

Potential Referendum Update: 2/13/2017 From District Administrator Tim Schigur:

-Since our last Board Meeting, staff has completed the following work in various areas:

YMCA Pool Partnership:

I've had two meetings now with Dr. Tom Den Boer. We are in agreement that the next logical step in this process is to have our operational managers involved in examining what a potential shared pool schedule could look like. We intend to schedule those meetings later this month or in early March depending upon staff availabilities.

To date, our conversation has been about the pool being at a potential new high school site and the district running the programming and operations in exchange for the YMCA making a capital investment into the new pool to reduce the overall project cost. Discussions continue to be in the very preliminary stages but are moving forward. Issues like scheduling and potential donors to a shared pool will need to be approached, given the change in the prospective location for a new pool.

Blackhawk Technical College Partnership:

To date we've only had one meeting with BTC staff about this topic. We have had a conversation with our technical education staff at MHS about existing programming needs. We remain open to discussions with BTC to see how potential facilities and programming partnerships could be developed.

PRA Potential New High School Site Development Meetings:

Pursuant to Board direction, our MHS staff met with PRA to begin developing a more definitive, conceptual plan to a new high school that would be more affordable than the previous one. This new plan would also allow us to collaborate with City of Milton officials to determine infrastructure needs prior to presenting a potential new referendum to the Board.

Timing and Board Member Input Requested:

As we continue to vet out these issues, I will share with you that I believe some of these partnerships may take a bit more time to work on. To that end, I'd also like to get Board input and eventually Board direction on the following issues:

- 1) Board member input on the administrative team's recommendation for the current Middle School.
- 2) Full scope of priorities of what the Board would like "in" and "out" from the previous referendum.
- 3) How you'd like communication and engagement with the public to take place as a potential new referendum is developed.