

SAFETY AND SECURITY

There is nothing more important than the safety and security of our students and staff. As such, a significant portion of the November 5 bond issue will include important and needed enhancements to address several current challenges, including:

- Camera and buzzer system updates
- Secure entry at Jordan High School
- Surveillance enhancements throughout the district
- Updates to the elementary kitchen to improve safety and efficiency
- Addition of a loading dock at the elementary school to improve delivery process
- Needed roof leak repairs
- Increased capacity at the JHS auditorium to relieve fire marshal capacity issues



Lack of sight lines from JHS office to front entrance.



Proximity of students and hot wells in serving counter too close when receiving meals.



Those arriving to Early Learning Services must often navigate around delivery trucks and a crowded lot.

Being a traveling teacher last year, I saw the access to a loading dock at the elementary school as a security and safety issue as families brought young children to speech services through that access point after the school day started, and the big trucks were often blocking the entrances... the River Ridge Development, the access to the schools, specifically JES, is a huge hazard. Cars are backed up, students are walking and biking, and I am uncomfortable with the safety of all.

—Rose Johnson, Teacher

TRAFFIC CONGESTION AND CONCERNS

Recent traffic studies have shown that cars traveling down Sunset Drive are on average going above the posted speed limits. Additionally, the lack of adequate parking creates a situation on the street that obscures a driver's line of sight as pedestrians and students enter the crosswalks, and just last year, concrete barricades (*shown right*) had to be added to protect students following an accident that involved a driver accelerating off the surface lot where there are no curbs.



This bond would allow modifications to parking lots and drives to slow drivers, ease congestion, and increase student safety.

ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2019

JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOL'S RESIDENTS WILL VOTE ON THREE QUESTIONS:

PHASE ONE

The work of our Long Range Planning Committee, in conjunction with the City and School Partnership Committee has led to a recommendation to the school board that next fall is the right time to ask voters to consider passing phase one of the long range plan. On Tuesday, November 5, 2019, Jordan Public School's district residents will vote on three questions:

QUESTION 1

An operating levy of \$300 per pupil unit

An operating levy helps support student programs and services. Currently, we DO NOT have a voter approved operating levy in place. These additional operating dollars are needed to:

- continue to maintain low elementary class sizes
- improve STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics) programming
- attract and retain high quality teachers and staff
- provide operating dollars for our campus to include our current facilities and the new proposed facilities found in Question 2 and 3

Question 1 must pass for the others to pass

QUESTION 2

A bond referendum of \$24.5 million

ELEMENTARY RENOVATIONS

- significant renovation and gymnasium addition to our current elementary school

NEW EARLY LEARNING SERVICES BUILDING

- new early learning services building on the new property, complete with new classrooms for preschool and kids company students

HIGH SCHOOL REMODEL AND SECURE ENTRANCE

- remodel of our high school to build a new secure entry area and STEAM lab to serve the needs of our kids and prepare them for 21st Century jobs

IMPROVED PARKING AND DRIVES

- improve the function and safety of parking, driveways, walkways, drop-off/pick-up loops at our elementary school, high school, ball field area, and CERC

Question 1 must pass for Question 2 to pass

QUESTION 3

A bond referendum of \$15 million

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM EXPANSION

- adding approximately 200 seats to our current JHS auditorium, along with new technology and features to ensure and continue to be a performing arts space that meets the needs of the community

MULTIPURPOSE FACILITY ON SOUTH CAMPUS

- a large indoor facility with field turf, golf simulator bays, archery simulator bays, and other amenities aimed at serving the entire community as an extension to the CERC as well as the athletes, teams, and organizations in our schools and community

Question 1 and 2 must pass for Question 3 to pass