

2011 Sycamore School Board Campaign

My Approach 2003 and 2007

- Introduction – Brief Background**
- Three Points to Remember**
 - I. Our Community and Importance of Schools**
 - II. Importance of a Strong Board of Education**
 - III. Importance of Next Four Years**
- Answering Your Questions**

Our Community & Our Schools

- Well Balanced Residential and Business
- Economic Driver for Residential Community
- Our Schools
 - Excellent with Distinction
 - 12 Consecutive Years
 - 2010-2011 Ranked 7th
 - Only 14 Schools of 612 – 12 Consecutive
 - Moderate Tax Rate
 - 31.21 Mils 19th of 25 Surrounding School Districts

✓ **Balanced Equilibrium**

Explaining & Understanding School Boards

✓ [Lessons of the Geese: Click](#)



Teamwork and Balanced Skill Sets

Importance of the Next Four Years

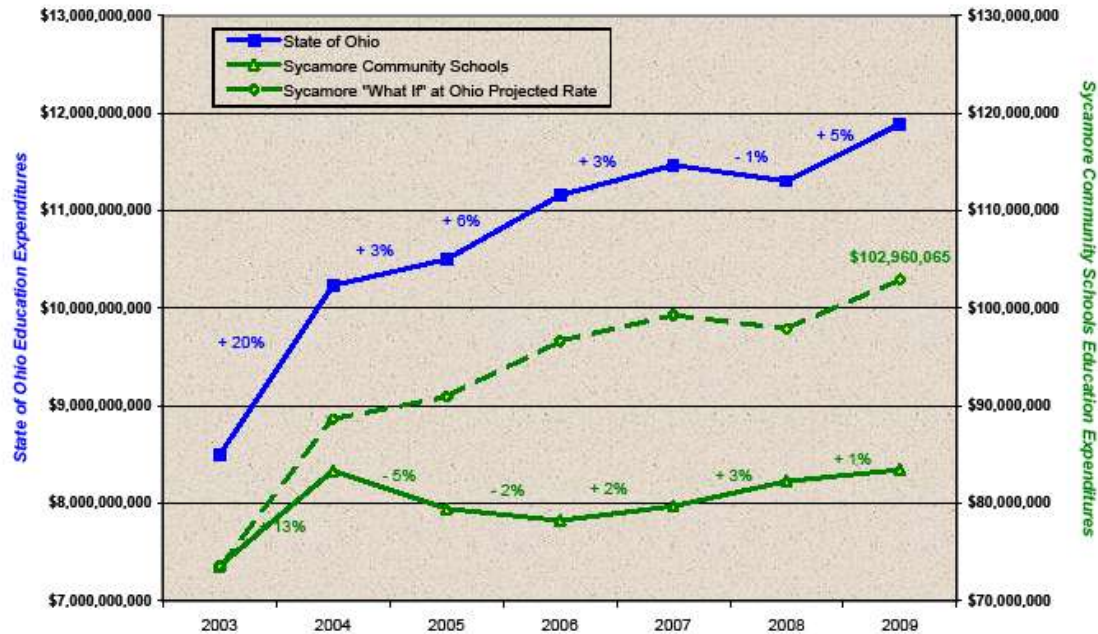
- Our Capital Improvement Plan
 - Maple Dale Board Office
- TPPT Reimbursement
 - \$9,000,000 Agreement State Legislature
- Reforms and Education

If Time Allows & If We Can Project?

- Three Key Charts Help Explain Sycamore
- John Mercurio's Analyses
 - Sycamore Reform Compared to Ohio
 - What If We Did Not Reform in 2004?
 - Value Equation

