Town Meeting Highlights:

70%

Madame President reported that about 70% of the Southern Miss budget is people-related – salaries, fringes, etc. It is her hope that salaries will be untouched for all in the 2010 budget. "We" are already under-paid. While this is "on the table," if there was a salary cuts or forced furlough, it would affect Martha as well; therefore, this option is clearly a last resort.