# FY2018 Audit Update FY2020 Budget Update



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#### **Agenda**

- 1. FY2018 Audit Results
- 2. FY2020 Budget Timeline
- 3. FY2020 Budget Update: *Revenue Projections*

**Appendix** 









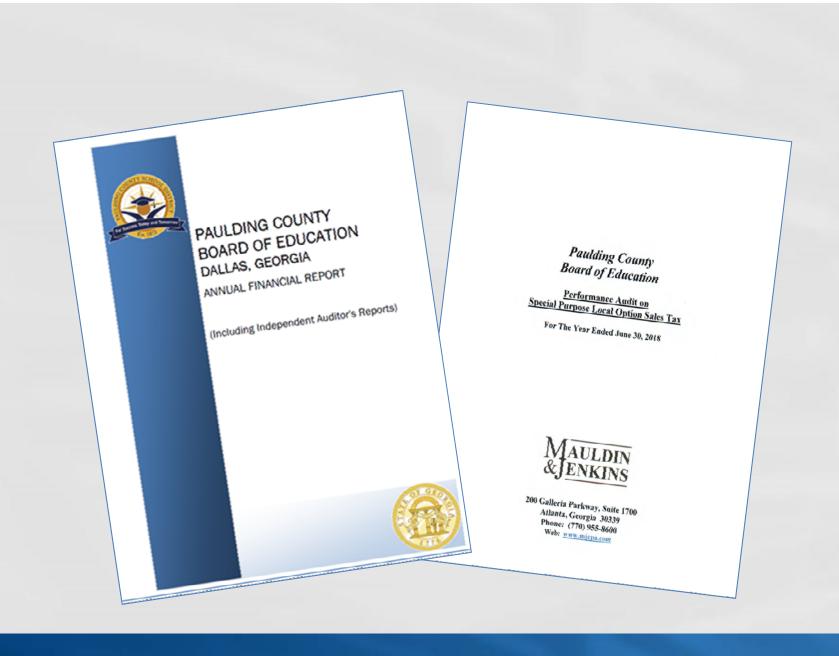




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## FY2018 Audit Results

- ✓ Annual Financial Report, Including Independent Auditor's Reports
- ✓ Performance Audit on SPLOST



#### Purpose 1:

Express an opinion as to whether the financial statements are in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP)



"In our opinion, the financial statements... present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities...in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America."

March 26, 2019 Audit Letter FY2018 Independent Auditor's Report

#### Purpose 2:

Audit financial statements (content) and compliance with Federal grant requirements, per OMB Circular A-133 (Single Audit)



#### **Financial Statements:**

- 1. Unmodified Opinion
- No Internal Control Material
   Weakness or Significant
   Deficiencies Identified
- 3. No Noncompliance Noted
- No Findings or Questioned Costs

