



Fayette County Public Schools

Executive Summary Fayette County Public Schools Board Meeting Agenda Item

MEETING: Regular

DATE: October 9, 2023

TOPIC: Approval of a Waiver Request of 702 KAR 4:180 Related to Requirement for Separate Access from Preschool Classrooms to Playground for the Addition of Three Preschool Classrooms and HVAC Replacement at Harrison Elementary School BG #23-124

PREPARED BY: Myron Thompson, Chief Operating Officer @ 381-4165

Recommended Action on: 10/23/2023
Consent Item

Superintendent Prior Approval: No

Recommendation/Motion: Approve the waiver request to the Kentucky Board of Education, pursuant to 702 KAR 4:180, allowing a single access point to the playground facilities for all preschool classrooms related to the addition of three preschool classrooms and HVAC replacement at Harrison Elementary School.

Background/Rationale: In the spring of 2022, the Board designated funding to support the FCPS Preschool program based upon a five-year plan. A priority of that five-year plan includes adding preschool classrooms at Harrison Elementary School. The Preschool program staff has recommended that three preschool classrooms be constructed to serve 45 children in a full-day program.

The Facility Programming and Construction Criteria set out in 702 KAR 4:170 requires that all preschool classrooms have separate access from each preschool classroom to the playground facilities. The current plan allows a single access point to the playground facilities for all preschool classrooms thereby reducing the number of exterior doors and site design pertaining to ramps and stairs.

Strategic Priority:

- Student Achievement Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging
- Highly Effective & Culturally Responsive Workforce
- Stakeholder Engagement & Outreach Organizational Health & Efficiency

Data Considerations: District Facility Plan

Policy: Board Policy 01.1 – General Powers and Duties of Board

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Attachment(s): None