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Measure H

STAY IN THE LOOP WITH UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS!

AT A GLANCE

- New Designs Kicking Off
- Preliminary Studies

Planning, Design, and Looking Ahead

Crocker MPR, West MPR and Synthetic Turf

Crocker Field Upgrade

The planning for the new synthetic turf at Crocker is underway! Verde Design Inc.'s contract is being submitted to the Board of Trustees for approval on September 12, 2023. Verde is one of the leaders in playfield design in the state and will help design the project and usher it through DSA, the building authority for K-12 school districts in California. Please look for announcements from the district regarding meeting dates for the public to provide input on the design of the space. Additionally, preliminary studies will be needed for the design and will be performed in the coming weeks at the site. These include but are not limited to geotechnical investigations, site surveys, and underground surveys.

New MPRs

Design

At the August Board meeting, the Board of Trustees approved the contract for QKA to begin the design of the Crocker new MPR and drop-off area. The design will kick off with a series of meetings where the architect (QKA) will get input from staff, students, and the community to begin the design. The first community meeting will be held on September 20, 2023, from 8:45 AM-9:45 AM at Crocker in room P. These initial meetings will help the design team shape the vision of the new MPR and drop-

off. Additionally, the Geotechnical Report, Site Survey, and Underground Survey will begin in the coming weeks.

The Facilities and Construction Committee is wrapping up its contract negotiations for the Architectural services for the West MPR and is planning on bringing them to the next Board meeting. This design will kick off much like Crocker with a series of meetings to establish the initial vision of the design. Finally, like the Crocker project, we plan on kicking off the Geotechnical Report, Site Survey, and Underground Survey in the coming weeks. As soon as the contract is finalized and the meeting dates are established, the District will publish those dates to receive input.

CBOC Member Needed

Still Looking for Volunteers

In November 2000, the voters of the State of California approved an amendment of the California Constitution (Proposition 39) lowering the voter approval requirement from 2/3rds to 55% for school districts that provide voters a specific list of projects, a committee of appointed citizens to oversee the expenditure of funds and an annual performance audit and financial audit of the bond funds and bond projects. In addition, Proposition 39 provides that the Citizens' BondOversight Committee shall have at least seven (7) members who shall serve up to two (2) terms of two (2) years each.

Measure H was passed in compliance with Proposition 39, and the Hillsborough City School District is establishing a Citizens Bond Oversight Committee for this bond measure. If you are interested in serving on the committee, there are open seats; don't hesitate to contact the district office for an application.