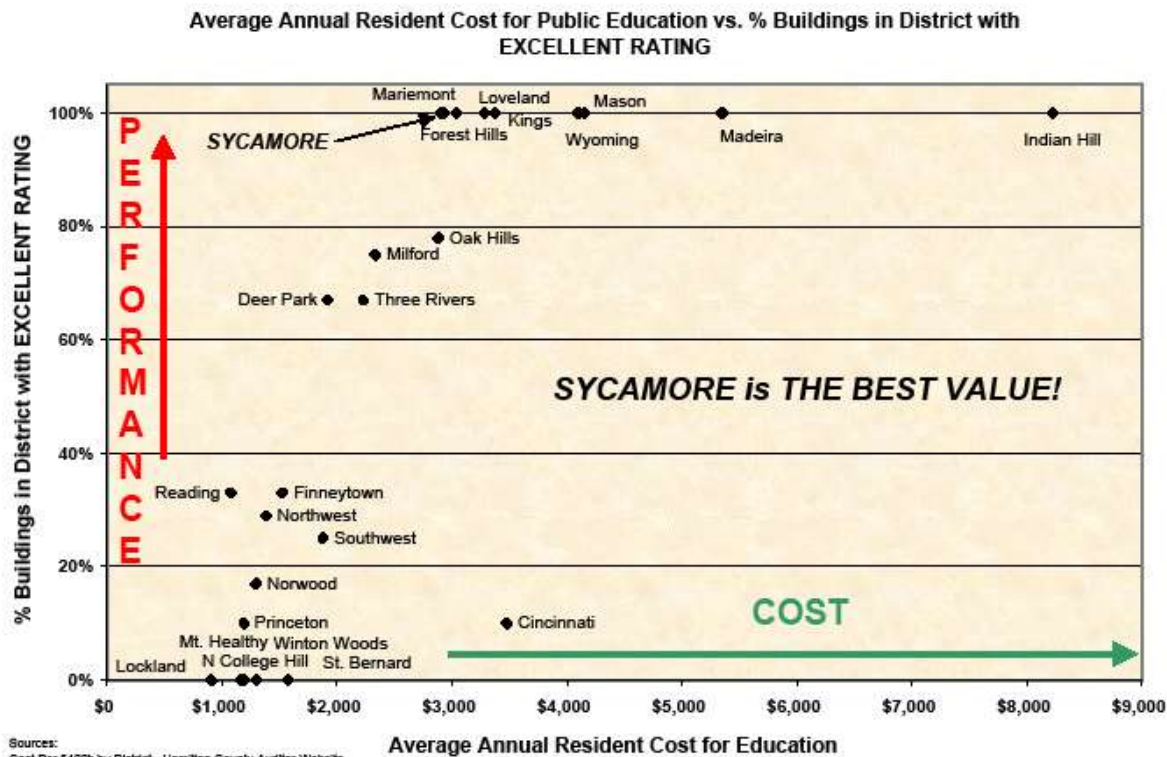
Reform Comparison (Illustrative)

Comparison of Education Expenditure Trends of Sycamore vs. the State of Ohio
(Labels Depict Year-Over-Year Changes)