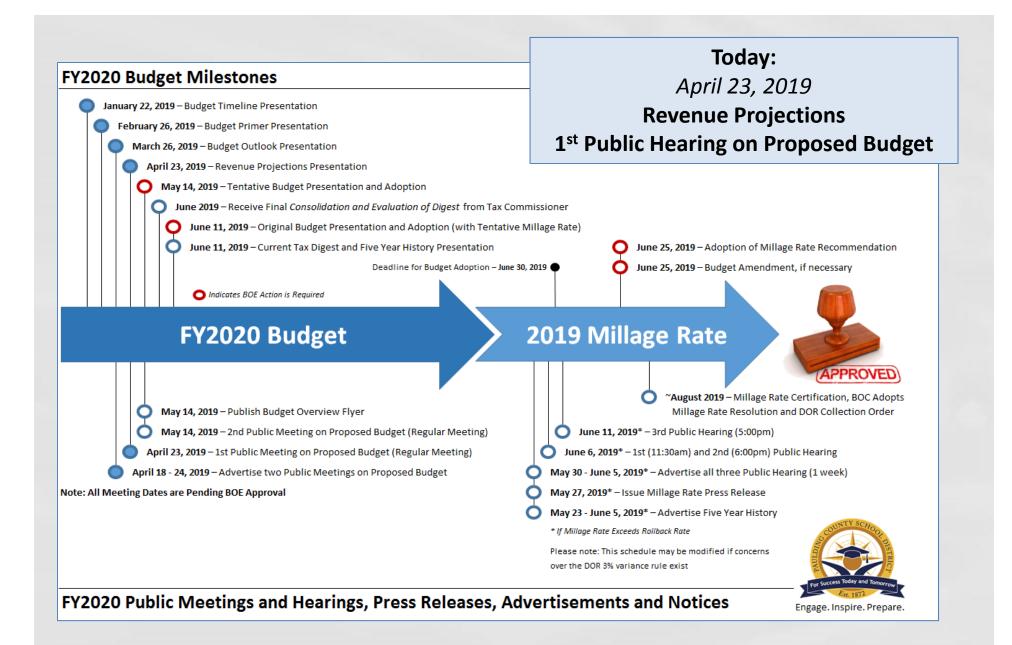
#### **Federal Awards (Compliance):**

- 1. Unmodified Opinion
- 2. No Internal Control *Material Weakness* or *Significant Deficiencies* Identified
- 3. Low-Risk Auditee
- No Findings or Questioned Costs

Last Section of the FY2018 Independent Auditor's Report

"Based on the results of our audit, we conclude that the **Paulding County** School District's **SPLOST Program is** operating in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, the referendum approved by the County's citizens, and industry best practices." Mauldin & Jenkins

| Objectives  | Results   |
|---|---|
| Objective #1: To determine whether the schedule of projects adheres to the approved resolution adopted by the Paulding County School District.  | Results: Expenditures tested were related to activities approved in the SPLOST resolutions.   |
| Objective #2: To determine that the reporting effectiveness between the School District and the Board of Education communicates the status of capital outlay projects to ensure that legislative, regulatory and organizational goals and objectives were achieved. | Results: [The] School District has an effective method in place to communicate with the Board in regard to the financial and construction status of each project to ensure that legislative, regulatory, and organizational goals and objectives are achieved.                        |
| Objective #3: To determine the reliability of the monitoring function to verify that actual project expenditures are not exceeding budgeted amounts.  | Results: Adequate processes are in place to monitor expenditures to ensure that actual project expenditures do not exceed budgeted amounts.   |
| Objective #4: To determine whether there is an effective means of monitoring program performance within a projected timeline, to evaluate the validity of expenditures, and to evaluate the timely completion of each capital project.                              | Results: [The] Board has an effective program in place to monitor program performance and to ensure the timely completion of each capital project within the projected timeline.  |
| Objective #5: To determine the reliability, validity or relevance of financial analyses to verify that cash flows conform to forecasted projections by project and priority, and that intended economic results are accomplished.                                   | Results: There is an adequate process in place to monitor cash flows to ensure that financial analyses to verify that cash flows conform to forecasted projections by project and priority are reliable, valid, and relevant and that the intended economic results are accomplished. |
| Objective #6: To determine whether effective procedures exist to verify that design and construction of capital projects adhered to applicable quality control standards.   | Results: Effective procedures are in place to verify that the design and construction of capital projects adhere to applicable quality control standards.   |
| Objective #7: To determine the effectiveness of financial controls in place to ensure that the receipt and disbursement of tax revenue funds are in compliance with applicable laws and regulations.  | Results: Effective financial controls are in place to ensure that the receipt and expenditure of tax revenue funds are in compliance with applicable laws and regulations.  |
| Objective #8: To determine whether the School District is following Board approved procurement policies and procedures.   | Results: [The] School District is following procurement policies and procedures.  |



<u>Major Budget Influencers</u> (MBI) must also be identified and considered within the framework, especially changes in funding and new or expanding influences on the budget, which may be *positive or negative* and *short-term or long-term*.

