



## **HILLSBORO 2017 CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION BOND PROGRAM GOALS**

The 2017 Bond Program will assist the District in reaching the goal of an “equitable learning environment” for all students in all schools. While understanding that each school presents physical challenges due to its age and design, bond projects will inspire students to achieve their educational goals, while continuing to provide excellent stewardship of District resources. Bond projects will strive to create an Equitable Learning Environment for all students. This will be accomplished by ensuring that classrooms are comfortable and safe places for students and staff; by providing flexibility and allowing for implementation of technology and innovation; and ensuring that students are prepared for life after school, whether that is higher education or career

The bond will accomplish these goals by focusing on the priorities identified during the bond campaign:

- **Prioritize Safety and Security**
  - Ensure that all district campuses are equipped with modern safety and security systems.
  - Provide improved Parent/Bus/Pedestrian traffic flow at all district campuses.
  - Upgrade all building facilities to current Seismic Code
  - Upgrade elementary school playgrounds
  - Install cameras and GPS systems on District School Buses
  
- **Renovate and Repair Aging Schools**
  - Upgrade HVAC Systems and add air conditioning to all school buildings
  - Replace failing water pipes
  - Replace/Repair roofs
  - Remodel Reedville Elementary School
  - Remodel Hillsboro High School
  - Construct lighted synthetic turf fields at Glencoe, Hillsboro and Century High Schools
  - Construct Track at Hillsboro High School
  - Replace poorest condition portable buildings with permanent modular structures
  - Other improvements as identified during construction at all school sites
  
- **Relieve Crowded Classrooms and Plan for Growth**
  - Construct new 600 student elementary school to replace Brookwood Elementary School
  - Construct new 600 student elementary school in North Plains
  - Construct new 600 student elementary school in South Hillsboro
  - Build new gymnasiums at elementary schools with Gymcafeteriums

- Provide a Modern Education for Every Student
  - Upgrade classroom technology at all schools
  - Upgrade District technology infrastructure including construction of a Dark Fiber Ring to serve all District facilities
  - Career Technical Education investment at all District high schools
  - Purchase of flexible classroom furniture for all District schools
- Efficient and transparent in the expenditure of bond resources:
  - Report regularly to the board regarding progress toward the completion of all bond projects;
  - Implementation of a Citizen Bond Oversight Committee to oversee bond expenditures and schedules;
  - Manage the sale and investment of bond proceeds to ensure the maximizing of resources while abiding by all state and federal laws.
- Equity and opportunities in public purchasing and contracting:
  - Business Equity: A goal to have 10% of the contract value for consulting services and construction contracts awarded to firms certified as minority, women, emerging, service-disabled veteran, or socially or economically disadvantaged businesses.
  - Career Learning: The District will look for ways to include District Career/Technical Education career-learning opportunities arising from bond work for students in relevant career fields. These could include, but are not limited to, architecture, engineering, building trades, construction and other related fields. These career learning opportunities may include internships, job shadowing, guest speakers, and career days and fairs.