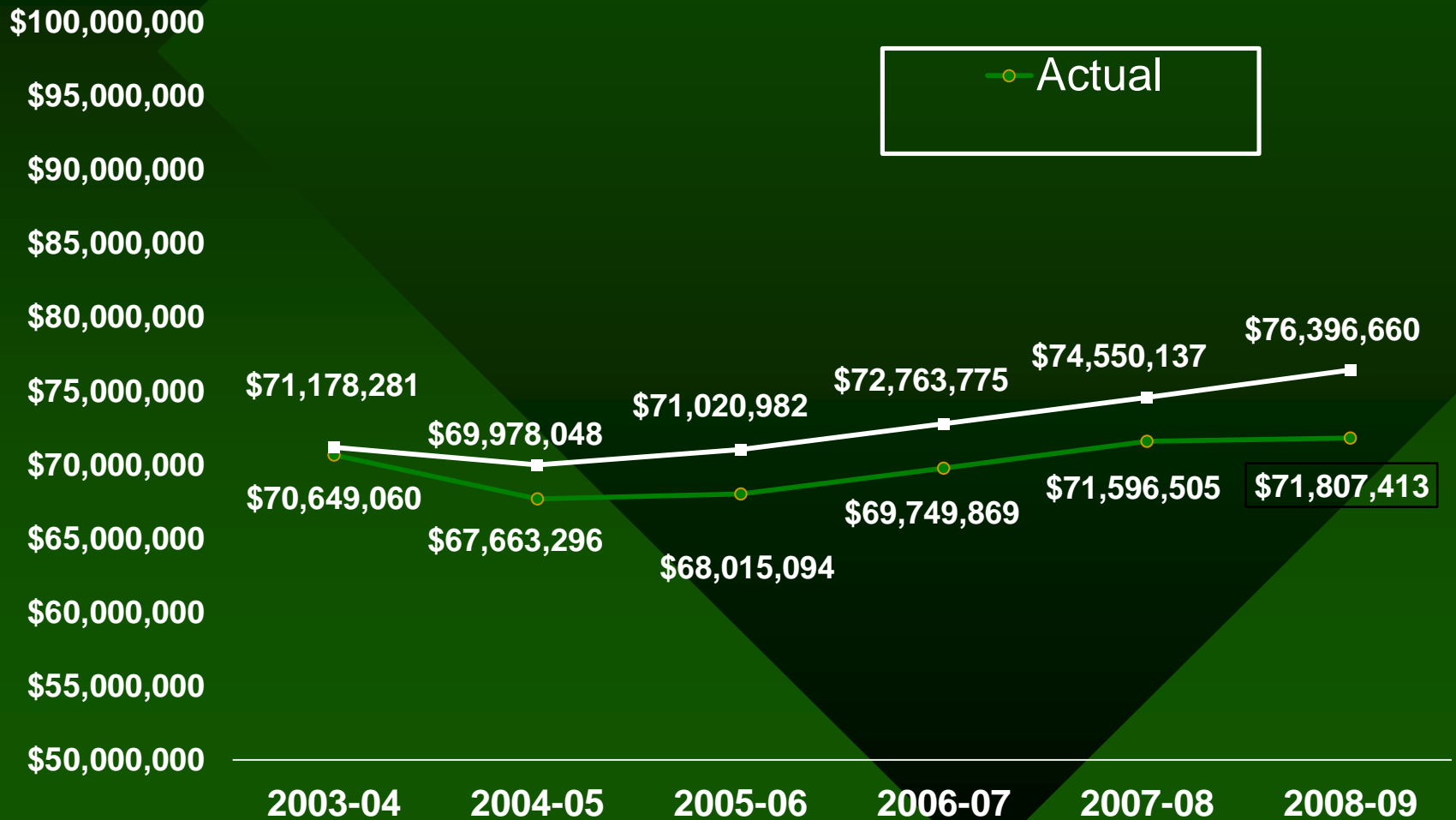
Source: Statistical Sections of CAFR Reports from CBM & Sycamore (fiscal basis of accounting)

Sycamore Value Equation

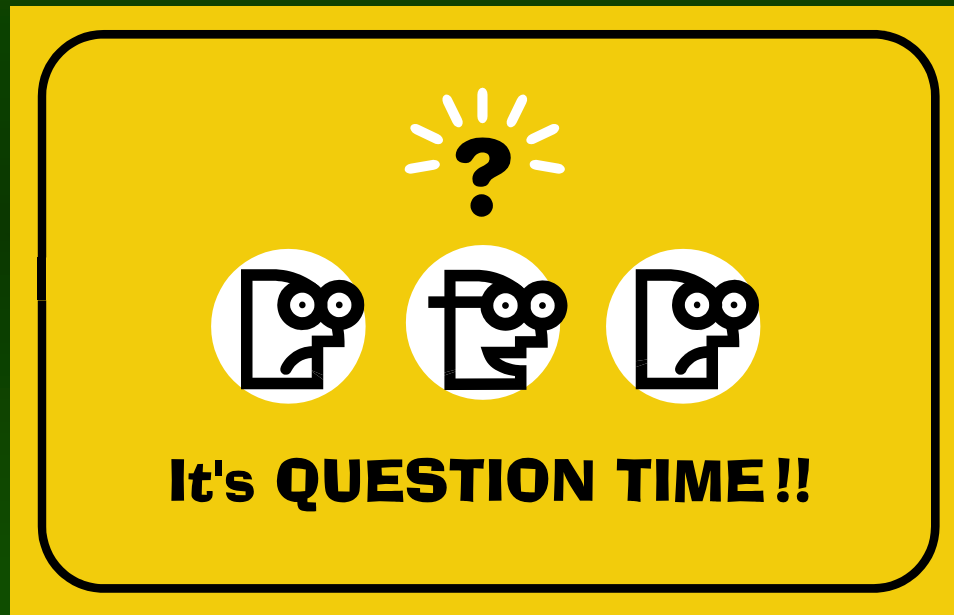


Sources:
 Cost Per \$100k by District - Hamilton County Auditor Website
 Rating Data - Ohio Dept. Education
 Average Home Sales Price in Week of 12/31/08, Trulia.com; Sbcy Cline Realtor Database

Continuing the Contract with the Community



Q & A's



Thank You



Campaign Trail.....Vote November 8th

- Our Students.....Our Future



- Signs Available