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Public Information Session

# Why are we meeting tonight?

- The Board of Education passed a resolution at its November 1, 2023 meeting to put forth a 2023 Capital Improvements Project Bond to voters on December 19, 2023
- The purpose of this session is to review the scope, timeline and financing of the proposed 2023 Capital Improvements Project with our community



# How was the proposed project planned?

- Board of Education
- Capital Planning Committee
- Building Teams



### **Board of Education**

- Long-range financial and capital planning began in 2021
- Reviewed Building Condition Survey, as well as five-year Capital Plan, to prioritize District needs and desires
- Provided feedback to shape the proposed scope of work for the 2023 Capital Improvements Bond



# **Capital Planning Committee**

- Master capital planning meetings and discussions began in spring 2023, which included:
  - Review of the Building Condition Survey (BCS)

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Review of concept designs & budgets for various scopes



# Capital Planning Committee (cont.)

- Development of prioritized building plans focused on student needs and necessary maintenance items
  - Committee building tours with administrators
- Workshop/meeting presentations to the Board of Education





# **Building Teams**

- Principals canvassed staff regarding facilities-related program needs
- Architect meetings with administrators





# **Prioritizing Needs**

#### Priorities

- o What <u>must be done</u> to ensure the health, safety, and success of our staff and students?
  - Building Condition Survey (BCS)
- What would we like to do to better support and enhance programming?

#### Alignment with District Goals

- o Continue to Provide a Safe, Inclusive, Welcoming Environment for All
- Continue to Promote Community Engagement
- Strengthen and Implementation of Innovative K-12 Curriculum



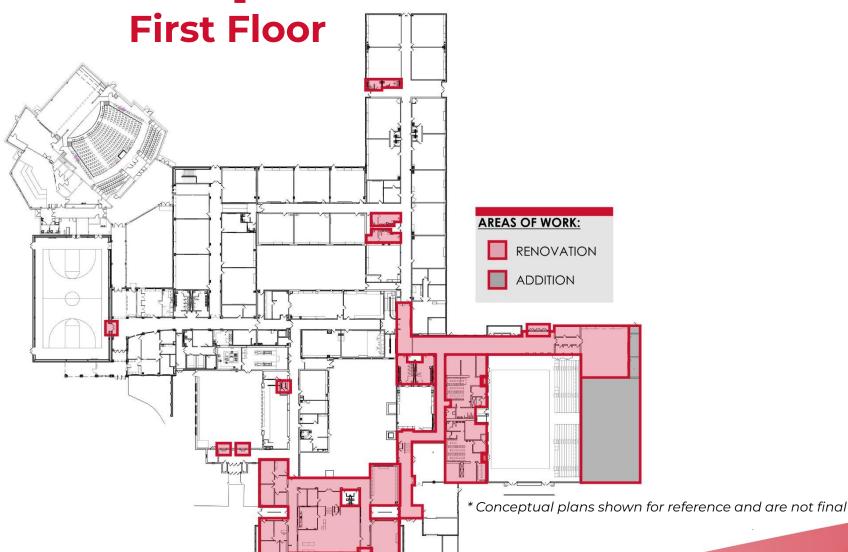
### Summary of Scope of Work

#### Scope of Work to Address Student and Staff Safety, Accessibility and Well Being

- Necessary Building Maintenance
  - New Maintenance Facility to keep maintenance workers out of basement with flooding issues, Bathroom and Locker Room renovations, Roofing repairs, Flooring replacement, Sewer line, Repave parking lot.
- Support for Emergencies
  - Speakers, Access road to fields for emergency vehicles, New door hardware with lockdown function, Generator for school to be used as shelter when needed
- Student/Staff Safety
  - o Repairs to doors, Exterior stairs, Playground with safety surfacing
- Accessibility
  - Replace chair lifts with ramps

