

What excites you about this plan? What do we need to think about?
(11/2/11 Community Meeting)

- Students will be very proud!
- Workout/Fitness Center – build it and they will come!
- Sell as a Community Center
 - A plan for community use
 - A plan for security for gym
- Heating and Air Conditioning!
- Like that buses/cars will travel different paths.
- Kids – 21st Century Learning – large learning spaces!
- High School plan – looks good!
- Good conversations!
- Like that the plan is “centralized.”
- Pleasantly surprised at the cost...thought it would be more.
- We can keep some good materials and use in the new buildings.
- Walker too far out (well/sewer) – but new plan would have city utilities.
- Traffic flow much better
- Much needed!
- Like the visible locations!
- “Selling it” to the community – they need to buy in...especially those that don’t have kids.
- We need a common slogan for the plan to help sell it to the community...(Jackson: “Unity in the Community!”)
- We need a good marketing plan.
- Open the doors so people can see what will happen and what NEEDS to happen.
- Great to have a new modern high school
- We will be able to compete with other schools in Stark County
- We will be able to attract people to our community/schools.
- Reduce bus-riding time for kids!
- Love the connection between elementary and middle school.
- Arts/Music/Library facility in all schools.
- Like the 2-campus idea – good for young families
- Like that “community building” would be part of the schools.
- Bringing “youth activities,” AARP, different activities back into the schools.
- Like the idea of two gyms in high school.
- Post the blueprints in public places w/bullet points (McDonalds, McCalls, bldgs, etc.)
- Prior to each (choir, band, play) program, give a brief summary.
- Brief presentations at senior luncheons
- Conversations around what Township has promised on Cleveland Ave (sidewalks, turning lanes) from 45th north to Mill Rd.
- Like the restrooms!
- PK-8 campus nice feature for families with multiple kids in family.
- Older kids working w/younger kids is a nice feature.
- PK-8 – make age-appropriate friendly
 - Smaller furniture
 - Lower sinks, drinking fountains, etc
 - More restrooms
 - Air conditioning!

- PK-8 one kitchen serving two areas
- Keep fifth grade w/elementary
- No flat roofs!
- Give correct/accurate information
 - Why do this now – explain low interest rates, property, & constructions costs low
 - Compare costs now vs. future costs (give 5-10 year projections)
 - Explain timeline
- Keeping CT on campus.
- High school proudly sitting on corner!
- Communicate in terms people can understand.
- Location!
- Consolidation is good!
- Auditorium for performing arts!
- Good decision from practical/economic standpoint!
- Like the drop-off for buses and cars.
- Great opportunities for students and community.
- Keep promoting “Now is the time!” for March 6th!
- Concessions and restrooms need updated at stadium.
- Shorter bus ride for elementary students
- New school will bring in more students
- Educate the public on why we are NOT using state money.
- Like the “campus feel.”
- Easy access.
- Better parking!
- Sensory room
- New school still located on Cleveland Avenue!
- K-8 centrally located too!
- NOW is the TIME !
- Bring businesses closer.
- New facilities students need and deserve!
 - When visiting other schools, students have seen what those communities have provided for their students.
 - Improves behavior
 - Instills pride