

**MCPHERSON**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**USD 418**

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**Community**

**Visioning Session**

**August 8, 2022**

# Agenda

1 **BOE WORKSHOP**

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2 **GUIDING  
PRINCIPLES**

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3 **PROJECT  
PRIORITIES**

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4 **NEXT STEPS**





# BOE Workshop

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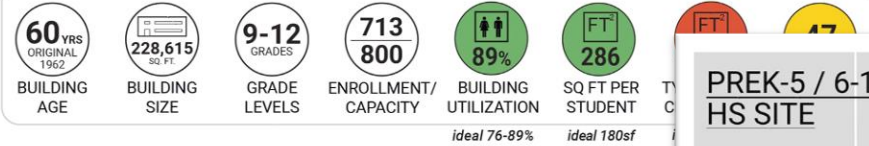




# McPherson High School

MCPHERSON USD 418

## Statistics



## Assessments

### Facility Condition

- Site: 2/5
- Building Exterior: 2/5
- Structure: 2/5
- Roofing: 2/5
- Interior / ADA: 2/5
- Tech Capability: 2/5
- Electrical: 3/5
- Mechanical: 1/5
- Plumbing: 2/5
- Safety & Security: 2/5

Total Score: 20 / 50 pts **40%**

### Educational En

- Outdoor Learning
- Community
- Varied Space Pro
- Wayfinding
- Furniture & Equip
- Self-Directed Lear
- Collaborative Spa
- Technology
- Project-Based Lea
- Real Life Relevan

Total Score: **40%**

## Summary

### Pros

- Legacy program components to be saved (Roundhouse, PAC, auxiliary gym, parking and misc. CTE programs) are significant savings to new construction.
- More HS athletic programs can practice and play on site. Boys & girls Soccer, tennis, track & field, basketball and boys football. Band can use new turf field for practice also. PE classes can use the new track and sports field.

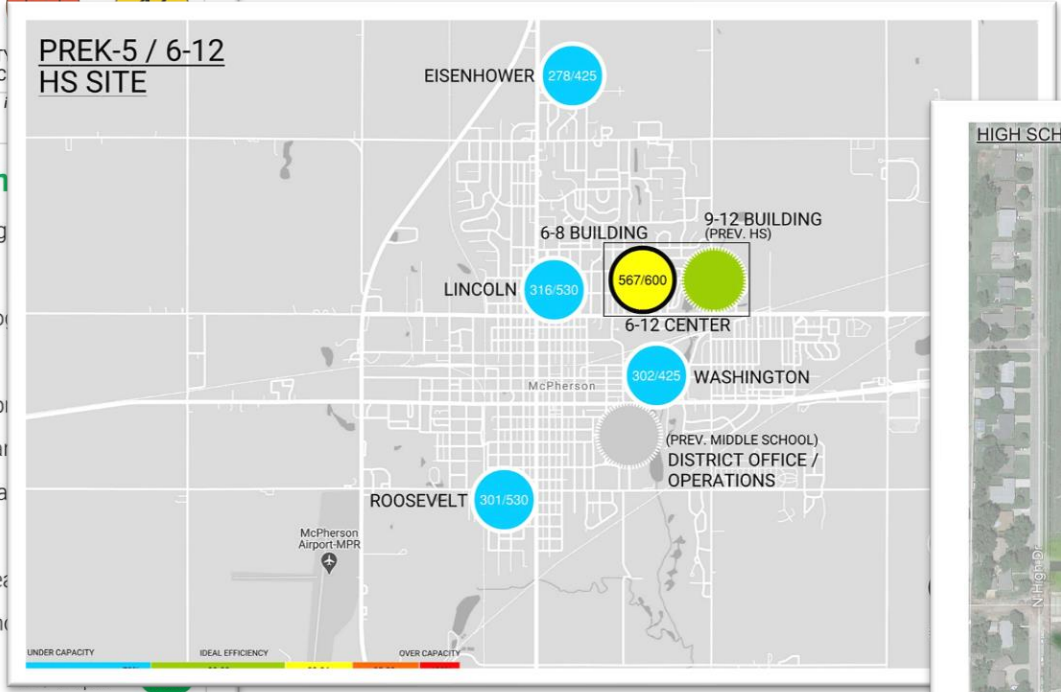
- Adequate space for new HS academic wing and improvements to infrastructure

### Cons

- Significant demolition required to replace academic spaces that are insufficient space, structurally failing and all new electrical, plumbing and mechanical systems required thru out.