#### **Major Revenue Influencers**

- ✓ Enrollment Growth
- ✓ State Budget (Security Grant and Mental Health)
- ✓ QBE:
  - ✓ Enrollment (Weighted)
  - ✓ Local Fair Share
  - ✓ Teacher Pay Scale
- ✓ Equalization Grant:
  - ✓ Rollback Impact
  - ✓ Wealth per Weighted FTE
- ✓ Changes in Local Sources:
  - ✓ Property Taxes (MR)
  - ✓ TAVT

#### **Major Expenditure Influencers**

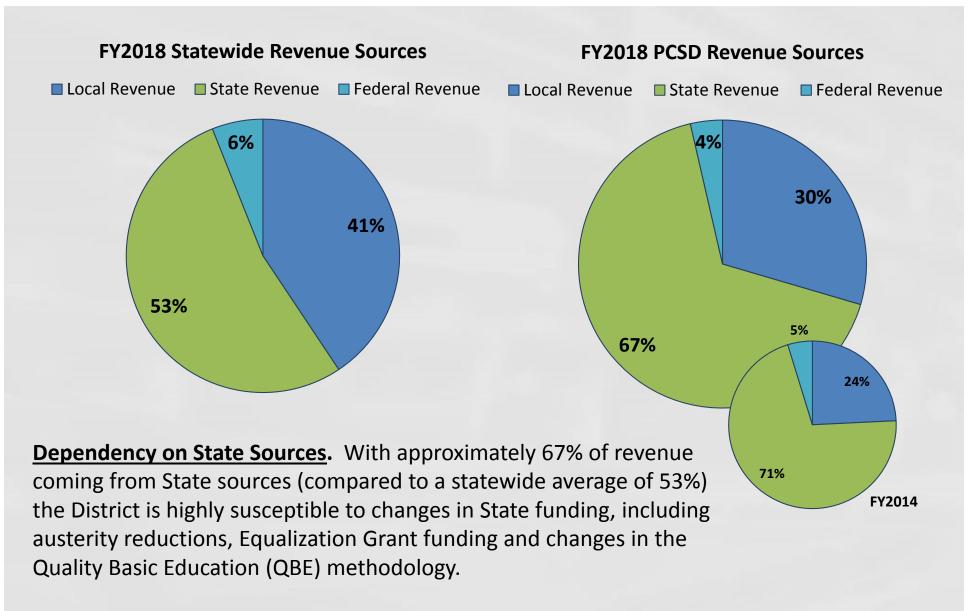
- ✓ Enrollment Growth
- ✓ ESEP
- ✓ State Teacher Scales (Local Impact)
- ✓ Step Increases
- ✓ TRS
- Custodial Services



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# Organization-wide Factors Influencing Decisions: Funding Factors

(Preliminary)

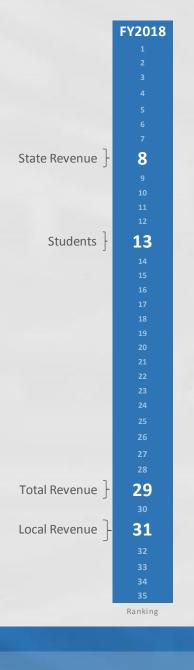


Source: GaDOE School System Revenue/Expenditures Report as of FY2018

**Low Wealth.** Despite favorable employment, income and freeand-reduced lunch statistics, PCSD is considered low wealth due to a limited commercial and industrial tax base and the large number of school-age children per household.

- 13<sup>th</sup> Largest District as of FY2018
- 31<sup>st</sup> in Local Revenue per Student (128 vs 180)
  - ✓ Collect \$1,235 less than Average per Student or \$36 million\*
- 8<sup>th</sup> in State Revenue per Student (85 vs 180)
  - ✓ Collect \$775 more than Average per Student
  - √ 3<sup>rd</sup> Largest Recipient of Equalization (\$27 million)
  - ✓ Equalization is declining, influenced by wealth per weighted FTE\* and local revenue (millage rate)
- 29<sup>th</sup> in Total Revenue per Student (154 vs 180)
  - ✓ Collect \$710 or 7% less than Average per Student or \$21 million

Source: GaDOE School System Revenue/Expenditures Report as of FY2018
Average per Student: 35 Large Georgia School Districts with >10,000 FTE (180 total)



