



**February 26, 2025:**

**Facilities, Transportation, Safe Schools, and Evaluation**

**Safety:**

- As discussed at the February 12 working meeting, Ms. Stewart and I are requesting, at this meeting, the board to approve the updated MOU with the City of Newport for our School Resource Officer (SRO) positions.
- The annual service for the football field has been scheduled for June 25. This service includes: Field Deep Cleaning, High Powered Magnet Sweep, All Purpose Field Disinfectant, Turf Inspection, Seam Repairs, Infill Addition, ASTM and GMAX Impact Testing, Comprehensive Field Report.
- We are awaiting our results on a grant that we applied for to receive additional AED machines for our district.

**Facilities**

- The general contractor has been awarded the project for Phase II of the stadium renovation. I am sure we will soon have a pre-construction meeting to work on the details and get started.
- The Local Planning Committee, for the development of the District Facilities Plan, met on January 16 to review the draft of the DFP. LPC members provided input on the list of projects. We are currently waiting for all final recommendations from KDE before we can schedule our next LPC meeting to review their comments or corrections.
- We had our pre-construction meeting with REHA and Ashley Builders on February 14 for the CTE Renovation that will occur this summer at NHS. As soon as students are out for the summer, we will begin the abatement process prior to the rest of the renovation.
- In regard to our Electric and Natural Gas utilities, as a district, for this fiscal year, we have spent \$945.41 less than last year for our electricity, but have spent \$80.61 more on natural gas for the high school and bus lot. However, since our partnership with Stand Energy started in August 2023, we have saved \$14,030.61 in natural gas for NPS, NIS, and the Welcome Center.

**Transportation:**

- No new information to present at this time.

**Evaluation:**

- No new information to present at this time.

Dennis Maines

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