

EVANSVILLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)

September 20, 2017

The Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting was held Wednesday, September 20, 2017, at 6:00 pm in the Theodore Robinson Intermediate School LMC.

Matt Wolfert of Bray Architects led the meeting.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

A motion to approve the September 6, 2017, meeting minutes was made, seconded, and approved unanimously.

Committee Members, Architect and Construction Manager Introductions

Members in attendance: Brad Boll, Josh Brumbaugh, Michelle Buehl, Shelley Calhoun, Dawn Cresswell, Cecile David, Dave Dent, Dawn Espinosa, Sherri Haakenson, Tracy Hall, Emily Knott, Rob Kostroun, Lindsay Krull, Mitch Larson, Larry Martin, Justin Mason, Abby McCullough, David Mills, Cory Neeley, John Rasmussen, Jerry Roth, Mark Schwartz, Jason Sergeant, Steve Shulta, Kathi Swanson, Steve Swanson, Kimberly Tedesco, Tom Titus and Doug Zblewski. Absent: Jeff Bahrs, Monica Cain, Tim Fischer, Beryl Gribbon Fago, Bill Hurlley, Amanda Koenecke, and Karyn Matchey.

Others in attendance: from Bray Architects – Matt Wolfert, Ryan Sands, Steve Kuhnen and Tyler Kelly. JP Cullen staff – Kevin Hickman. TRIS School custodian, Greg Wallisch.

Presentation – Spaces that Enhance Teaching & Learning

Mr. Wolfert shared examples and discussed various spaces and features within a school demonstrating how they can be designed to enhance teaching and learning. Examples included: STEM/STEAM environments, secure entries, collaboration spaces, transparency, cafeteria/commons, locker bays, libraries, and outdoor play and learning spaces.

Presentation – Theodore Robinson Intermediate School Facilities Assessment

Mr. Wolfert shared a brief summary of information on the Theodore Robinson building before the tour. This information was previously discussed in greater detail on September 6.

Theodore Robinson Intermediate School Tour

The Committee took a tour of the school.

Small Group Discussion – Intermediate Needs

The Committee reviewed questions that came up on the tours, and then broke into small groups to discuss what they saw and heard on the tour of Theodore Robinson Intermediate. The groups talked internally, and then a representative from each group reported back to the larger committee on two topics, what surprised them the most and what they viewed as the most needed upgrades.

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 8:07 pm.