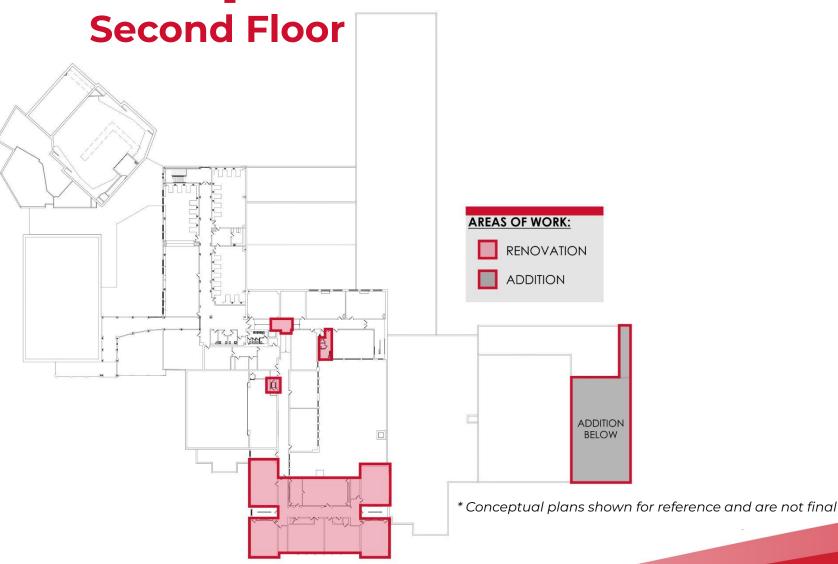


## Overall Scope of Work





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### **Address Basement Flooding**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

o Address Basement Flooding









# **Playground Renovation**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- o Demo Existing Playground Equipment and Surfacing
- o Install new Poured in Place Safety Surface
- Install new Playground Equipment

#### **Playground Injuries:**

2021-2022 - 141 2022-2023 - 149 2023-Present - 35











### Site Work

#### **Proposed Scope of Work**

- Install Outdoor Speakers
- Re-Pave North Parking Lot & Bus Loop
- Install Sewer Line to 9G
- Install Fire Apparatus Access Path to Fields
- Replace Steps to Cafeteria Entrance
- Install sidewalks around Auditorium



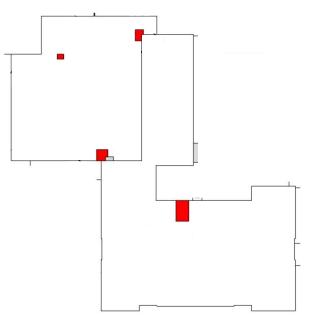
\* Conceptual plans shown for reference and are not final



### Roofing

#### Proposed Scope of Work

o Infrared scans determined several areas of wet insulation. The roofs in question were determined to be a good candidate for a roof restoration: a new liquid applied coating is applied over the existing roof.

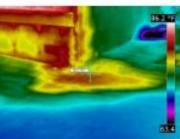




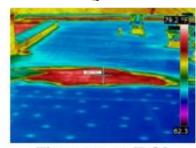




Thermogram T-06



Thermogram T-04



Thermogram T-08









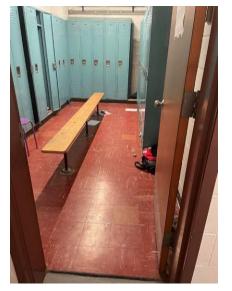
### **Locker Room Renovation**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- Redesign layout of Boys and Girls Locker Rooms
- o Provide more accessible locker areas
- Provide private shower/ changing areas
- o New flooring, wall finish, acoustical ceiling and lighting
- New lockers





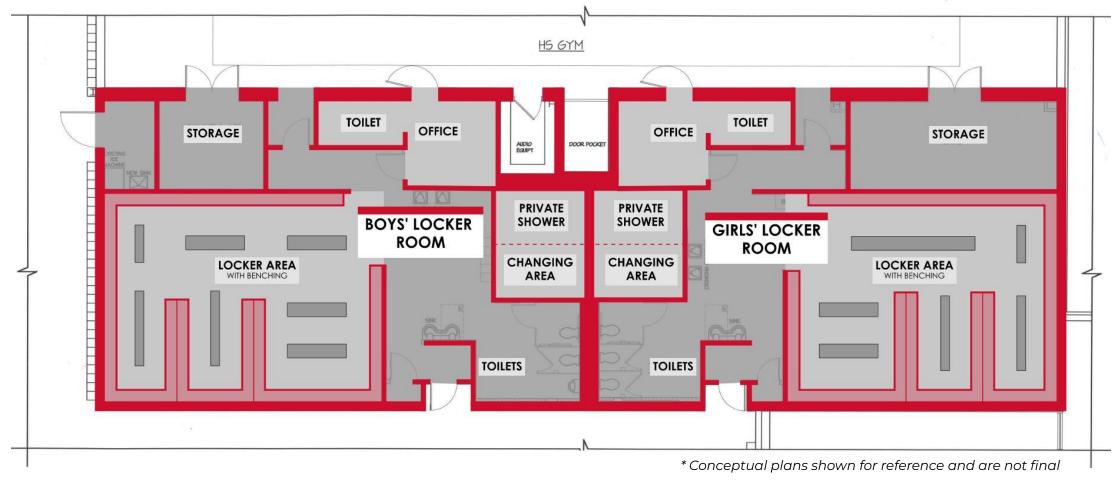








### **Locker Room Renovation**





### **Bathroom Renovations**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- o Red Tile Bathrooms, Second Grade Bathrooms, Boy's Room 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
  - New flooring, wall finishes, ceilings, fixtures, partitions, and lighting











