

Board Charge to Facilities Task Force

District's Current Reality

- Crowding on the East side of the District
- Capacity on the West side of the District
- Potential growth opportunities on the East side
- Lack of space for multi-levels of support in buildings
- Lack of space for community supports in buildings
- Changing educational landscape
 - Open enrollment
 - o Intra-district transfer
 - Vouchers
- More than 15% of student body is mobile
- Rented spaces have limitations
- Lack of equity and access across the District
- Safety concerns not all buildings have secure entrances
- Instructional practice and building space no longer align to current and future programming
- Lack of sufficient funding from the state of Wisconsin

Board Charge

- Solutions aligned to the District's mission, vision and strategic priorities
- Solutions are fiscally responsible
- Solutions are prioritized
- Solutions include community and parent spaces in schools
- Solutions provide creative ways to develop flexible learning spaces in schools to allow for multi-use 21st Century learning spaces
- Solutions consider the needs of adult learners for collaborate spaces
- Solutions allow the District to expand or contract with enrollment shifts
- Solutions that may include boundary changes adhere to board policy regarding length of time students are allowed to ride the bus
- Solutions ensure all buildings are safe, secure and welcoming environments
- Solutions will be considered only after all community input from engagement sessions and the website have been reviewed

Desired Results

• Equitable opportunities across the District, including the ability to attend a multi-cultural learning environment

- District capacity is flexible so it can expand and contract with enrollment shifts, including marketplace enrollment impacts
- Schools have enough properly sized learning spaces to accommodate all enrolled students (capacity)
- A building's character is warm and welcoming creating a place that students, staff and community want to be
- The building environment inspires while reflecting the culture of the institution
- History shall be honored in the spaces.
- All school buildings will offer modern, flexible learning spaces
- Furniture that is flexible, varied and engaging will be available at all schools
- Educational spaces support individualized learning
- Buildings will be flexible enough to change with evolving curriculum and enrollment numbers
- Indoor environments will be supportive of teaching and learning. This includes temperature, humidity, air quality, etc.
- All primary learning spaces will have natural light
- Properly sized and outfitted spaces will be provided for specialized program offerings
- Staff will have appropriate meeting and collaboration spaces
- Places for community will be provided and accessible
- Community partners will have proper spaces to support their services
- Facilities are able to meet needs for extended learning opportunities (number of hours/days per year)