep small class sizes and excellent student programs.

* Achieve legally required 4% reserves.

Budget Assumptions for 2005-2006

- Continued declining enrollment.
- ❖ Current-year revenues will have to be set aside to meet the legally-required minimum reserves for the district (approximately \$80,000).
- ❖ For the first time, expenditures for required special education programs and services will exceed special education revenue. This will necessitate a transfer from the unrestricted general fund of (approximately \$140,000).

Educational Program Impact

- *Based on current estimates of revenue and expenditures, a reduction of \$450,000 will be required next year.
- *The KEEP Campaign, if successful, will restore \$280,000 in teaching positions and student programs.

NEXT YEAR WITHOUT YOUR HELP

2005-2006 School Year

- •5 Teaching Positions eliminated
- •Reading Recovery at **20%** of 04-05
- •Developmental PE eliminated
- •Library Aides eliminated
- •CTE Elective Classes at 50% of 04-05

Yearbook

Spanish

Speech/Debate

- •Music, Visual & Performing Arts eliminated
- •Loma/CTE Counseling eliminated

Keep

Excellent

Educational

Programs

NEXT YEAR WITH YOUR HELP

2005-2006 School Year

- •2 Teaching positions **saved**, one at CTE and one at Loma
- •Reading Recovery at **80%** of 04-05
- •Developmental PE saved
- •CTE Elective Classes at **80%** of 04-05

Yearbook

World Issues

Spanish

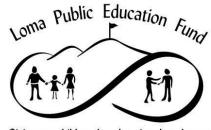
Technology

Speech/Debate

Fine Arts

- •Music, Visual & Performing Arts
- saved
- •Loma/CTE Counseling saved
- •New CTE Tech Lab

Donation forms are at www.lpef.org, and at the CTE or Loma offices.



Giving our children the education they deserve.

Henry Castaniada

To save teachers and programs, we must have your donation by May 1.

Superintendent

March 2005