



WILSON SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Lincoln Park Community,

In the Fall of 2018, the Wilson School District engaged in a district-wide feasibility study to use as a resource for long-term decision-making about the District's educational facilities. The study provided enrollment projections and essential information related to the current condition of all facilities. We have continued to assess and monitor enrollment and have come to a place where it has become necessary to address the overcrowding in our elementary schools.

Temporary measures, such as using portable classrooms, helped manage enrollment increases to some extent. However, we now find that constructing a sixth elementary school is essential to meet the educational requirements of our students.

Following an extensive exploration of options for constructing this new elementary school, we have concluded that building a cutting-edge facility on the Lincoln Park property owned by the District is the most advantageous choice for all stakeholders involved. Therefore, in August 2023, the Wilson School Board authorized Crabtree, Rohrbaugh & Associates to embark on the schematic design phase for the new Lincoln Park Elementary School and the investigative processes for design development. See below for a conceptual representation of the new school:



The subsequent step in developing the new Lincoln Park Elementary School involves the board's authorization of the next stage of the design process. Before that next step, we want to address our community's questions, concerns, and recommendations. **To facilitate this dialogue, we will host a public information session regarding the new Lincoln Park Elementary School on Wednesday, February 28, at 6 pm in the District Administration Building (2601 Grandview Blvd., West Lawn).**

While this session is open to the entire Wilson community, we extend a special invitation to you as residents of Lincoln Park due to the proximity of the proposed new elementary school to your residence. We anticipate this project will bring positive developments to the Lincoln Park community, and we look forward to engaging with you on February 28!

I appreciate your ongoing support of the Wilson School District!

Sincerely,

Dr. Chris Trickett, Superintendent