Facilities Master Planning Community Meeting September 15, 2016 Preble High School

Joe Donovan, Facilitator Nick Kent, Architect

A presentation was given by District administrators and Nick Kent, certified education planner and architect, from Plunkett Raysich Architects (PRA).

Community members were asked to discuss and respond to four questions during the engagement session on notecards. Facilitator Joe Donovan asked participants to share what was discussed at their tables.

- Enrollment numbers, should the District use DPI numbers?
- Can an existing space be converted for flexible learning space?
- Growth is difficult to predict.
- What is the plan for Preble?
- Need more space for students, students' schools, Preble and Red Smith, are too crowded.
- There is a clear need at Baird.
- Preble is too crowded, students eat lunch on the stairs.
- What is the vision for playgrounds? Recess is very important for the kids. Important to look at space, area for the kids to play, look at other countries, to gain more information.
- Immediate needs include Baird and Preble overcrowded. Preble is busting at seams. Looking at other school districts in State, we are 3rd largest. Compare others in United States, we are an urban environment. It shouldn't matter what zip code you live in for the quality.