

Hempfield School District

Enrollment & Attendance Area Realignment

August 14, 2018: Board Meeting



Where We Are ...

- Monitor enrollments regularly and ongoing conversations with townships/municipalities
- Board Policy 206 Assignment Within District
- Attendance areas last adjusted for the 2013-14 SY
- Enrollment concerns:
 - Comparable space available across elementary buildings
 - Imbalance of enrollment across elementary schools
 - Anticipated impact of construction/housing projects across the district



Goals To Be Accomplished

- More even distribution of elementary student numbers across our school buildings
- Establish some capacity for growth in all elementary buildings
- Avoid splitting of neighborhoods and minimize scope of impact to the extent practical
- Strategic placement of special programs to maintain continuity of cohort movement through grade levels (e.g. autistic support classrooms, emotional support classes)
- Effective and open communication of process



Elementary Student Enrollment

| Date | CES | EPES | FES | LIC | LPC | MES | RES |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| August 2, 2018 | 463 | 461 | 551 | 470 | 557 | 607 | 445 |
| Oct 17 May 18 | 487 495 | 475 476 | 537 549 | 477 487 | 546 557 | 578 580 | 458 457 |
| Oct 16 May 17 | 512 510 | 500 500 | 544 540 | 471 461 | 568 569 | 568 568 | 461 471 |
| Oct 15 May 16 | 513 522 | 485 498 | 524 525 | 449 458 | 522 537 | 551 548 | 454 460 |
| Oct 14 May 15 | 496 496 | 471 488 | 548 543 | 431 436 | 539 545 | 560 563 | 440 444 |
| Oct 13 May 14 | 494 508 | 454 475 | 570 562 | 422 421 | 563 562 | 566 574 | 458 446 |



Short-Term Potential Housing Growth

| Current Attendance Area | Number of Units | Type of Housing | Status of Project | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|
| LPC/LIC | 60 | Apartments | Enrolling students | |
| MES | 70 | Single Family | In construction | |
| LPC/LIC | 25/59 | Duplex/Single | In construction | |
| EPES | 41 | Single Family | In construction | |
| FES | 50 | Apartments | Finish 2019 | |
| RES | 12 | Single Family | 2019-20 | |
| FES | 50 | Apartments | 2019-20, tentative | |



Long-Term Potential Housing Growth

| Current Attendance Area | Number of Units | Type of Housing | Status of Project | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|--|
| FES | 100 | Single Family | Zoning/10 yr Build? | |
| MES | 300 | Apartments | Zoning | |
| EPES | 33 | Townhomes | Zoning | |
| LPC/LIC | 300-400 | Apartments | Conceptual | |
| FES | 300 ? | | Area was rezoned | |
| RES | 300 ? | | Need Zoning / Plans | |
| LPC/LIC | 200 ? | | Need Zoning / Plans | |



Potential Enrollment Impact

| | CES | EPES | FES | LPC/LIC | MES | RES |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-------|--------|---------|--------|-------|
| Potential Units (Homes/Apartments) | 0 | 74 | 500 | 644 | 370 | 312 |
| Short-Term | 0 | 41 | 100 | 144 | 70 | 12 |
| Long-Term | 0 | 33 | 400 | 500 | 300 | 300 |
| Potential Students | ? | 16-36 | 60-220 | 30-290 | 28-220 | 6-126 |
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Timeline

- **Spring/Summer 2018:** Initial planning and discussions
- 8/14/2018: Initial School Board presentation
- 9/11/2018: Proposal(s) shared with School Board
- October December 2018: Building level meetings with community stakeholders and ongoing conversation with and updates to the Board
- 1/15/2019: School Board vote on final proposal
- Second Semester 2019: Transition plan communication and work with impacted stakeholders
- 2019-2020: New attendance area boundaries in effect



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