## THE CHARTER SCHOOL CAMPAIGN



MTA DIVISION OF AFFILIATE SERVICES

# The Ballot Question - November

Would increase the number of charter schools that could be created statewide by <u>12 per year</u>.

### **# CHARTERS**

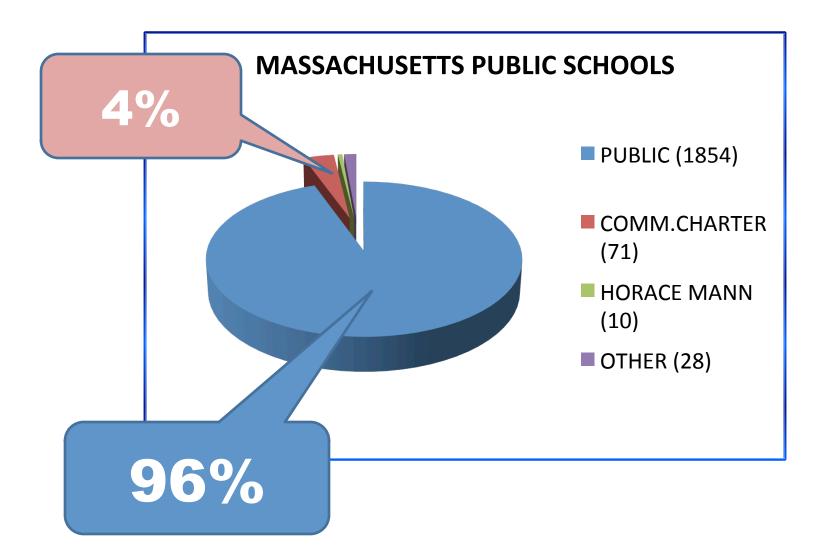
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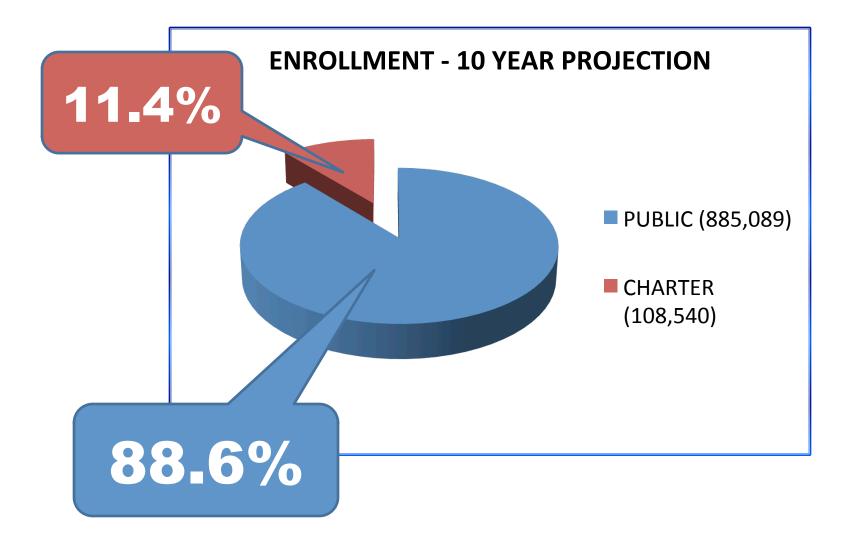
> 25 Cap in 1993

> > 50 Cap in 1997

> > > **72 Cap in 2016**

192
Proposed Cap in 2027





### The Ballot Question

#### What's wrong with more charter schools?

- 1. Loss of school funding
- 2. Charter schools do not educate all students
  - a) Self-Selecting Parents
  - b) Push out students
- 3. Erode teacher standards for pay and working conditions.

## 2015-16 Charter School Financial Impact

In 2015-16, Hanover Public Schools lost \$322,913.

What could our schools do with \$322,913?

How much more would we lose if the cap is raised on charter schools?

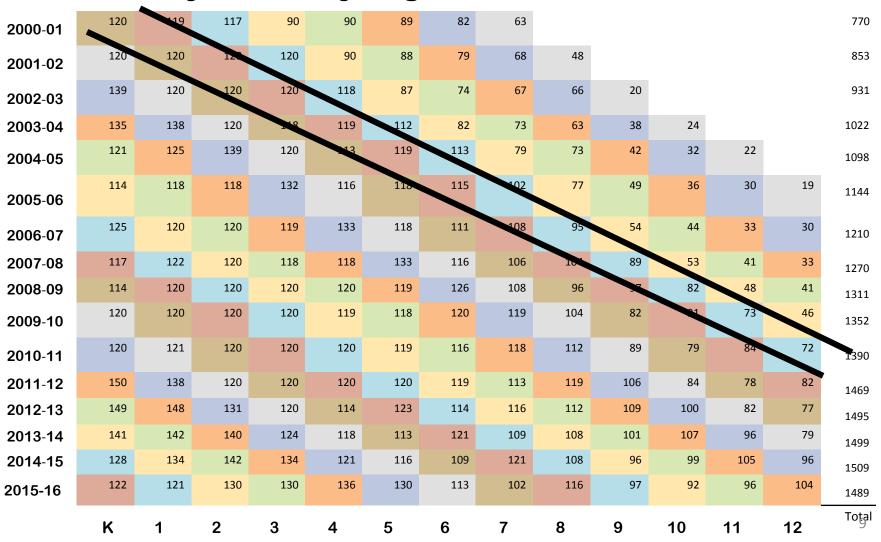
## \$408 Million





### Charter Schools do not educate all students. The "drop out" rate.

#### **Mystic Valley Regional Charter School**



### School Committee ResolutionS

•	Adams-Cheshire	•	Malden
•	Agawam	•	Mansfield
•	Amherst	•	Melrose
•	Arlington	•	Montomoy
•	Barnstable	•	New Bedford
•	Brockton	•	Northbridge
•	Bellingham	•	Oxford
•	Cambridge City Council	•	Pittsfield
•	Chicopee	•	Saugus
•	Dennis	•	Silver Lake
•	Easthampton City Council	•	Springfield
•	Everett	•	Southern Berkshire
•	Greenfield	•	Somerville
•	Hampshire	•	Wachusett
•	Holyoke	•	Waltham
•	Kingston	•	Westhampton
•	Ludlow	•	West Springfield
•	Lynn (and City Council)	•	Worcester (and City
			Council)