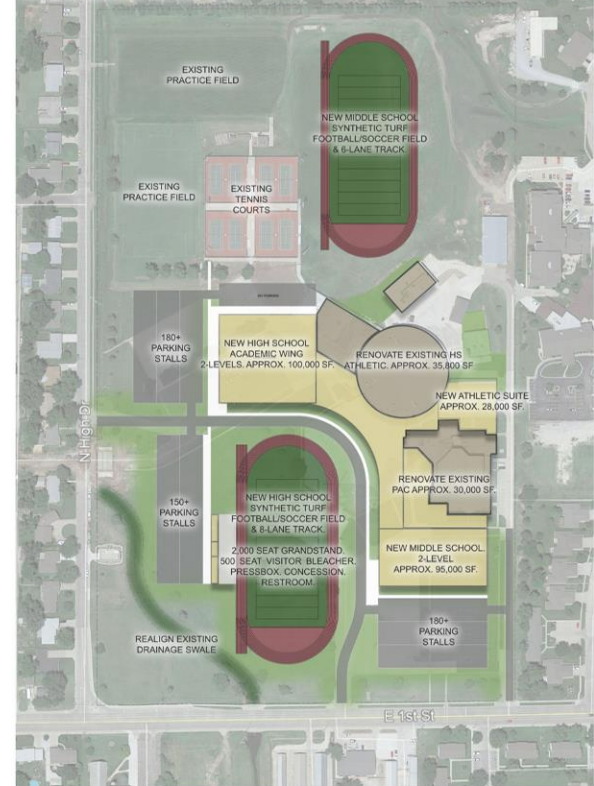
- Legacy building program components will require upgrading.
- Water problems at the northeast in lower level classrooms of Roundhouse.
- Kitchen and cafeteria areas are inappropriate for a modern HS.
- No good accessibility thru out the building
- Safety and Security is compromised by the many access points in the building.

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## HIGH SCHOOL OPTION 1



McPherson Public Schools created a poll. 6d · 🌐

McPherson Public Schools is seeking your input as our Board of Education continues analyzing information for addressing facilities with a future bond. What do you think is the top priority in a potential future bond project?

- Addressing the needs at the high school level 10% > ✕
- Addressing the needs at the middle school level 10% > ✕
- Addressing the needs at the elementary school level 1% > ✕
- All of these are equally needed 77% > ✕
- Added by Bill Powers  
Addressing the non-sport related needs of all three 0% > ✕

Add poll option...

3 259 Votes 5 Comments 4 Shares

McPherson Public Schools @USD418 · Jul 18

McPherson Public Schools is seeking your input as our Board of Education continues analyzing information for addressing facilities with a future bond.

In your opinion, the top priority in a potential future bond project should be addressing needs at which level?

High School	40.7%
Middle School	11.9%
Elementary School	5.1%
All equally needed	42.4%

59 votes · Final results

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- Addressing the needs at the middle school level 11% > ✕
- Addressing the needs at the elementary school level 2% > ✕
- All of these are equally needed 79% > ✕

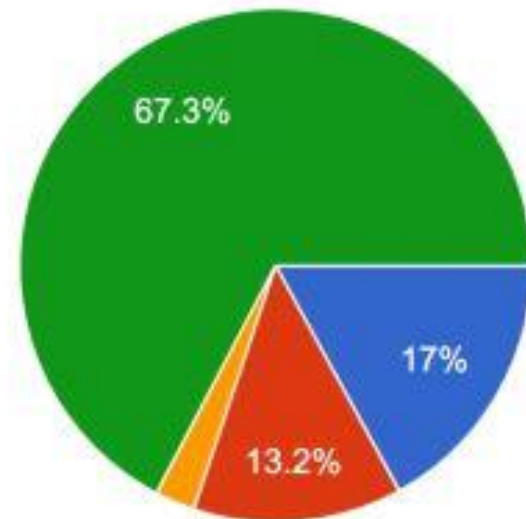
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5 348 Votes 26 Comments

# Parent Google Survey Results:

What do you think is the top priority in a potential future bond project?

