

2019 BOND: Original Commitments

Improved safety, security and other facilities needs

Original Bond Flyer Language: "In the 2019 Bond, the Ephrata School District divided the long-term needs of the district in two phases. Phase I consists of the items below. Phase II will be reviewed in 2028-2029 when Parkway becomes eligible for state matching funds."



The Commitment: Increased Safety & Security District-Wide

- · Improve and add lighting
- · Upgrade video systems, add keyless entry & auto locking doors
- Install fencing to create a safety barrier for students & staff



The Commitment: New Classrooms

Construct eight permanent classrooms to replace portables at Columbia Ridge Elementary.
Also addresses long-range planning.



The Commitment: Three New Multi-purpose Gymnasiums

- Multi-purpose gyms will be large enough to address current and future enrollment as well as co-curricular needs.
- Build multi-purpose gyms at Columbia Ridge and Grant to accommodate PE, music, band and community events.
- Build multi-purpose gym at EMS to accommodate a weight room, PE locker rooms, a standard basketball court, bleachers & music.



The Commitment: Enlarging Cafeterias

- Remove music stages from Columbia Ridge and Grant cafeterias.
- Enlarge and reconfigure cafeterias after relocating the music programs to the new gyms.



The Commitment: Office Remodels

 Remodel office spaces at Columbia Ridge and Grant to allow staff to have a direct line of sight to the front door & the ability to control entry into the buildings.



The Commitment: Performing Arts Center (PAC) and PAC Gym

- Renovate existing PAC: Increase ceiling height, replace stage & rigging, upgrade to theater seating, add new entryway doors, upgrade sound and lighting along with control panels.
- Remodel PAC gym area used for band & choir performance: Upgrade sound and lighting, new control panels, new seating and acoustical treatments, while maintaining the ability to house all current PE and athletic events.



The Commitment: Roofs

• Replace roofs with a 15-year roofing product to protect our schools' assets.