

September 19, 2016
ELIZABETHTOWN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING REPORT

A Local/State public hearing was held at Elizabethtown High School on September 19, 2016, at 5:30 P.M. (EDT). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Elizabethtown Independent Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted unanimously (13-0) in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 5-0 to approve the new plan.

There were (9) nine individuals in attendance. Grover Canty, Facilitator for the Kentucky School Boards Association, served as the district-appointed hearing officer.

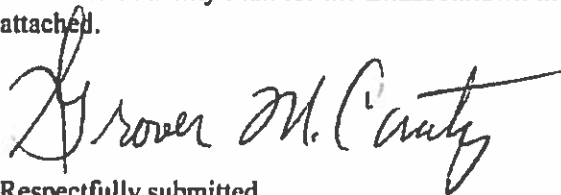
COMMENTS

Grover Canty the hearing officer called the public hearing to order and welcomed the hearing officer to the district. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR4:180. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. All considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan which includes; **Making all current school centers Permanent Facilities with an organizational plan of PS-K, 1-5, 6-8, 9-12. Priority One (1):** There are no projects listed in priority number one; **Priority Two (2):** Major renovation/additions to Elizabethtown High School, T.K. Stone Middle School, Morningside Elementary School, and Valley View Educational Center; **Priority Three (3):** There are no projects listed in priority number three; **Priority Four (4):** Construct a new Central Office, Construct a Bus Garage/Maintenance Shop, ; **Priority five (5):** There are several discretionary projects at Elizabethtown High School, T.K. Stone Middle School, Helmwood Heights Elementary School, football press box/Middle School, football toilets/Middle School, football visitor stadium/Middle School and Panther Academy.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No one spoke or submitted a written statement concerning the proposed plan for the Elizabethtown Independent School District. All five board members were present for the hearing.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the Elizabethtown Independent Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Elizabethtown Independent Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Elizabethtown Independent School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.



Respectfully submitted,
Grover M. Canty, Hearing Officer

cc: Tim Lucas, Architect

Attachments: Public Hearing Agenda
Elizabethtown Independent School District Plan
Board Order Approving Plan and Hearing Officer's Report
Recording of Public Hearing
Copy of minutes from LPC Meetings