

SELECTION OF PROJECT DESIGNER

The New Hanover County Board of Education will employ a registered architect and/or engineer to design each proposed building, building addition, or extensive renovation in accordance with Chapter 143 of the North Carolina General Statutes.

The selection of architects and engineers will be based on demonstrated competence and qualifications for the type of professional services required. The following criteria will be used:

- Specialized or appropriate expertise in the type of project;
- Past performance on similar projects;
- Adequate staff and proposed design team of the prime designer for the project;
- Current workload;
- Proposed design approach to the project;
- Recent experience with project costs and schedules;
- Construction administration capabilities;
- Proximity to and familiarity with the area where the project is located;
- Record of successfully completed projects without major legal or technical problems; and
- Other factors or special needs that may be appropriate to the project.

The final selection of an architect or engineer will be made by the Board on the basis of the above criteria and in accordance with Designer Selection Procedures adopted by New Hanover County Schools.

The selection of surveying services for design of each proposed building, building addition, or extensive renovation will follow the same Board policy and selection procedures

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