Ad Hoc Attendance Area Committee Update

Monday, April 27, 2020



School Board Charge

During the winter and spring of 2020, the Attendance Area Committee was asked to review the boundaries of each elementary, middle and high school, and to make recommendations to the School Board for accommodating student enrollment in the Auburn School District throughout the Building for Learning phases that are scheduled to be completed in the fall of 2022.



SCHOOL DISTRICT

Parameters

Per School Board Policy 3130, the following factors must be considered by the committee in making recommendations:

- A. Minimizing the disruption of the students and maintaining learning programs.
- B. Maintaining established neighborhood groupings.
- C. Retaining siblings in the same school.
- D. Maintaining relationship with the middle school and/or high school attendance area.
- E. Adjusting class loads to available space.
- F. Coordinating transportation routes within the attendance area.

Also, the committee should ensure reasonable socio-economic parity and ethnic balance is maintained throughout the district.

Structure

- 46 Committee Members (27 Citizens, 19 Administration Advisors) & 3 Facilitators
 - Provided dinner, childcare, and interpreters to address potential participation barriers
- Meeting Schedule
 - 2hrs each Wednesday night from January 12 March 4 in person meetings
 - March 11-25 COVID-19 Interruption
 - Resumed 2hrs each Wednesday night virtually from April 1-present (via ZOOM)
- 3 Subcommittees (met in whole group and subcommittees each night)
 - Population & Demographics
 - Capacity & Enrollment
 - Transportation
- Consensus Process
 - Guidelines for Decision Making
 - Thumbs Up/Sideways/Down (or the virtual version of this)



Our Current Reality

| SCHOOL | CURRENT ENROLLMENT | CAPACITY W/O PORTABLES | DIFFERENCE | SCHOOL | CURRENT ENROLLMENT | CAPACITY W/O PORTABLES | DIFFERENCE |
|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|------------|
| Alpac | 633 | 409 | -224 | llalko | 657 | 486 | -171 |
| Arthur Jacobsen | 534 | 451 | -83 | Lake View | 487 | 420 | -67 |
| Bowman Creek | 0 | 650 | 650 | Lakeland Hills | 662 | 475 | -187 |
| Chinook | 552 | 413* | -139 | Lea Hill | 646 | 335* | -311 |
| | | | | Pioneer | 471 | 359* | -112 |
| Dick Scobee | 459 | 448* | -11 | | | | |
| Evergreen | 555 | 378 | -177 | Terminal Park | 478 | 324* | -154 |
| Gildo Rey | 603 | 409 | -194 | Washington | 570 | 390 | -180 |
| Hazelwood | 592 | 456 | -136 | Elementary #16 | 0 | 650 | 650 |

Impact of Changes to Schools

| SCHOOL | IMPACT | SCHOOL | IMPACT |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| ALPAC | Reduce overcrowding | ILALKO | Reduce overcrowding |
| ARTHUR JACOBSEN | RTHUR JACOBSEN Reduce overcrowding | | Reduce overcrowding |
| BOWMAN CREEK | New school to open 2020 | LAKELAND HILLS | Reduce overcrowding |
| CHINOOK | New, larger school | LEA HILL | New, larger school |
| DICK SCOBEE | New, larger school | PIONEER | New, larger school |
| EVERGREEN HGHTS | Reduce overcrowding | TERMINAL PARK | New, larger school |
| GILDO REY | Reduce overcrowding | WASHINGTON | Reduce overcrowding |
| HAZELWOOD | Reduce overcrowding | ELEMENTARY 16 | New school to open 2022 |

Building for Learning Phases

| | New Schools Online | Other Schools Involved | | |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Fall 2020 | Bowman Creek & Dick Scobee | Alpac*, Evergreen Heights, Gildo Rey, Hazelwood*, Ilalko, Lakeland Hills | | |
| Fall 2021 | Pioneer | Terminal Park | | |
| Fall 2022 | Chinook, Elementary 16 & Lea Hill | Arthur Jacobsen, Hazelwood*, Lake View, Washington* | | |
| Fall 2023 | Terminal Park | Alpac*, Washington* | | |

*Indicates two phases of changes (not same neighborhoods)

COVID-19 Adjusted Timeline/Process

- April 27 Attendance Area Ad Hoc Committee update to School Board
- April 29 Committee will complete elementary boundary refinements, middle school and high school boundaries and phasing of recommendations
- April 30-May 6 Recommendations shared with larger group interested in serving on attendance area committee to get feedback
- May 11 Attendance Area Ad Hoc Committee recommendations to School Board
 - All Elementary Adjustments
 - Middle & High School Adjustments
 - Transition Plan
 - Communication Strategies
 - Timing
 - Waivers (including impacted areas as well as potential school closures)
- May 12-20 Community Presentations & Feedback Sessions
- May 26 Final Review & Adoption by School Board

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Questions?