

Minutes 2012 Bond Project Advisory Team (PAT) Meeting Mark White Elementary School

MEETING #: 14

LOCATION: Pilgrim Academy Elementary School

DATE / TIME: October 20, 2014, 3:45pm

ATTENDEES: (those marked with a check were present)					
	Diana Castillo	Principal – Pilgrim Aca.		Dan Bankhead	HISD Fac. Design
✓	Peter Heinze	Principal - Briarmeadow		Sue Robertson	HISD Fac. Planning
	Alexander Rodriguez	Principal – Emerson ES		Gloria Barrera	HISD Fac. Design
	Bobby Swaby	Principal – Piney Point ES		Clay Clayton	HISD Fac. Planning
	Carrie Flores	Asst. Principal - Pilgrim Aca.	√	Steve Hoyt	HISD Fac. Des./Const
	Jeanine Jordan	Asst. Principal – Briar Grove	~	LaJuan Harris	HISD Fac. Planning
	James Metoyer	HISD-Director-School Off.	√	Bob Meyers	HISD Fac. Design
	Meredith Davis	Teacher - Briarmeadow		Kedrick Wright	HISD Fac. Design
	Jamie Dybala	Teacher - Briarmeadow	~	Brian Alling	HISD PM
√	Marcie Sandell	Teacher – Piney Point ES	~	Kathleen English	English & Assoc.
√	Becky Luman	Parent – Briar Grove ES	~	Richard Rodriguez	English & Assoc.
	Martha Mireles	Parent – Pilgrim Academy			

PURPOSE: The purpose of the meeting is to discuss and review the project design progress.

AGENDA:

- Review floor plan updates
- Review interior materials and color scheme options and vote for preference
- What to expect at the next PAT Meeting

DISCUSSION:

- 1. Brian Alling, Project Manager for HISD Bond Program office, welcomed attendees and thanked them for their time and efforts assisting with the project.
- 2. Richard Rodriguez and Kathleen English of English & Associates Architects (EAA) presented updated floor plan drawings for the Project Advisory Team (PAT).
 - a. The Learning Commons (Library) area was reviewed with attendees noting several requested design elements had been addressed.
 - i. The operable/sliding glass corridor wall was added to allow for security and a quieter space, but also allow for maximum flexibility and access for other function/uses of the space.
 - ii. The bookshelves for this space will be purchased furniture/equipment and not built into place to allow for flexibility in arranging/re-arranging the space.



- iii. There are now two data/power jack locations in the room with jacks/outlets in floor-boxes. This allows for the space to have maximum flexibility for various uses and set-up of desks and/or presentation stations.
- iv. The Literacy Lab has been provided with movable book shelves along the walls and furniture, desks and layout tables in the middle of the room for teachers to stage and work.
- b. The adult/staff single-stall restroom has been moved as requested and is now located to now have door into restroom opening inside the bus loading/unloading vestibule. This orientation with restroom access in the vestibule allows for the Community Room to be secured from rest of the campus and still usable by non-campus community groups during non-school hours if needed.
- c. PAT members reviewed the various 'Small Group Meeting Rooms' located in the instructional areas of the building. These rooms will have ceilings and are located in the middle of the 'center commons' area in each wing/pod.
- 3. The EAA team presented two color scheme options for interior materials and finishes. They presented a 'warm' and more natural earth-tone color scheme and a 'cool' scheme with more blues and green tones.
 - a. The PAT members noted a preference for the warm tone colors presented reflecting the 'outdoors' and 'nature' theme of the campus design.
 - b. Interior architectural renderings of potentially what some of the building interior spaces may look like were shown to PAT attendees. Renderings include the central commons area and the main corridor with color-tinted glass windows. General feedback was positive for the images.

QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:

1. None

ACTION ITEMS:

1. None

WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE NEXT PAT MEETING:

1. Update of project status will be presented.

NEXT PAT MEETING: Monday, November 17, 2014; at 3:45 pm, at Briarmeadow Charter School.

Please review the meeting minutes and submit any changes or corrections to the author. After five (5) days, the minutes will be assumed to be accurate.

Sincerely,

Brian S. Alling

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