

Arapahoe-Holbrook Public Schools
Superintendent Report to Board of Education
Dec 9, 2024

Building & Grounds

1. PK Drainage Project - We have received a bid for the PK drainage issue fix from Adams Construction to pour a pad next to the building and connect underground drainage pipes to our downspouts after some grading work. The full cost will be \$11,500 and will take about a week. I anticipate some additional minor costs for disconnection/moving/reconnecting the HVAC units in the area. I've given the OK to Jordan Spaulding at Adams Co. to put us on their project list for early summer 2025. There will
2. Scoreboard/Video Boards - I am scheduled to meet with the Athletic Booster Club officers in January to discuss their desire to start a capital campaign for video boards in our fasciitis. Since the Bldg/Grounds committee investigated the possibility 2 years ago, there are a number of new vendors in the market, and it appears that prices may have come down. After the Booster Club meeting, I will pull the Bldg/Grounds committee together to talk about options and timing.

Other

1. Board Officers for Calendar 2025 - We will again be choosing officers for the board of education at the January meeting. This will also include positions on various committees, which are at the discretion of the board president.
2. Negotiations/Insurance - Not many schools have finalized negotiations yet, but that will likely jump after December Board meetings. I will leave Executive Session - Collective Bargaining on our agenda for each monthly meeting until the process is completed. The statutory deadline for agreements to be reached is February 8.
3. Unicameral - 109th Legislature 1st Session - The next session of the Legislature is set to open on January 8, 2025. The deadline for introduction of new bills is January 23 (Day 10). This is a 90 day session that is not scheduled to end until June 18 with many questions about the impact on schools for the upcoming school year. We will be watching closely. Expect to receive some regular emails regarding bills on school finance as they come into play.
4. Board Professional Development/Training
 - a. NASB - Leg. Issues Conf @ Lincoln Jan 26-27, 2025
 - b. NRCSA Spring Conference @ Kearney March 20-21, 2025