**ECS Quick Facts**

**ECS FORMULA**

The formula is being phased in through FY 28.
- The formula was revised, and a phase-in schedule established, as part of the FY 18 and FY 19 Biennial Budget.
- The phase-in began in FY 19. Towns that are under-funded under the formula will receive increases annually, and towns that are over-funded under the formula will receive reductions annually.
- The FY 20 and FY 21 Biennial Budget (PA 19–117) maintains the formula and the phase-in schedule.

**ALLIANCE DISTRICT PORTION OF ECS GRANT, FY 20**

$193.7 Million (9%)  
of nearly  
$2.1 Billion in  
ECS Grants  
The Alliance portion is  
2% to 35%  
of the ECS grant for receiving towns

The 33 lowest-performing districts are part of the Alliance District program, which makes part of a town's ECS funds (the amount above the FY 12 ECS grant) contingent on participation.

**ECS FUNDING**

$40.5 Million Increase  
in FY 20, compared to formula grants in FY 19

10¢ of every $1 General Fund

**FY 20: $2.054 Billion & FY 21: $2.092 Billion**

Fully funding ECS in FY 20 would require an additional $324 million.