July 11, 2018

WASHINGTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT DISTRCT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING REPORT

A public hearing was held at the <u>Washington County Elementary School Library</u> on <u>July 11</u>, <u>2018</u>, at 6:00 PM (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the <u>Washington County Schools</u> Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted <u>15-0</u> in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted <u>4-1</u> to approve the new plan.

There were 7 individual(s) in attendance (excluding the hearing officer). Chad Willis, DPP, served as the locally-appointed hearing officer. Also present were the district Superintendent, one Board of Education member, Assistant Superintendent, 3 building principals, and one community member (who stated upon arrival he did not want to speak)

COMMENTS

The hearing officer called 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. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan which includes; renovations to TEL center through the Work Force Ready Grant, upgrades to HVAC, lighting, and interior finishes of TEL center and Commander Academy, the addition of security vestibules of all building except high school (which already has this), partial window replacement at WCES and WCMS, replacement of waste water treatment plant and roof, and an upgrade to HVAC systems at North Washington, construction of a new bus garage, new district offices, and the additional of an athletics facility at the high school.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No verbal statements were made nor were any written statements submitted.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the <u>Washington County</u> <u>Schools</u> Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Washington County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Washington County School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Reviewed by,

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Attachments: Public Hearing Agenda

Washington County School District Facility Plan