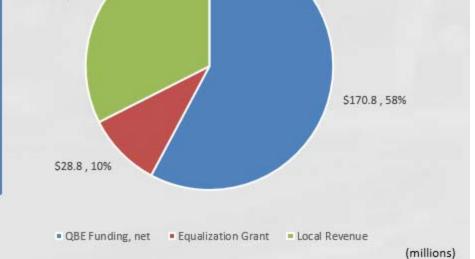
<sup>\*</sup>See Appendix form more information

|                        | FY2019 |       | FY2020 |       | Change |       | %      |  |
|------------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--|
| (1) QBE Funding, net   | \$     | 160.2 | \$     | 170.8 | \$     | 10.6  | 6.6%   |  |
| (2) Equalization Grant |        | 29.0  |        | 28.8  |        | (0.3) | -1.0%  |  |
| (3) Local Taxes        |        | 85.2  |        | 94.2  |        | 8.9   | 10.5%  |  |
| Other Local Revenue    |        | 2.2   |        | 1.7   |        | (0.5) | -23.4% |  |
| Total GF Revenue       | \$     | 276.7 | \$     | 295.4 | \$     | 18.7  | 6.8%   |  |

<sup>\*</sup>Excludes Grants and Transfers to Other Funds (Includes FY19 Mid-term Adjustment)

\$95.9,32%

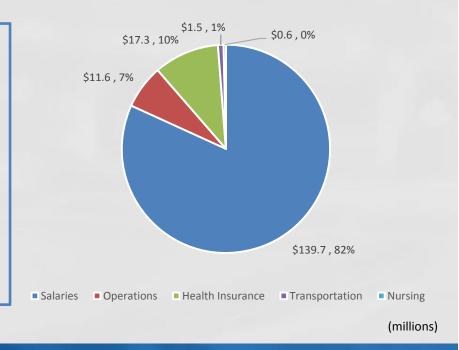
- \$18.7m Increase
- 6.8% Growth
- \$3,000 CE Increase
- Decline in Equalization (10%)
- TAVT Formula Change (3)
- 8.5% Increase in Ad Valorem (3)



Note: Revenue projection includes an unmodified millage rate of 18.879

|                    | FY2019 |        | FY2020 |        | Change |       | %     |  |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--|
| Salaries (FTE/T&E) | \$     | 145.14 | \$     | 157.0  | \$     | 11.9  | 8.2%  |  |
| Operations         | \$     | 12.8   | \$     | 13.1   | \$     | 0.2   | 1.8%  |  |
| LFS                | \$     | (18.9) | \$     | (20.9) | \$     | (2.0) | 10.7% |  |
| Transportation     | \$     | 1.4    | \$     | 1.5    | \$     | 0.1   | 5.6%  |  |
| Nursing            | \$     | 0.6    | \$     | 0.6    | \$     | 0.0   | 3.3%  |  |
| Health Insurance   | \$     | 19.1   | \$     | 19.5   | \$     | 0.4   | 2.1%  |  |
| Total              | \$     | 160.2  | \$     | 170.8  | \$     | 10.6  | 6.6%  |  |

- \$10.6m Increase
- 6.6% Growth
- \$(20.9m) Local Fair Share
- \$8.6m for \$3,000 CE Increase
- \$633k for T&E
- \$1.3m for Enrollment Growth and Categorical (Excluding Equalization)



#### **Historical Equalization Grant**

(millions)



EG Impact from FY2018 Rollback: \$(3.0m)

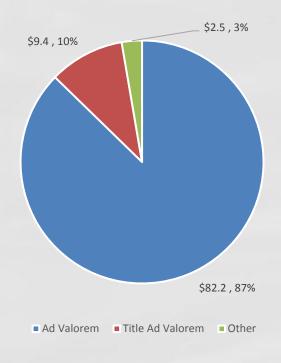
EG Impact from FY2018 0.125 Reduction: \$(0.5m)