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## **Chairlift to Ramp Conversions**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

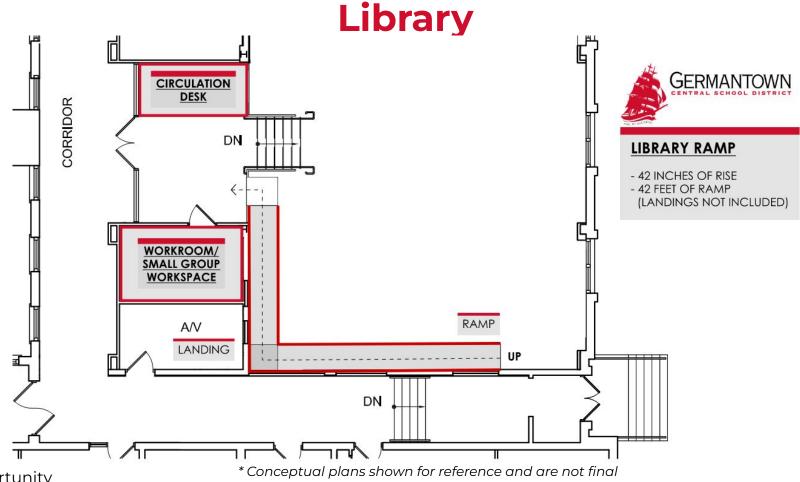
- o Replace Library Chairlift with a ramp.
- o Replace Stage Chairlift with a ramp.
- o Replace 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Chairlift with a ramp. (Directly above stage chairlift)
- Replace Technology Chairlift with a new Chairlift.







## **Chairlift to Ramp Conversion**





### Lockdown Door Hardware

#### **New Lockdown Door Hardware to include:**

 All Classroom doors to receive new door hardware that can be locked by the push of a button in lockdown situations.



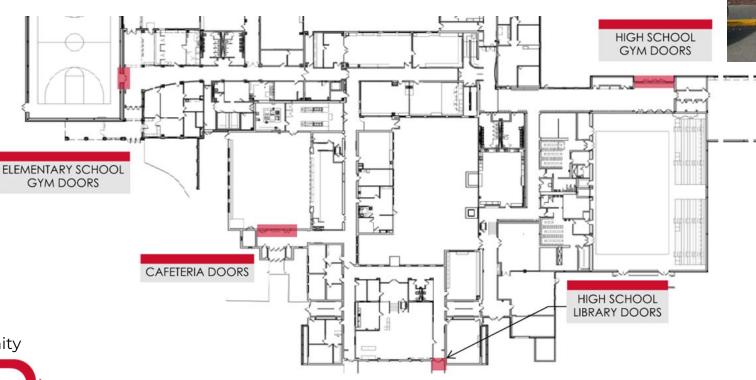


### **Door Replacements**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- o Replace Cafeteria Doors
- o Replace Exterior Doors by High School Gym
- o Replace Exterior Doors by High School Library
- Replace Exterior Doors by Elementary School Gym







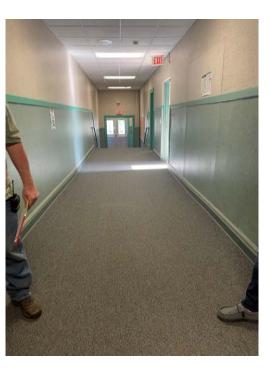
## Replace Select Flooring

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- o Abate VAT under VCT in Lobby and Corridors
- Abate VAT under VCT in Classrooms
- Replace Carpet with LVT in Original 1922 Building
  - Reinforce subflooring to reduce noise









### **Additional Interior Work**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- o Replace Rusting Oil Line/ Replace Boiler Pumps with a larger size
- o Paint Hallway Walls
- o Update old power boxes in Tank Room











