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SOMERSET INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT DISTRICT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING REPORT

A public hearing was held at the Somerset Independent Board Office 305 College Street, Somerset, KY 42501 on October 14, 2019, at 5:30 PM (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Somerset Independent School District Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 11 in Favor and 0 Against the proposed new plan and the Board voted 4 in favor and 0 against approving the new plan.

There was (1) person at the hearing exclusive of the hearing officer individual(s) in attendance. Kyle Lively, Superintendent SISD served as the locally appointed hearing officer. Mitzi Quinton Administrative Assistant to Superintendent was present.

COMMENTS

Kyle Lively called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 4:180. 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: The DFP for the 2019 – 2023 planning period includes the Alumni Center to the Permanent School Centers, and remodeling of that facility. Hopkins Elementary School includes remodeling and an addition of a new Media Center. Meece Middle School includes remodeling and the addition of three resource room and expansion of the band. Somerset High School includes remodeling and the addition of two science rooms, one music room, and one computer room. Remodeling of these facilities includes security and ADA upgrades to all facilities. The total District Need is \$21,395,972.00

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No Public Comments were made during the hearing.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

Respectfully submitted,

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Kyle Lively, Superintendent

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