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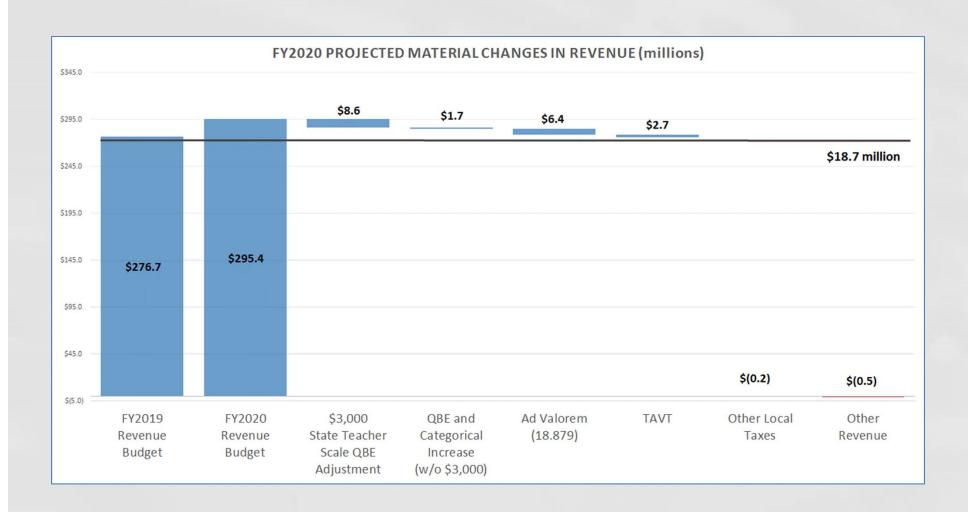
Cumulative EG Impact from FY2016 Rollback: \$(11.2m)

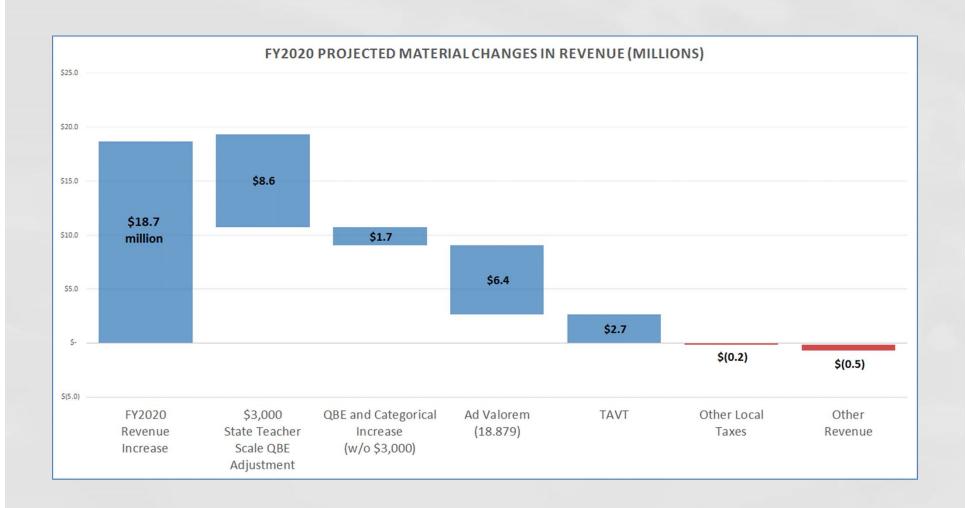
|                   | FY | FY2019 |    | FY2020 |    | nange | %     |  |
|-------------------|----|--------|----|--------|----|-------|-------|--|
| Ad Valorem        | \$ | 75.8   | \$ | 82.2   | \$ | 6.4   | 8.5%  |  |
| Title Ad Valorem  | \$ | 6.8    | \$ | 9.4    | \$ | 2.7   | 39.4% |  |
| Other Sales Taxes | \$ | 2.7    | \$ | 2.5    | \$ | (0.1) | -5.6% |  |
| Other Taxes       | \$ | 0.0    | \$ |        | \$ | (0.0) | 0.0%  |  |
| Total             | \$ | 85.2   | \$ | 94.2   | \$ | 8.9   | 10.5% |  |

