

**MHS Renovation Project
Steering Committee**
December 10, 2024
4:00-5:30 p.m. – MHS Library

Present:

Absent:

**Joint Meeting
AGENDA**

1. Welcome & Introduction (Facilities Committee, Budget Advisory Committee, School Board, and Steering Committee)
2. Review Post March 2024 Community Feedback
3. Current Scope of Project
4. Group Discussion
5. Next Meeting Date

January 28, 2025 - 4:00-5:30 PM

Action Items from Prior Meetings:

- March, 2025 is our last chance to get the state funding of \$27.6 million
- How to build a grass roots group and give them the correct information?
- Where and when to have public events?
- How to get information out to the broader community?
 - The Zoom meetings did not have many participants last year but we try them again this year
- Get groups of people on the oval to promote the project
- Have information posted to Facebook every 2 weeks - maybe the video segments
 - Residents page, Milford School Board, SAU site
 - Milford Residents page has the most traffic
- Partner with businesses who benefit from having interns or the CTE programs who can also post messages
 - Many are willing to have our flyers displayed, but do not have a big social media presence
 - How do we reach out to elementary parents who have their own pages/connections?
- Put informational signs up in the other buildings, share information at Pumpkinfest
- Professional graphic artist in town has volunteered to create signs
- Who in the community wants to support this project? These are the ones we need to connect with and get out.
 - Karin will reach out to a few community members
 - Paul can work with the BOS
- Share outside of grocery stores
- Go to 55+ housing
- How do we put the students at the center? Have students in Art and Chemistry classes create videos of their work in their classrooms - willing to do it with focus on an adult audience - to demonstrate the need for renovated bathrooms, science rooms, Art rooms, and parking surfaces as well as CTE programs
 - Downside to using students is that they do not pay taxes - focus on the **opportunities** we will create for them - improved classrooms, prepare for college and career
- Speak to WOW customers to film testimonials
- Share information on Community Service Day - we support our community, we're asking our community to support us
- Bill shared some slogans we could use
 - "Investing in Our School Today for a Brighter Community Tomorrow."
 - "Transforming Learning Spaces for a Stronger, Smarter Future for All."

- "Upgrading Our School: A Foundation for a Thriving Community."
- "Modernizing Classrooms to Build a Stronger Future for Everyone."
- "Improving Our School to Strengthen the Future of Our Community."
- "Revamping Spaces for Better Learning, Better Lives, and a Better Community."
- "Enhancing Our School Today to Create Opportunities for All Tomorrow."
- "Redesigning Our School to Unlock New Potential for Our Entire Community."
- "Creating Inspiring Learning Environments to Benefit Us All."
- "A Modern School for a Stronger Community: Everyone Benefits from Better Education."