

FACILITY PLANNING UPDATE

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January 2018

Facility Planning Committee (FPC) Update

As part of their meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 10, the Facilities Planning Committee further reviewed and discussed the phasing scenarios that were originally presented at their meeting in December and voted to share three options with the Board of Education for further consideration. The meeting included lots of discussion about the best way to deal with capacity challenges due to increasing enrollment at the middle school level.

The options supported by the FPC were:

Option A (formerly Scenario 3): New elementary school with capacity for 525 students on District-owned land adjacent to Pope Farm; addition at Glacier Creek to increase capacity to 1,200; and renovations and additions to existing high school site to increase capacity to 3,000.

Option B (formerly Scenario 6): New elementary school with capacity for 525 students on District-owned land adjacent to Pope Farm; about 125 5th-graders temporarily housed at new elementary school; and renovations and additions to existing high school site to increase capacity to 3,000.

Option C (formerly Scenario 12): New elementary school with capacity for 650 students on District-owned land adjacent to Pope Farm; about 125 5th-graders temporarily housed at new elementary school; and renovations and additions to existing high school site to increase capacity to 3,000.

Additional summarizing statements

- Would like community feedback on Glacier Creek and encourages Board to seek broader input.
- Likes that transitional options present the opportunity for three similar-sized middle schools.
- Agrees to advance community workshops in February and would like to meet on Jan. 30.
- Request guidance on roles and expectations for community workshops along with talking points.

Board Feedback

- The Board of Education supported the three options that were brought forward by the Facilities Planning Committee at its regular meeting on Monday, Jan. 22.
- The Board also supported moving forward with community workshops in February.
- The Board wondered if there was value in adding capacity at Glacier Creek and if Options B and C were too similar but liked the idea of seeing how residents respond at the community workshops.
- Board members were appreciative of the detailed explanation of construction costs provided by Findorff's Matt Premo.



Future FPC Meetings

All meetings are held on Tuesdays
from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the District Services
Center unless otherwise noted.

January 30

February 20

March 14

Other Meetings

Community Workshop

Feb. 5, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Kromrey Middle School

Community Workshop

Feb. 13, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Glacier Creek Middle School

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Agendas, presentations, timelines,
and other information is available online.