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Please accept the following email and petition on behalf of our daughter, Madeline Parent.
-Nancy & Ben Parent, Waterford residents

Dear Mr. Campo.

Below is a petition I created opposing the \$470,000 cut from the proposed Waterford education budget.

As a student in Waterford, I believe that our quality of education depends on the support we receive from the budget, and if these cuts are made, the quality of our education will go down. As an incoming high school student, I am looking forward to the many opportunities provided at Waterford High, including the Arts and athletics. I am concerned that this budget cut will impact many people, and will not help to uphold Waterford's high standard of education. Many of Waterford's students including me believe that as our town's next generation, we should be provided with the best possible education, which may not be fully fulfilled with this large budget cut.

This petition was created yesterday at 5:30 pm with the sole intent that students sign, so their voices could be heard. My petition was spread through Instagram and Facebook, and not only did we receive many student signatures, but also loads of support from the Waterford community.

Please accept this email and link to the petition to meet your 3:00 deadline. A printout of the petition signatures will be made available by Change.org at 5:00 pm today. We will drop off a printout of the signatures and comments before the 6:00 RTM meeting. I respectfully request that you submit the comments as input as well as the signatures.

<https://www.change.org/p/students-save-waterford-schools-from-470-000-budget-cut>

Thank you and sincerely,
Madeline Parent
8th Grader, Clark Lane Middle School

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