159 responses



- Addressing the needs at the high school level
- Addressing the needs at the middle school level
- Addressing the needs at the elementary school level
- All of these are equally needed

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<input type="radio"/> Yes, we should learn more about all options; including new property	83% >
<input type="radio"/> No, we should only use existing property owned by USD 418	16% >

Add poll option...

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McPherson Public Schools @USD418 · Jul 19

Should the district explore/learn more about options to build new facilities on a new site not currently owned by USD 418?

Yes = We should learn more about all options; including new property  
 No = We should only use existing property owned by USD 418

Yes	79.1%
No	20.9%

43 votes · Final results

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<input type="radio"/> Yes, we should learn more about all options; including new property	88% >
<input type="radio"/> No, we should only use existing property owned by USD 418	11% >

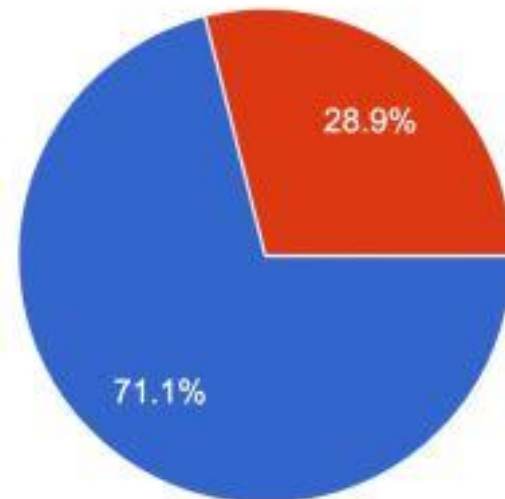
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# Guiding Principles

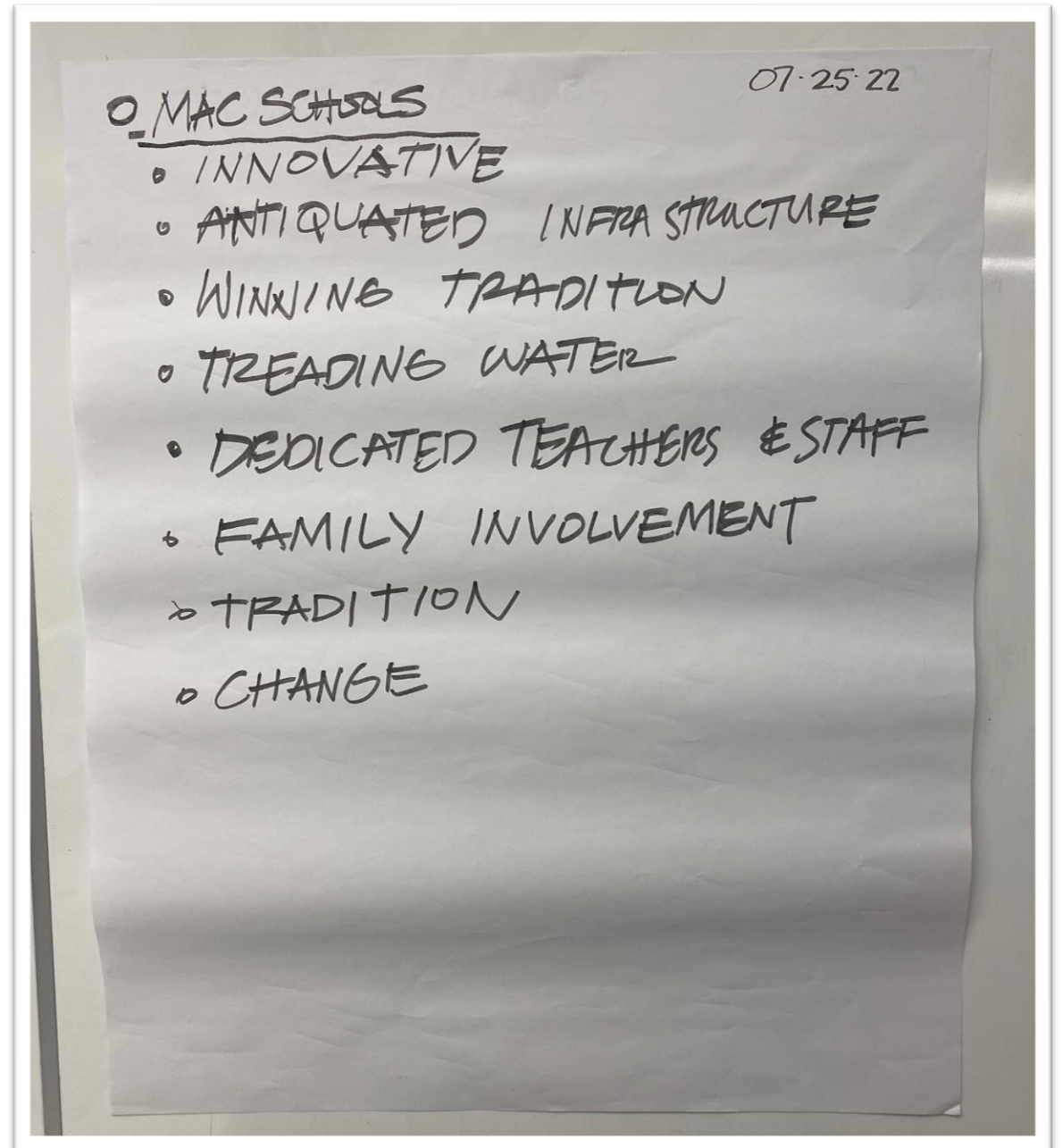
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**When you think of McPherson  
Schools today... what comes to  
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**What are things we **want** to see  
in our schools?**



