

Auburn: Feb 2, 2016

N-Syracuse: Feb 4, 2016

6:30 - 8:30 pm

3rd Annual Public Education Community Forums

Until NY State Aid is distributed fairly?

Until GEA is fully repealed & restored?

Until all NYS Mandates are funded?

It's time!

Mandated & Contractual Expenses on the Rise

- > Implementation of new learning standards
- > Services for English language learners & special needs students
- > Possible minimum wage increase
- > Health care & retirement costs

State Limits Districts' Ability to Adjust Revenues

- > Flawed NYS Foundation Aid formula shortchanges low-income, low-wealth districts
- > Misguided Gap Elimination Adjustment reduces state aid despite multi-billion dollar State Budget surplus
- > Mandated Tax Cap tied to Consumer Price Index nears zero and hampers districts' taxing ability

How much longer?

