

# Tiverton Budget Committee

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To the Honorable Tiverton Town Council:

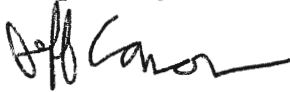
At the inaugural meeting of the Tiverton Budget Committee on December 11, 2008 members discussed the possibility of reduced State aid to cities and towns. At the conclusion of that discussion the Budget Committee directed me to prepare and deliver this letter.

Members of the Budget Committee expressed three primary concerns:

1. A possible FY09 mid-year reduction in State aid.
2. The effect of a FY09 mid-year reduction in State aid on FY10 planning.
3. A possible FY10 reduction in State aid.

The Committee respectfully requests that these concerns be addressed at the joint workshop scheduled for January. Please know that the Budget Committee stands ready to assist you as Tiverton faces its financial constraints.

Respectfully,



Jeff Caron

Chairman

Tiverton Budget Committee

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