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schools?

0 WANT TO SEE

07.25.22

- COMPREHENSIVE · NOW & FUTURE  
PHYSICAL & EDUCATIONAL
- SAFE
- MEET NEEDS OF STUDENTS
- DIVERSITY OF OPPORTUNITY
- COMPETITIVE IN ~~THE~~ CLASSROOM
- ATTRACT STAFF & RETAIN
- ENVIRONMENT THAT SUPPORTS  
& ENHANCES EDUCATION
- EFFICIENT USE OF FACILITIES  
& RESOURCES
- AESTHETICALLY PLEASING



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**When you think of  
the **Community of McPherson...**  
what comes to mind?**

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- o COMMUNITY 07.25.22
- o VALUE MINDED - BANG FOR YOUR BUCK
  - o STRONG VALUES / MIGHT BE DEVISIVE
  - o COMMUNITY ENGAGED / & SUPPORT
  - o TRADITION / HISTORICAL
  - o HIGH STANDARDS
  - o PROUD
  - o WANT TO BE INFORMED / THEY ARE INTERESTED
  - o EXCITEMENT & FEAR OF CHANGE
  - o WANT TO HAVE A VOICE
  - o WHERE YOU WANT TO RAISE A FAMILY
  - o VALUE TRANSPARENCY / HONESTY
  - o PEOPLE WANT TO COME TOGETHER

# What are Guiding Principles?

- They will serve as the **filter** through which important decisions are made.
- They will keep the project on track and focused on **core values and purposes**.





# Previous Visioning Guiding Principles:

- **Equitable Learning Opportunities**
- **Engaged Learning**
- **Safety and Security**
- **Sustainable Solutions**
- **Facilities that Allow for Next Gen Learning**
- **Health and Wellness**
- **Financial Responsibility**



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**What should be McPherson  
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# What should be McPherson Public Schools' **Guiding Principles** for a potential bond?

## GUIDING PRINCIPLES

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- FACILITIES THAT ARE READY FOR FUTURE LEARNING
- SAFE & SECURE
- FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE
- MEET THE NEEDS OF ALL STUDENTS TO FIND THEIR GREATNESS
  - COMPETITIVE
- EXCEED STANDARDS
- SUSTAINABLE SOLUTIONS
  - OPEN DIALOGUE W/ COMMUNITY