### **Update Electrical Power Boxes**







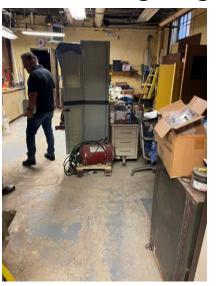


# Maintenance Facility Proposed Scope of Work

#### **New Maintenance Facility addition to include:**

- Move the maintenance space out of the basement, which has flooding issues
- Provide workshop and storage space
- Provide office space for Facilities Department
- Replace the equipment storage space currently in detached garage



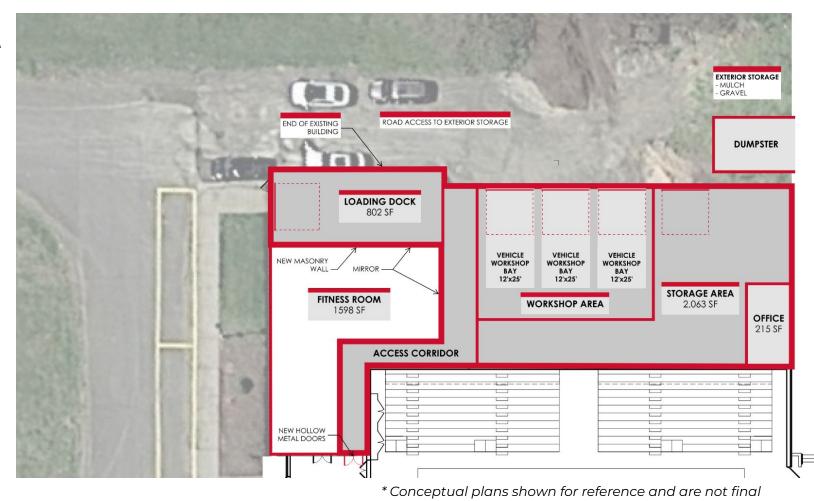




# **Maintenance Facility**

#### Proposed Scope of Work

- o Remove Existing Equipment Storage
- Build New Maintenance Facility
  - Loading Dock
  - Vehicle Workshop Bays
  - Workshop area
  - Storage
  - Facilities Director Office
- Music Room Becomes Fitness Room





### Generator

#### Proposed Scope of Work

 New generator to support life safety & Cafeteria/Kitchen





### CM slides on Construction Timeline

- Proposed work is anticipated to be phased over a 3 year period
  - Phase 1
    - Work to begin in Winter 2024 and completed in Fall / Winter of 2025
  - Phase 2
    - Work to begin in Summer of 2025 and completed in Fall / Winter of 2026



### **Anticipated Project Phasing**

#### **Phase 1 Scope of Work**

- 2nd Grade 6th Playground
- Install Outdoor Speakers
- Roofing Repairs
- Locker Room Renovation
- Toilet Room Renovations
- Door Replacement
- Replace Select Flooring
- Paint Hallway Walls
- Replace Classroom Door Hardware with Lockdown Function
- \* Installation of fire rated partition in Electric Room to be completed by District

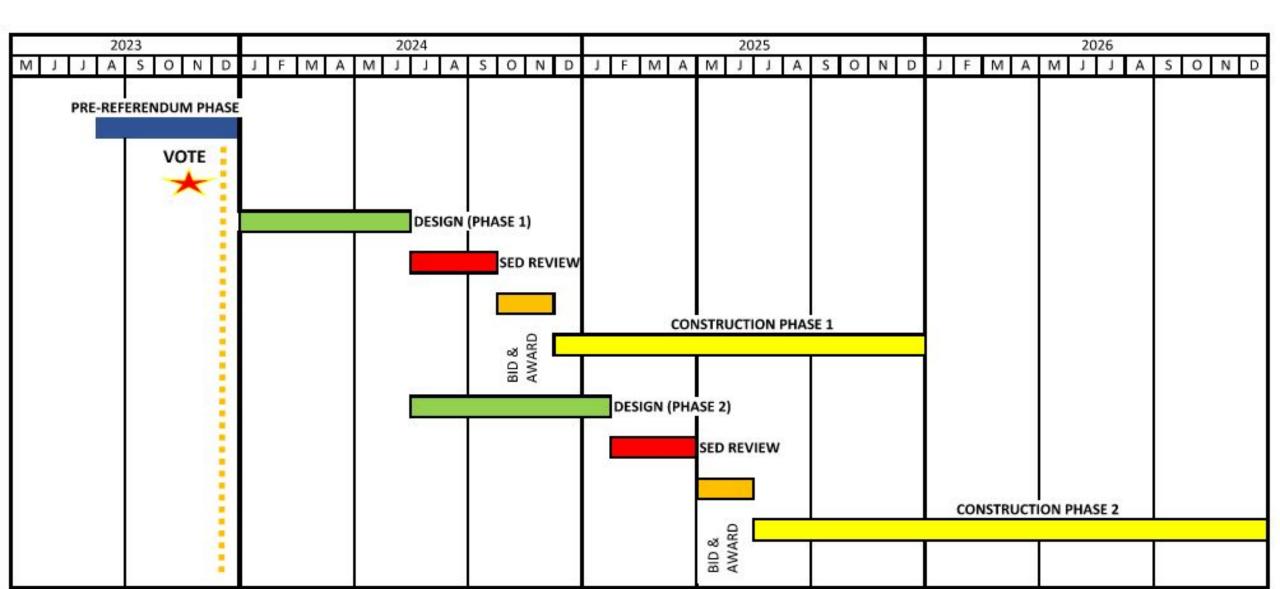
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#### **Phase 2 Scope of Work**

