

## **District Facilities Community Advisory Team**

On November 29, residents and staff members met to discuss Marshall Public Schools District facilities. Meeting participants looked at the results from the Community Facilities Feedback Survey, discussed the needed upgrades to the softball fields and to the football/track complex, worked on long-range planning for the Middle School, determined the need for a referendum, and crafted a capital referendum question for the Board of Education to consider.

Survey respondents identified the following as their top four priorities: improve the safety/security of each school building's entrance, Elementary School roof replacement, Elementary School window replacement, and renovations to the High School Tech department. Survey feedback reaffirms our residents' commitment to safety/security, expanding student career education, and deferred maintenance.

The survey results show that 67.5% of all respondents support or consider supporting a capital/facilities referendum to improve the safety/security for each of our school entrances. Survey feedback also shows that 74.6% of residents like to receive communication through our District Cardinal Connection newsletter along with 58% of families and residents utilizing social media as a way to stay informed with school communication.

Special thanks to each of the residents that shared their time and talents as members of the Community Advisory Team over the past four months. The Board of Education will consider the recommendations as they plan for a potential April Capital referendum.

Special thanks for your interest and support,

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