Facilities and Technology Capital Levy

Proposed Measure for November 5, 2025 Election



Recent Capital Funding History

February 2001 - \$61M Bond collected over 20 years passed at 63.2%

February 2018 - \$40M Capital Levy collected over 4 years passed at 61%

February 2022 - \$36M Capital Levy collected over 4 years passed at 56%

February 2024 - \$242M Bond Proposal Failed at 38%

Levy collected over 6 years

- Proposed November 2024 \$31.9M Capital



Why Run a Levy Now?

Aging facilities and systems require improvements, upgrades, replacements

Current Capital Levy funding will drop drastically in 2025

> Capital improvements are not funded by the state. School districts must rely on local voter approved funding to maintain and improve buildings and technology.



Backlog of projects and needs that exceed current funding

Inflation Continues - costs will continue to rise over time



How did we decide what to include in the proposed capital levy?

Convened New Facilities Advisory Committee

- Committee application and selection process in March of this year
- Larger, more diverse group of stakeholders
- 27 members
- Every school has representation

Site Assessments at all facilities by Bassetti Architects

- Full review and inspection of all physical buildings this Spring
- Facilities experts and engineers conducted site visits and recommendations
- Survey of staff
- Meetings with administrators, staff, parents and community to understand needs





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Facilities Advisory Committee Work

- 8 Meetings from April through July
- 4 school tours (Hilder Pearson, Suguamish, Wolfle, KMS)
- All meeting minutes and presentations posted online and shared in District Newsletters - visit nkschools.org/fac
- In-depth analysis of site conditions for all facilities
- Hosted 3 community meetings to answer questions and gather feedback
- Reviewed comprehensive list of needs
- Identified priorities based on: Safety and Security, Program Equity and Accessibility, and Critical Building System/Mechanical Improvement needs • Consideration for urgency of need and feedback from staff and families
- School Board updated at each Board Meeting



Facilities Advisory Committee

Moving forward together.



Proposed Facilities and Technology Levy Project Overview

Safety and **Security**

Secure entry vestibules

Vehicle circulation

Drop-off/pick-up improvements

Perimeter fencing improvements

Lighting and cameras

Equitable Facilities and Programming

Gymnasium addition

Classroom additions and renovations to support students with disabilities

Accessible paths

Athletics Improvements

Student gathering/play area improvements

Building System/Mechanical Improvements

HVAC improvements Mechanical system improvements Exterior painting and sealing Asphalt/parking lot repairs

Exterior rekey of all buildings

Technology

Chromebook/device replacements

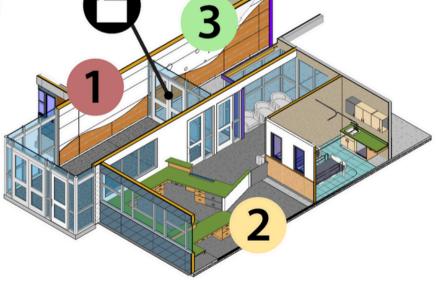
Educational software renewals

Infrastructure improvements

David Wolfle Elementary Levy amount allocated: \$1,904,000

- Secure entry vestibule provides controlled access to the school so that all visitors are directed into the front office and greeted by a staff member.
- Vehicle and school bus circulation and drop-off/pick-up improvements
- Site accessibility improvements sidewalks, pathways
- Site safety and security improvements including perimeter fencing and stormwater improvements
- Exterior facility improvements (exterior painting and sealing as needed)







Hilder Pearson Elementary Levy amount allocated: \$6,145,500

- Gymnasium addition Provides a separate, dedicated PE space for improved educational program scheduling. Will be planned and designed to allow for possible future school replacement on site.
- Vehicle and school bus circulation and drop-off/pick-up improvements
- Mechanical improvements to extend the useful life of the school building and ensure student and staff health and safety.

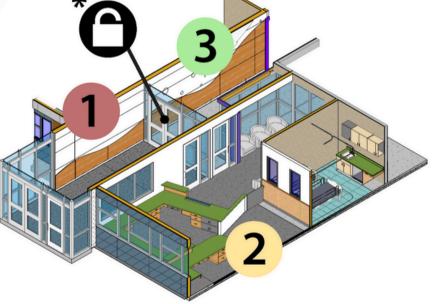




Richard Gordon Elementary Levy amount allocated: \$1,295,000

- Secure entry vestibule provides controlled access to the school so that all visitors are directed into the front office and greeted by a staff member
- Site accessibility improvements sidewalks, pathways
- New playground







Poulsbo Elementary

Levy amount allocated: \$606,000

- Secure entry vestibule provides controlled access to the school so that all visitors are directed into the front office and greeted by a staff member.
- Site safety and security improvements includes perimeter fencing improvements

