Arapahoe-Holbrook Public Schools Superintendent Report to Board of Education Nov. 14, 2022

Building & Grounds

- 1. <u>HVAC Project</u> There has been good progress on the HVAC project. We are on schedule with all of the installation elements, but are still waiting to hear back from NPPD on the 3-phase installation on the east side of the building. Ron Paul has been on site a few times and is working on a back-up to that piece of the project if needed (bring 3-phase from west side of building). An update Rasmussed will be included with your materials.
- 2. <u>Garbage/Recycling</u> We still have not received word from Schaben's on a roll off to empty out the bus barn. The other facilities piece connected to them is the movement of our containers to a place more accessible and off the city street routes (which will make it less visible as well). When we get one of their reps on site, I'll have a better idea on our options.
- 3. <u>Clearing of Bus Barn</u> We've cleared out enough items from the bus barn that we will be able to put more vehicles in there over the winter months. Julie Eidson has the thumbs up to try a few different arrangements for putting our regularly used small vehicles under cover. Not every bay is completely empty, but we did find a taker for the PV mats, so we have at least 3 bays available in the building.
- 4. <u>Playground Equipment</u> The plan for funding the majority of our playground expansion through the Gala is up and running. Mr. Ellis and I met with a rep for the company we'll use, and it should be simple to tailor our project to the funding that is available. Right now, we're thinking under \$50,000 total, but with individual pieces of equipment, it can be adjusted up or down as needed.

Technology

- 1. <u>Mimio Boards -</u> We are planning to start replacing the older SmartBoards with touch screen Mimio units (basically look like a large TV) that provide better pictures and options for use. The cost of a 75" unit is similar to the replacement cost of a SmartBoard.
- 2. <u>Website</u> We are set to hear a presentation from Apptegy in December on the options for switching to their platform for our website. Their product provides a much more user-friendly environment than our current vendor, along with additional features that should help us become more efficient in our communication with patrons.

Other

- 1. <u>SRP Training -</u> We have a Lockdown Drill on the schedule for AHPS on Wed., Nov. 16 in the PM. The Sheriff's office of Furnas County has been invited to be present and assist with the drill to help us evaluate our protocols.
- 2. <u>Emergency Backpacks/Donation</u> We have ordered the First Aid Kits for our Orange Emergency Backpacks. They'll be included in the packs, along with current rosters and a flashlight as the beginnings of our emergency supplies, then we'll place a pack in each student/staff area of the building.
- 3. <u>Curriculum Review Cycle</u> I will have a curriculum review cycle and committee members available for your inspection at the Oct 10 meeting. NDE is in the process of refiguring some of the standards development process, so we will not finalize our pattern yet.

4. NASB Meetings

- a. Nov 16-18 (Wed-Fri) NASB State Education Conference @ CHI Omaha
 i. Attending: Drews / Carpenter / Lee / Whipple / N.Schutz / Zodrow
- 5. 5. New Member Installation/Officer Selectin Jan 9, 2023 Bd Meeting