

Andover Board of Education Notes
January 10, 2022

Bond update: The bond team reported that work on the new District Office is on schedule, with a mid-summer completion and move-in date expected.

Instructional materials adoption process: Jill Lachenmayr, assistant superintendent for academic affairs, discussed the district's process for selecting and implementing instructional materials. She walked through the process for high school English language arts curriculum selection. This includes:

- The high school ELA professional learning committee reviewing standards and identifying key components to instructional materials (September 2021).
- Creating a review process (October 2021).
- Exploring and evaluating potential materials (October 2021).
- Piloting materials (January and February 2022).
- Selecting the final resource (March 2022).
- Recommending the resource to the Board of Education (April 2022).
- Holding professional learning for the new materials (April and May 2022).
- Creating curriculum guides to help teachers use the materials (summer 2022).

Sunflower Elementary gym project: The Board voted to approve a guaranteed maximum price of \$196,927 from Hutton for supplemental gymnasium work at Sunflower Elementary School. The work includes removal of leaky windows, flashing of window jambs and heads to prevent future leaking, installing new windows, repainting walls and exposed steel, repairing two areas of concrete floor slab separation, removal of existing full pour urethane, installation of new Pulastic urethane flooring system, and restriping all game lines. The work will be funded through bond proceeds.

District Office furniture: The Board approved a \$300,000 not-to-exceed budget for furniture for the new District Office. State contract pricing will be used, and actual amounts, vendors and source pricing will be approved by the Board at a later meeting.

Superintendent's report: Superintendent Brett White reminded the Board that January is School Board Appreciation Month and thanked Board members for their service. He also announced that the District Leadership Team and Hutton will be presenting to the Kansas Association of School Board's Business Operations Leadership Development group in February about the district's bond projects and keys for successful school construction projects.