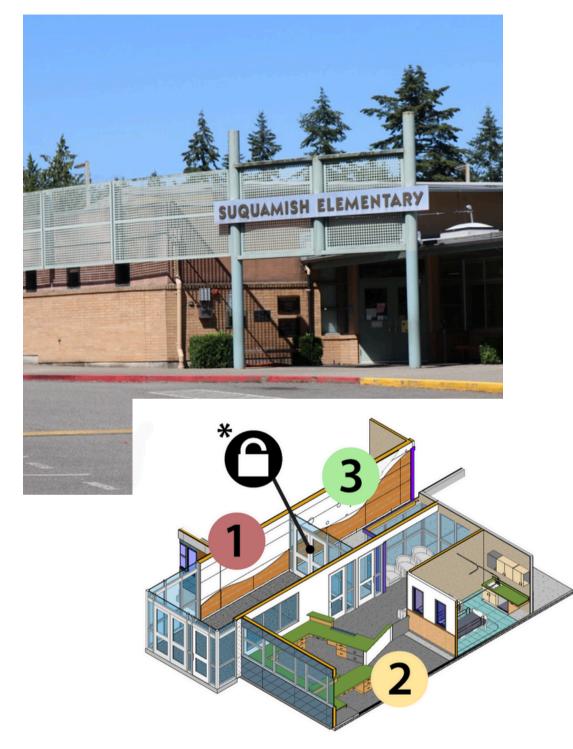




Suquamish Elementary

Levy amount allocated: \$5,001,000

- Secure entry vestibule provides controlled access to the school so that all visitors are directed into the front office and greeted by a staff member.
- Classroom and student resource addition to support students with disabilities and occupational therapy, and renovations to bring all classrooms into the building
- Vehicle circulation and drop-off/pick-up improvements includes increasing the parent vehicle queue.
- Site accessibility improvements includes accessible paths
- Site safety and security improvements includes perimeter fencing improvements
- Exterior facility improvements (exterior painting and sealing as needed)
- Mechanical improvements to extend the useful life of the school building and ensure student and staff health and safety

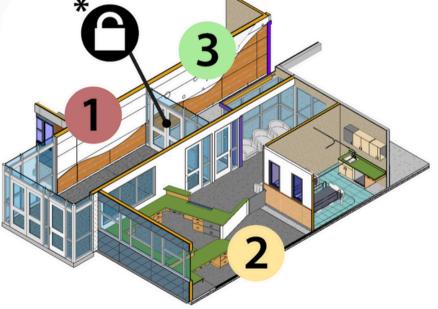




Vinland Elementary Levy amount allocated: \$2,756,500

- Secure entry vestibule provides controlled access to the school so that all visitors are directed into the front office and greeted by a staff member.
- Vehicle circulation and drop-off/pick-up improvements
- Site accessibility improvements includes ADA-accessible paths
- Site safety and security improvements includes improved perimeter fencing







Kingston Middle School Levy amount allocated: \$2,843,500

- Replace the cinder track with a rubberized track.
- Vehicle circulation and drop-off/pick-up improvements
- Student-centered site improvements include an improved and accessible student plaza/courtyard off of the commons
- Site safety and security improvements include improved perimeter fencing and cameras
- Exterior facility improvements (exterior painting and sealing as needed)





Poulsbo Middle School

Levy amount allocated: \$1,507,500

- Replace the cinder track with a rubberized track.
- Site safety and security improvements include improved perimeter fencing.
- Site surfacing improvements asphalt repairs and sealing





Kingston High School

Levy amount allocated: \$1,102,500

- Improved stadium fencing and zoning
- Potable water at the baseball and fastpitch fields
- Vehicle circulation improvements removing the utility building and providing additional parking
- Site safety and security improvements
- Bridge covering/roof/structural assessment





North Kitsap High School Levy amount allocated: \$1,778,500

- Site accessibility improvements
- Student-centered site improvements include improving the courtyard, landscaping, paths, and sidewalks near the commons.
- Exterior facility improvements (includes roofing improvements for the 100 building)
- Mechanical improvements to extend the useful life of the school building and ensure student and staff health and safety





\$31.9 Million 6-years

Election in **November 2024** for **collection in 2025 - 2030**

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate Per \$1,000 AV	Levy Amount
2025	\$0.74	\$10,000,000
2026	\$0.82	\$11,500,000
2027	\$0.17	\$2,500,000
2028	\$0.17	\$2,575,000
2029	\$0.17	\$2,652,250
2030	\$0.18	\$2,732,000

Collection Year	EP&O Rate/\$1,000 AV	2022 Capital Levy Rate/\$1,000 AV	Proposed 2024 Capital Levy Rate/\$1,000 AV	Total Local Rate/\$1,000 AV
Current Collection	\$1.26	\$1.08	N/A	\$2.34
2025	\$1.25	\$.34	\$0.74	\$2.33
2026	\$1.25	\$.27	\$0.82	\$2.34
2027	\$1.25	-	\$0.17	\$1.42
2028	\$1.25	-	\$0.17	\$1.42
2029	\$1.25	-	\$0.17	\$1.42
2030	\$1.25	-	\$0.17	\$1.42



If approved, the average assessed value per \$1000 would stay stable for 2025 and 2026.



Maintains capacity to run a capital levy or bond in the future as further long-range planning is finalized.

Timeline





Ballots due to voters



August 6

Resolution Filing Deadline



November 5

Election Day



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Tax information



List of projects by school



Facilities Advisory Committee process and data



Frequently Asked Questions





Questions?

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