

The CIS Committee met for the second time on Tuesday night (5/23). There were twenty-four (24) people in attendance. The committee reviewed the updated assessment report and financial projections (I previously shared this with you through email. You can find the report by clicking [here](#) and viewing the Wadsworth Assessment Report and the Final Cost Estimate; both are found at the bottom of the page linked above).

At the meeting, the committee decided the following:

- *A new structure should be built instead of investing over \$21,000,000 in renovations, as the final cost estimate calls for; and*
- *The new structure should be a building that houses grades 5-6.*

The committee explored different options (e.g. adding onto an existing elementary school and separating grades 5-6). Ultimately, they decided the 5-6 model is too important to our students to move away from it.

The committee feels strongly that there needs to be an identified course of action for what will happen with the current structure as part of their recommendation to the board of education. Andy told the committee that he would begin to explore some options and have conversation with the board of education before he schedules another committee meeting."

I have attached the document Joe Magnacca created that we reviewed at the May 23 meeting. As I shared at the meeting, Joe created this document at my request in 2015 as a starting point detailing different options available to us. While I asked Joe for his recommendation, and he included it in the document, no decisions were made based upon the document. Rather, I shared it with our board of education at the time and they ultimately decided to create our committee as part of our strategic plan.