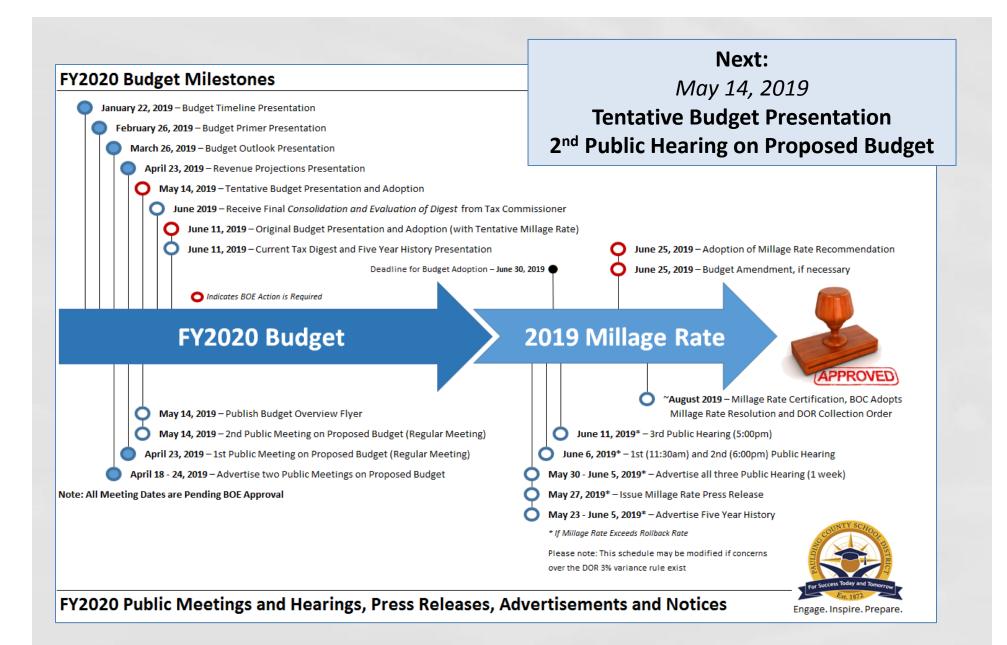
- \$8.9m Increase
- 10.5% Growth
- 87% Ad Valorem
- 6.4m Ad Valorem Increase (18.879)
  - ~\$800k at Rollback (-\$5.6m)
  - ~\$5.9m at 18.750 (-\$0.5m)
  - ~\$4.8m at 18.500 (-\$1.6m)
- \$1.8m TAVT Increase from HB329 Formula Change (\$2.7m Total)



(millions)









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## Thank You

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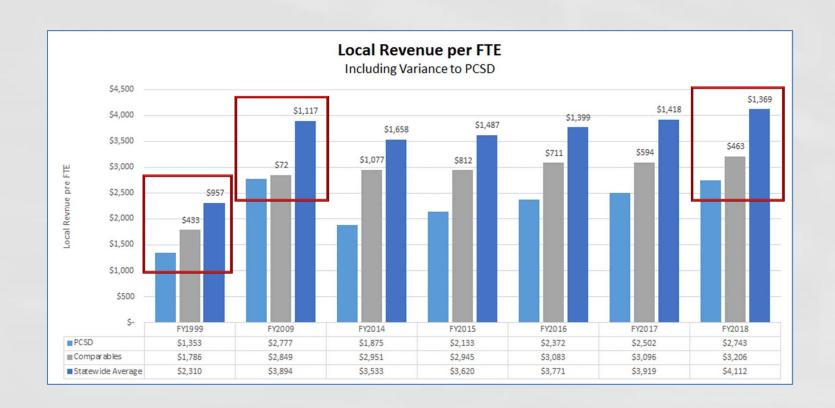
Appendix

