

# COLUMBUS CITY SCHOOLS 2018 FACILITIES TASK FORCE

## FINAL RECOMMENDATION

RECOMMENDATION 2

BOUNDARY CHANGE MAIZE ELEMENTARY • NORTH LINDEN ELEMENTARY

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### THE ROLE OF THE FACILITIES TASK FORCE

**COMMUNITY-LED TASK FORCE** SUPPORTED BY DISTRICT STAFF WHO RECOMMENDED PROCESS FOR SCREENING BASED ON NATIONAL BEST-PRACTICE, LOCAL HISTORICAL WORK, AND SUBJECT-MATTER EXPERTISE.

**REVIEW DATA AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS** ON SCHOOLS AND ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDINGS FOR CLOSING OR CHANGING ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES AND/OR GRADE CONFIGURATIONS.

PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS THAT HAVE A STATEMENT OF RATIONALE.

RECOMMENDATIONS WILL BE BASED ON OVERALL BALANCE AND **OBJECTIVITY OF FACTORS LISTED IN BOARD POLICY 7105**.

ISSUE DRAFT REPORT TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BY THE END OF AUGUST. **FINAL REPORT BY OCTOBER**.



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The Facilities Task Force recommends the adjustment of attendance boundaries for Maize Elementary and North Linden Elementary to better distribute student enrollment and improve services to students.

#### **RATIONALE:**

- Maize Elementary is under capacity/under-enrolled, while North Linden is over capacity/over-enrolled. This boundary
  adjustment addresses utilization concerns at Maize Elementary and some of the enrollment limitations currently in place
  at North Linden Elementary.
- This adjustment may require a new English-as-a-Second-Language Unit to be established at Maize Elementary, spreading out the demands on ESL services between the two schools (North Linden currently has a busy ESL unit) and improving service to all students.









MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMMUNITY-LED FACILITIES TASK FORCE AND THE FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE DISTRICT WEBSITE:

#### www.ccsoh.us

#### REMINDER: BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS ARE NOVEMBER 7 AND NOVEMBER 20



