2021 BOND PROPOSAL
The Next Step Forward

LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ZERO TAX RATE INCREASE

PLAN
ADDRESSING CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE

PROTECT
ENHANCING TECHNOLOGY AND SAFETY

PROVIDE
FUTURE-FORWARD LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Election Day May 4th
Why is the District proposing this bond?

As the 9th largest school district in Michigan, Livonia Public Schools (LPS) is driven to excel in every area by providing our students with the tools and opportunities necessary to be passionate and purposeful learners.

To support our mission, we are proposing a $186 million bond program at a ZERO TAX RATE INCREASE. If approved by the voters, Livonia Public Schools would not have to increase its debt millage rate.

This bond program would address critical infrastructure needs, protect and enhance our investment across nearly 3 million square feet of facilities, and provide innovative, future-forward offerings for our students and LPS community.

Areas of focus

**Infrastructure Improvements**
Upgrade our learning environments and facilities for continued student success

**Technology and Safety**
Upgrade technology devices and equipment to align with the District’s vision for safe 21st century learning

**New Educational Opportunities**
Expand existing programs and create new programs to better serve our students and the LPS community

**Athletics, Playgrounds, and Site Improvements**
Facility and site improvements that promote district-wide health, safety, and wellness

To learn more, visit [www.livoniapublicschools.org/2021bond](http://www.livoniapublicschools.org/2021bond)
## 2021 Bond Proposal at a Glance

### PLAN
**Addressing Critical Infrastructure**
59%

- Modernize school library media centers for 21st century learning
- Update school kitchens and serving areas (all 50-60 years of age)
- Enhance air quality with HVAC upgrades, including air conditioning in all classrooms, labs, and offices
- Renovate school restrooms
- Upgrade facility infrastructure (electrical, plumbing, doors, hardware, etc.)

### PROTECT
**Enhancing Technology and Safety**
29%

- Replace classroom technology (computers, mobile learning devices, presentation technology, etc.)
- Further enhance school security (additional cameras, card access readers, etc.)
- Update athletic areas (high school field houses, pools, stadium annex buildings, and middle school gymnasium floors)
- Upgrade furniture and instructional equipment
- Replace aging school buses and maintenance equipment
- Continue the replacement of aging playground equipment

### PROVIDE
**Future-Forward Learning Opportunities**
12%

- Create dedicated space for robotics program
- Expand opportunities for Project Lead the Way (gold standard in STEM education)
- Open state-of-the-art, comprehensive Early Childhood Center
- Expand space for career technical education workforce development at the Livonia Career Technical Center

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**ELECTION DAY on May 4**
Important Voting Information

ELECTION DAY
May 4, 2021

ABSENTEE VOTING
March 20 - Absentee ballots become available to voters
April 19 - Last day to register to vote by mail
To request an absentee ballot, visit michigan.gov/vote

IN-PERSON VOTING
Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
To find your voting location, visit michigan.gov/vote

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