# Project Priorities

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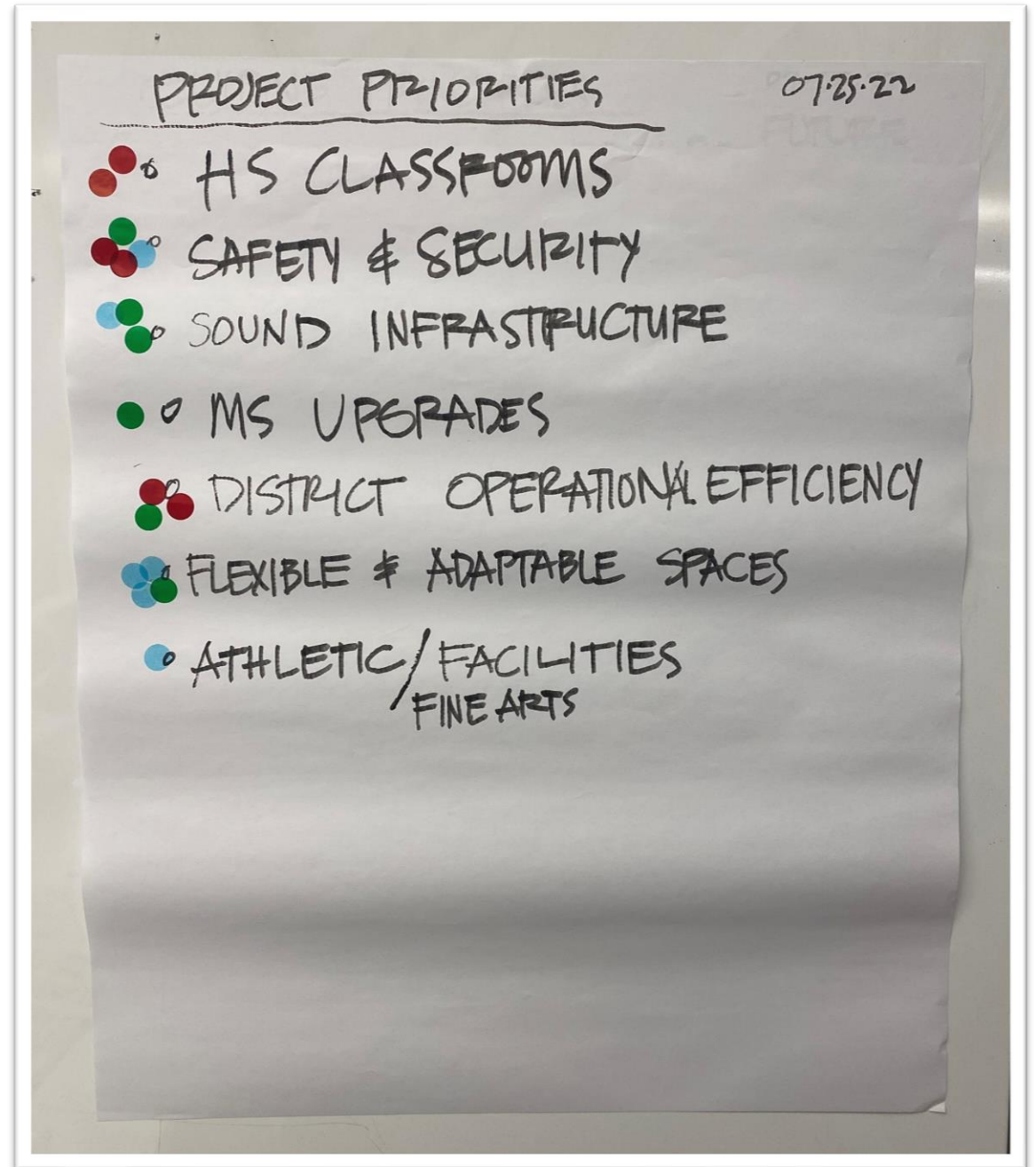
# Previous Visioning Project Priorities:

- **Safety and Security**
- **Building Access/Sustainability**
- **Forward-Thinking and Updated Learning Spaces**
- **Athletic Facilities**
- **Flexibility and Future-Readiness**
- **Middle School Upgrades**



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Next Steps

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# **Next Meeting:**

**BOE Visioning Session:**

**August 29, 2022**

**Topic: Current USD 418 Structures and Trends in  
Educational Spaces**

**Community Work Session:**

**September 13, 2022**