April 11, 2019 HOPKINS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT DISTRCT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING REPORT

A public hearing was held at James Madison Middle School on April 11, 2011, at 5:30 p.m. (CDT). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Hopkins County Schools Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 11-0 in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 5-0 to approve the new plan.

There were (11) eleven people at the hearing exclusive of the hearing officer in attendance. Steve Gilliam, Assistant Superintendent, served as the locally-appointed hearing officer. Four board of education members, the superintendent, the board attorney, three LPC members, one community member and one principal were present.

COMMENTS

Steve Gilliam 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; 1) a new elementary school to replace Hanson Elementary in priority 1b. 2) various renovations and additions to twelve schools in priority 2c. 3) a new preschool center in priority 2d. 4) three projects in priority 4 5) total unmet needs of \$79,064,973 6) five projects in the discretionary category priority 5.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement and there were none. Hearing officer, Steve Gilliam then adjourned the hearing.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Gilliam, Assistant Superintendent

cc: Gary Leist
Public Hearing Agenda
Planning File

Attachments: Hopkins County School District Facility Plan