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The exact wording in the story is, "In an email (to the Sentinel), Haptonstall said he received an estimate from the district's human resources department that the changes in administration would cost \$500,000, which was shared with school board members."

It appears Dr. Haptonstall was referring to the attached salary schedule, which estimated a difference of \$528,573. I have also attached an email Dr. Haptonstall sent to Board President Tom Parrish.

Ken also sent the following in an email to Katie and me on Friday, July 28: "[I] don't have the exact number in front of me or date, but the information HR gave me was a net change of about \$520k total. Since then and your article, it looks like the incorrect information was in that document." I believe this is the email to which she is referring.

Sincerely,
Emily Shockley, PIO
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