|      | Digest     |             |             | Millage Rate                  |          | Levy*       | Revenue       | Expenditures | FESR        |
|------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------|----------|-------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|
|      |            |             |             | 2018<br>Millage Rate (Actual) |          |             |               | Expenditures | Financial   |
|      |            | % Non-      | Net Digest  |                               |          | Levy        | Local Revenue |              | Efficiency  |
| Rank | Enrollment | Residential | per Student | Option A: Fixed               | %        | per Student | per Student   | per Student  | Star Rating |
| 1    | Cobb       | Muscogee    | Cobb        | Muscogee                      | Muscogee | Cobb        | Cobb          | Avg >10k     | Cherokee    |
|      | 110,878    | 53%         | \$242,774   | 23.321                        | 23.5%    | \$4,588     | \$4,597       | \$9,528      | 4.5         |
| 2    | Cherokee   | Richmond    | Coweta      | Richmond                      | Richmond | Coweta      | Coweta        | Muscogee     | Avg >10k    |
|      | 41,831     | 52%         | \$210,900   | 19.965                        | 5.8%     | \$3,921     | \$4,127       | \$9,507      | 4.1         |
| 3    | Avg Comp   | Bartow      | Cherokee    | Douglas                       | Douglas  | Avg Comp    | Cherokee      | Richmond     | Paulding    |
| 3    | 36,135     | 51%         | \$202,686   | 19.700                        | 4.3%     | \$3,914     | \$3,911       | \$9,467      | 4.0         |
| 4    | Avg >10k   | Douglas     | Avg Comp    | Avg Comp                      | Avg Comp | Cherokee    | Muscogee      | Cobb         | Carroll     |
| 4    | 33,334     | 49%         | \$200,373   | 19.534                        | 3.5%     | \$3,841     | \$3,748       | \$9,447      | 4.0         |
| 5    | Muscogee   | Avg >10k    | Avg >10k    | Avg >10k                      | Avg >10k | Avg >10k    | Avg >10k      | Carroll      | Avg Comp    |
|      | 30,756     | 42%         | \$199,189   | 19.191                        | 1.7%     | \$3,823     | \$3,743       | \$9,283      | 3.6         |
| 6    | Paulding   | Carroll     | Bartow      | Cherokee                      | Cherokee | Muscogee    | Bartow        | Avg Comp     | Muscogee    |
|      | 29,710     | 40%         | \$185,925   | 18.950                        | 0.4%     | \$3,791     | \$3,664       | \$9,265      | 3.5         |
| 7    | Richmond   | Avg Comp    | Muscogee    | Cobb                          | Cobb     | Bartow      | Avg Comp      | Douglas      | Douglas     |
|      | 29,662     | 40%         | \$162,549   | 18.900                        | 0.1%     | \$3,505     | \$3,619       | \$9,181      | 3.5         |
| 8    | Douglas    | Cobb        | Douglas     | Paulding                      |          | Douglas     | Richmond      | Coweta       | Coweta      |
|      | 26,331     | 35%         | \$156,241   | 18.879                        |          | \$3,078     | \$3,190       | \$9,156      | 3.5         |
| 9    | Coweta     | Cherokee    | Richmond    | Bartow                        | Bartow   | Richmond    | Douglas       | Paulding     | Bartow      |
|      | 22,160     | 35%         | \$152,155   | 18.850                        | -0.2%    | \$3,038     | \$3,097       | \$9,092      | 3.5         |
| 10   | Carroll    | Coweta      | Paulding    | Coweta                        | Coweta   | Paulding    | Paulding      | Bartow       | Cobb        |
| 10   | 14,490     | 35%         | \$137,462   | 18.590                        | -1.5%    | \$2,595     | \$2,743       | \$9,072      | 3.5         |
| 11   | Bartow     | Paulding    | Carroll     | Carroll                       | Carroll  | Carroll     | Carroll       | Cherokee     | Richmond    |
|      | 12,973     | 20%         | \$125,263   | 17.998                        | -4.7%    | \$2,254     | \$2,615       | \$9,008      | 2.5         |

Note: Based on FTE October 2018 Count, 2018 Digest (FY2019), CPI per Bureau of Labor Statistics, FY2018 Revenues and Expenditures and FY2018 FESR

<u>Value of Mill</u>. For FY2018, 1 mill produced \$4.1 million in revenue (\$137 per pupil). Meaning, every ¼ mill produced approximately \$1 million in revenue. To raise the Levy per Student to the Average Comparable would require 9.621 additional mills.

<sup>\* 2009</sup> Inflation Adjusted is \$3,016 (\$421 more or \$12.5m total)



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