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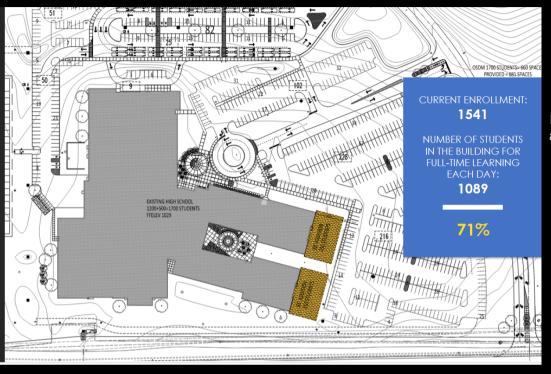
COMMUNITY COMPASS The District's Future Direction

FACILITY MASTER PLANNING

PROPOSED SOLUTION

Watkins Memorial High School Addition

1700 Students



DID YOU KNOW?

The current high school was built for a future expansion to accomodate growth. Currently the high school has 1,089 students who attend full-time learning of the 1,541 enrolled. Students not attending full time often take college courses, attend C-TEC, or are employed as they already have the credits needed to fulfill all graduation requirements. An addition to this building as shown above, would include additional classroom space and more parking.

RENOVATED KIRKERSVILLE









THE RENOVATION OF KIRKERSVILLE IS PROGRESSING SMOOTHLY AND ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE. DURING THE REMOVAL OF THE GYM CEILING, REMNANTS OF BURNT TIMBERS DATING BACK TO A FIRE THAT OCCURRED A CENTURY AGO WERE UNCOVERED, ADDING A LAYER OF HISTORY TO THE RENOVATION. ADDITIONALLY, THE EXCAVATION OF THE PLAYGROUND REVEALED 75 BURIED TIRES. A TOTAL OF OVER 33,000 MAN-HOURS HAVE BEEN DEDICATED TO THE RENOVATION, ENSURING THAT THE BUILDING WILL OFFER MODERN FACILITIES FOR OUR STUDENTS AND STAFF. MOREOVER, THE INSTALLATION OF A NEW PARKING LOT WILL ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON ROUTE 158, PROVIDING SMOOTHER ACCESS TO THE PREMISES.