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To: Roxanne Maher
Subject: Proposed 2025-2026 Budget

Ledyard Town Council Members,

I'd like to ask you to revisit the BOE proposed budget increase of 5.98%. Reading through their budget adopted on 02/11/25, this represents a significant increase, considering the student enrollment is in decline, and they plan to hire three STEM teachers. At \$17,880/student/year, I believe Ledyard's tax increase needs to be more in line with the rate of inflation.

Has the Council taken into consideration the burden this places on our increasing senior citizen population, who are living on fixed incomes? \$17,880 is over half of my fixed income.

Respectfully submitted,
Leslie Weber

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