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## PRESS RELEASE: Community-Based Public Hearings on the Governor's Recommended FY2020 State Budget.

The Vermont House and Senate Committees on Appropriations are seeking public input on the Governor's Recommended FY2020 State Budget and will hold community-based public hearings on Monday, February 25, 2019, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. at the following 5 locations. An additional location in Springfield will be held from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Morrisville – People's Academy High School, Auditorium, top of Copley Avenue Rutland City – Rutland Public Schools, Longfellow School Building, Board Room St. Johnsbury – St. Johnsbury House, Main dining room, 1207 Main Street St. Albans City – St. Albans City School, Library, 29 Bellows Street Winooski – Community College of Vermont, Room 108, 1 Abenaki Way

**Springfield** – Springfield Town Hall, 96 Main Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Conference Room (Selectmen's Hall) **5:30-6:30 p.m.** 

The Committees will take testimony on the Governor's recommended State budget at the above dates and times. Anyone interested in testifying should come to one of the hearings. Time limits on testimony may apply depending on volume of participants. If you have a story you would like to share privately with the committee members, please contact Theresa to schedule this at the end of one of the hearings.

To view or print a copy of the proposed budget, go to the Department of Finance and Management's website at the following URL address: https://finance.vermont.gov/budget/budget-recommendations/operating-budget/fy2020

For more information about the format of these events, or to submit written testimony, contact Theresa Utton-Jerman or Rebecca Buck at <a href="mailto:tutton@leg.state.vt.us">tutton@leg.state.vt.us</a> or <a href="mailto:rbuck@leg.state.vt.us">rbuck@leg.state.vt.us</a> or at 802-828-5767 or toll-free within Vermont at 1-800-322-5616. Requests for <a href="mailto:interpreters">interpreters</a> should be made by <a href="mailto:Friday">Friday</a>, <a href="February 8.">February 8.</a>