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### **HYDE PARK RECEIVES ADDITIONAL \$300,000 IN STATE AID**

Senator Stephen Saland has announced that he has procured an additional \$300,000 in State aid for the Hyde Park Central School District.

Superintendent Carole Pickering indicated that the entire amount of additional State aid will be used to reduce the tax levy on the proposed 2005/2006 school year budget. This would reduce the projected tax levy from 9.2% to 8.44%.

On behalf of the entire School District, Superintendent Pickering expressed her sincere thanks and appreciation to Senator Saland for his continued support of the Hyde Park Central School District.

Kevin Sheehan, President of the Board of Education, stated, "We are pleased with Senator Saland's continued leadership and advocacy for public education as Chair of the Senate Education Committee. We are most grateful for the additional State aid we have received."

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Carole A. Pickering  
Superintendent of Schools



