

BUDGET PROCEDURE DATES

<u>TOWN/ CITY</u>	<u>BUDGET APPROVAL AUTHORITY</u>	<u>LOCAL COUNCIL RECEIVES BUDGET</u>	<u>FINAL BUDGET ADOPTION DATE</u>
Barrington	Financial Town Meeting	2 nd Monday – March	4 th Wednesday - May
Bristol	Town Council	3 rd Monday – March	@ May 22**
Burrillville	Town Council	1 st Monday - May	June 15 **
Central Falls	City Council	May 15	June 25
Charlestown	All-day Referendum	Last week – January*	1 st Monday - June
Coventry	Financial Town Meeting	Date fixed by council	Prior to July 1**
Cranston	City Council	April 1	May 15
Cumberland	Town Council	2 nd Monday – May	2 nd Monday - June**
East Greenwich	Financial Town Meeting	No specific date	2 nd Tuesday - June
East Providence	City Council	September 15	October 24
Exeter	Financial Town Meeting	March 1	2 nd Tuesday - June
Foster	Financial Town Meeting	March 1	1 st Tuesday - May
Glocester	Financial Town Meeting	3 rd Thursday - March	First week - May
Hopkinton	Financial Referendum	No specific date	2 nd Tuesday - June
Jamestown	Financial Town Meeting	90 days prior to FTM	Prior to July 1
Johnston	Town Council	April 1	May 1
Lincoln	Financial Town Meeting	February 15*	2 nd Monday - May
Little Compton	Financial Town Meeting	March 1 *	Third week - May
Middletown	Town Council	April 1	Prior to July 1
Narragansett	Town Council	May 15	Prior to July 1
New Shoreham	Financial Town Meeting	3 rd Monday - March	1 st Monday - May
Newport	City Council	February 1	Prior to July 1
North Kingstown	Town Council	@ March 15	1 st Wednesday - May**
North Providence	Town Council	April 1	@ 1st week - June
North Smithfield	Town Council	2 nd Monday - April	June 30**
Pawtucket	City Council	May 15	June 5
Portsmouth	Town Council	April 2	2 nd Monday – June **
Providence	City Council	May 1	Prior to July 1
Richmond	Financial Town Meeting	Last Business Day - March	2 nd Monday - June
Smithfield	Financial Town Meeting	2 nd Thursday - April	2 nd Thursday - June
South Kingstown	Town Council	March 1	May 1**
Tiverton	Financial Town Referendum	@ March 15*	3 rd Tuesday - May
Warren	Financial Town Meeting	2 nd Monday - February	3 rd Monday - May**
Warwick	City Council	May 15	June 8
West Greenwich	Financial Town Meeting	February 15	3 rd Monday - June
West Warwick	All-day Referendum	3 rd Monday – March	3 rd Thursday - May
Westerly	Town Council	2 nd Monday – March	2 nd Monday - April**
Woonsocket	City Council	May 11	Prior to July 1

@ = approximately

* = Budget Board or Commission receives budget

** = Final Budget is subject to a Citizen Petition/Referendum

Website: 12/19/11