

**MANCHESTER-SHORTSVILLE  
CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**FORWARD TOGETHER,  
PRIDE FOR TOMORROW**

**Capital Project Newsletter**



**#RedJacketPRIDE**

**YOUR VOTE MATTERS!  
JANUARY 15TH, 2025  
8AM-8PM  
RJ AUDITORIUM FOYER**

**EXCELLENCE**  
Challenge and learning are  
the goals and the rewards

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**OUR MISSION**  
We will challenge all learners  
and work in partnership with  
students, parents and community  
to achieve high standards.

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# Message from the Superintendent



As we celebrate the benefits of our recent Capital Projects, we are thrilled to introduce the next step in our journey to provide outstanding resources for students and the greater Manchester-Shortsville community. The Forward Together, Pride for Tomorrow capital improvement project reflects a commitment to high-quality, equitable education and a promise to enhance our facilities without increasing taxes.

Through the dedicated work of our Capital Project Committee and input from stakeholders, we have developed a \$19,950,000 proposal, which the Board of Education has proudly approved. Of that current proposal, \$4,340,000 will come from a District reserve fund, with state aid covering 89% of approved costs. This project will address key areas of need across our campus while building on our shared vision for the future.

This project represents more than just updates to our campus—it's an investment in our students, staff, and community. Improved facilities, elevate educational spaces and demonstrate a unified commitment to ensuring Red Jacket is a place where students thrive.

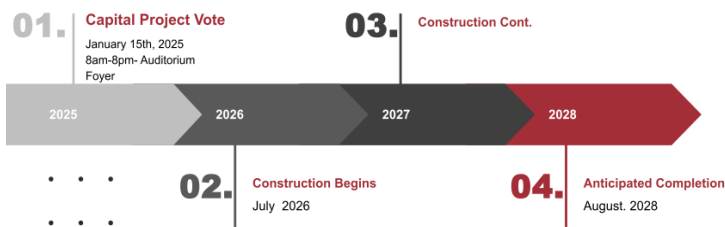
We encourage all community members to explore this exciting opportunity by visiting our website, engaging on social media, attending Board of Education meetings, attending the December town hall meeting on 12/17 and reviewing the District Newsletter.

Thank you for your continued support in making Red Jacket a district we can all be proud of.

With Red Jacket PRIDE,

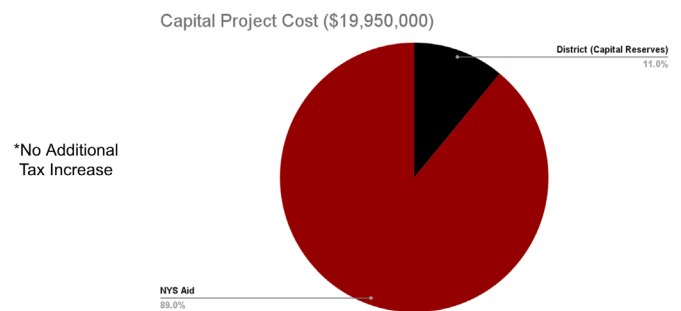
Christopher Barnard  
Superintendent of Schools

## Capital Project Timeline



The timeline for our capital project is set to unfold over the next few years, beginning with a crucial vote on **January 15th, 2025, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.** in the **Red Jacket Auditorium foyer**. If the project is approved, construction will begin in July 2026, with an anticipated completion date in August 2028. This timeline ensures a thoughtful, strategic approach to development, balancing community input and careful planning at every stage.

## Capital Project Cost



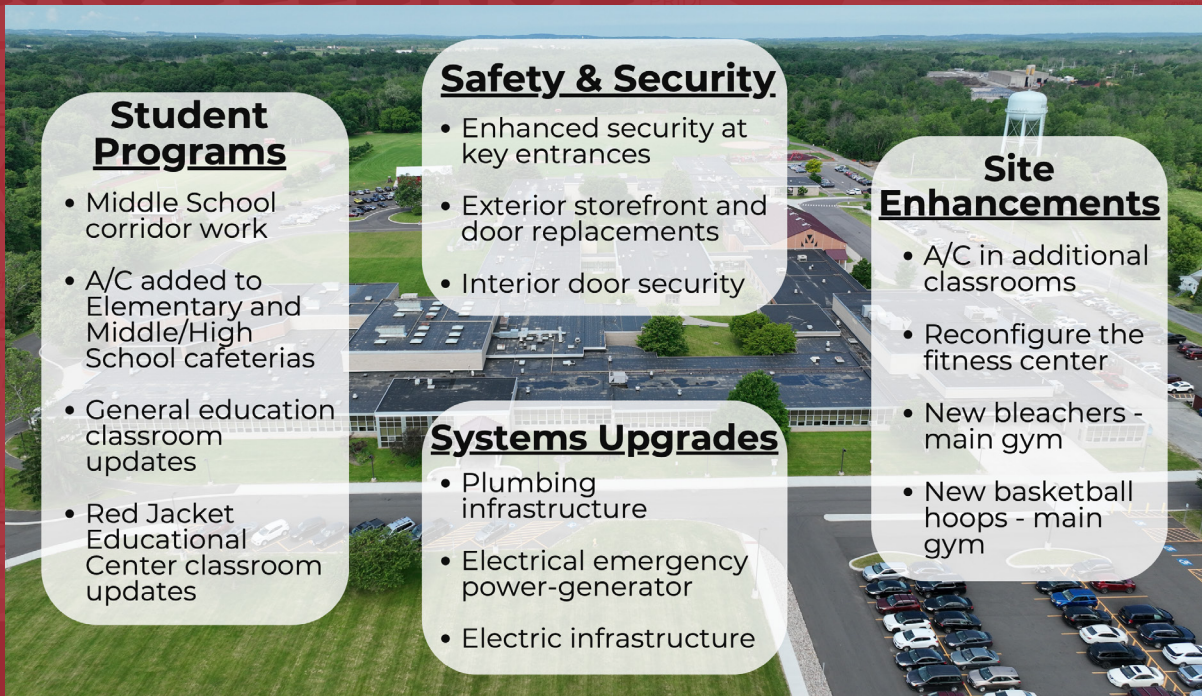
The total cost of the capital project is estimated at \$19,950,000, with **NO ADDITIONAL TAX INCREASE** to residents. 89% of the project will be funded through New York State Aid, while the remaining portion will be covered by the district's capital reserves. This funding plan ensures that the project can move forward without placing an additional financial burden on taxpayers.

# Forward Together, Pride for Tomorrow



## 2025 Capital Improvement Project

### Project Highlights



#### **Student Programs**

- Middle School corridor work
- A/C added to Elementary and Middle/High School cafeterias
- General education classroom updates
- Red Jacket Educational Center classroom updates

#### **Safety & Security**

- Enhanced security at key entrances
- Exterior storefront and door replacements
- Interior door security

#### **Systems Upgrades**

- Plumbing infrastructure
- Electrical emergency power-generator
- Electric infrastructure

#### **Site Enhancements**

- A/C in additional classrooms
- Reconfigure the fitness center
- New bleachers - main gym
- New basketball hoops - main gym



**Water Pump System**



**Security Updates**



**Corridor Repair**



**Classroom Upgrades**



**Generator Replacement**



**New A/C Units**



**Fitness Center Reconfiguration**



**Broken Door Repairs**

# Forward Together, Pride for Tomorrow



## 2025 Capital Improvement Project

**\*NO ADDITIONAL TAX INCREASE**

**VOTE: WED. JAN. 15TH 8AM-8PM**

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## Manchester-Shorstville CSD

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