



July 23, 2018

Owensboro Public Schools

DISTRICT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING REPORT

A public hearing was held at the 450 Griffith Ave, Owensboro, KY on July 23, 2018, at 5:30 PM (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Owensboro Board of Education Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 11 in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 5 in favor to approve the new plan.

There were (5) individual(s) in attendance. William Smith, Director of Facilities served as the locally-appointed hearing officer. Lisa McCarty (alternate hearing officer), Nancy Eskridge, School Board Member, Chris Bozarth, Director of Facilities and Craig Thomas, RBS Design Group Architecture were present.

COMMENTS

Lisa McCarty, Alternate Hearing Officer called the meeting to order and turned it over to William Smith, Hearing Officer to call the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. 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. Since, no one in attendance was from the community, the hearing officer did not read the proposed new District Facility Plan which included; Renovations/additions to Cravens Elementary School, Renovations to Owensboro High School, Renovations to North and South Middle School, Renovations to Estes Elementary School, Sutton Elementary School, and Hager Preschool.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

Respectfully submitted,

William Smith, Director Facilities