- Removal of Old Garage & Build New Maintenance Facility
- Address Building Flooding
- Re-Pave/Mill N' Fill Main Street Parking Lot and Bus Loop
- Install Sewer Line to 9G
- Install Access Path to Sports Fields
- Replace Steps to Cafeteria Entrance
- Install Sidewalk around Auditorium
- Chairlift to Ramp Conversions
- Replace Rusting Oil Line and Boiler Pumps
- Update old power boxes in Tank Room
- Replace outside lighting on Main Street
- Generator

# **Anticipated Project Milestones**



# **Safety During Construction**

- Contractor Adherence to all latest COVID-19 policies and protocols
- Site Containment Students/staff will be separated from construction areas
- Non-Fraternization– Required of all prime contractors, zero tolerance policy
- Adherence to Section 155.5 of NYSED Safety Regulations
- Identification Badges– Required of all prime contractors, zero tolerance policy
- Written Safety Programs Required of all prime contractors
- Accident Procedures and Policies
- Site Inspections
- Toolbox Talks

   Required of all prime contractors
- Management Staff has 30 HR OSHA Certification
- OSHA Policies 10 HR OSHA training "minimum standard"



### **Financial Considerations**

Capital Project financial assumptions are based on:

- Allowable state aid for each building (under Maximum Cost Allowance)
- Building aid ratio = 58.8%
- Bond percentage = 81.05%
- Capital Reserve spending approval = \$2,000,000
- Conservative borrowing and aid estimates
- 15-Year Principal and Interest payment schedule
- Impact on tax cap, local share and future budgets



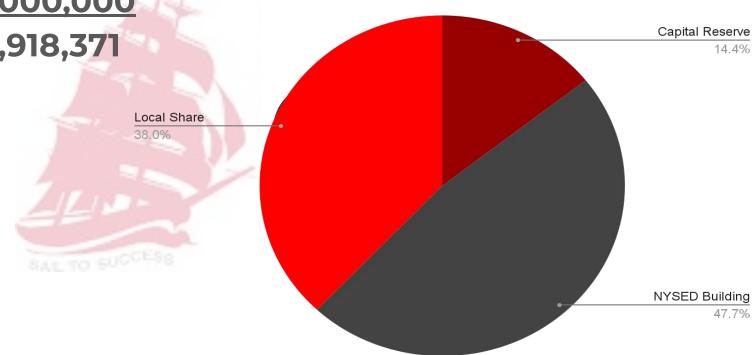
### **Financial Considerations**

Total Project Budget = \$13,918,711

Capital Reserve =

**Borrowed Amount = \$11,918,371** 







### **Financial Considerations**

**Total Project Budget** 

**Use of Capital Reserve** 

Avg. Principal and Interest PMTs

Building aid

Retired Bond

Avg. Impact on Tax Levy

\*Increase on Tax Rate Full Value

per \$1,000 of FULL value

\$250,000 **FULL value** example

\$13,918,711

\$2,000,000

\$1,109,686

\$557,733

\$118,936

\$433,017

\$0.429

\$107.34

\*Based on most recent tax calculations. Tax impact to begin in the 2026-27 fiscal year.



### **Key Dates**

#### **Public Hearing**

Wednesday November 15, 6:30PM GCS Auditorium

#### **Bond Vote**

Tuesday, December 19, 12:00 PM-9:00 PM

Detailed information is posted at:

https://www.germantowncsd.org/district-office/capital-project/.





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# Feedback & Q&A