

DU PAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT 13
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Bloomington, Illinois
Special Meeting March 14, 2022

FOR DISCUSSION:

Subject: Facilities Plan

This evening, the Board of Education will be reviewing with DLA Architects, EOSullivan Consulting, and members of the District 13 leadership team elements from the Facilities Plan that was shared at the November 22 regular meeting.

Preliminary survey results completed by DLA of staff and students will be reviewed and work of the consultant group will be discussed in order to generate more information from stakeholders in the community about their perceptions and priorities of the District's facilities. This will lead to a 10 year building/project focus that will incorporate data generated through surveys and meetings along with strategic plan priorities identified from focus groups over several years.

The discussion will then move toward how to fund the plan through an analysis of the District's cash reserves, the possibility of a referendum question for funding, and the pros and cons of combining both strategies to realize the upgrades found in the facilities plan. Support documentation for all of the above can be found as attachments to this item.

As this is the main topic of the Facilities Committee of the Whole, no action will be taken this evening on the items discussed. Rather, this is a working meeting that gives members of the Board of Education the opportunity to engage with those present to identify a course of action to be taken in future regular meetings on the calendar.