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**MEMO** 

DEPARTMENT OF FACILITIES

Dr. Jesse Bacon, Superintendent

FROM:

TO:

Danny Clemens, Director of Facilities

Date:

September 6, 2024

RE:

Old Mill Elementary Nature Playground Request **DC** 

Old Mill Elementary School is requesting to install a new nature playground. Funding will be provided through the OME PTO.

I recommend approval of this request.

## Attachment:

• OMES Nature Playground Request

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REBECCA MELCHER, SCHOOL COUNSELOR

To: Danny Clemens

Below are the details of the upcoming project that Old Mill Elementary is requesting to be completed for our Natural Playground.

- 1. Request for the Project: A formal request to proceed with the natural playground project.
- 2. Scope of Work: The creation of a natural playground that supports authentic play and learning, while promoting the benefits of outdoor play. This will involve natural obstacle courses, slides, and other features typical of natural playgrounds. We are working with Bernheim Forest to design the project and guide us through its phased implementation over the next 2-3 years due to funding constraints.
- 3. Vendor: Beck's Complete Lawn and Landscaping Services LLC.
- 4. Project Amount: \$133,862.10.
- 5. **Funding Source**: The project is being funded by the PTO, which has been conducting fundraising for the past two years in support of this initiative.

The PTO will be covering the full cost of the project, and we aim to phase the work over the next couple of years as we secure additional funding through the PTO.

If you need any further information or clarification, please let me know.

Thank you for your support in making this exciting project a reality for our students!

Mrs. Joiner

Principal, Old Mill Elementary