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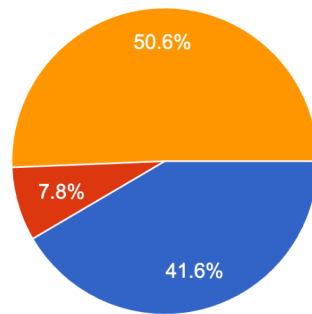
Burbank Early Childhood School

Which option do you prefer for Burbank Early Childhood School?

- ☐ **Repair** — address the physical needs of the building (\$16,530,000; tentative construction timeline: summer work)
- ☐ **Renovate** — address the physical and educational adequacy needs (\$36,790,000; tentative construction timeline: 1 academic year + summers)
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77 responses



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Are there any options that should be eliminated?

- No
- Renovate
- Repair
- Rebuild
- renovate and rebuild
- I believe a rebuild is the best solution so I would delete all else :)
- Based on the number of UA kids that can and will attend Burbank, I don't see Rebuild or renovate as a community priority vs. a middle school.
- Renovate. It's more expensive and less effective.

- Repair only
- Repair and renovate.
- Renovate and rebuild eliminate
- I don't think we should be paying to renovate and rebuild Burbank. It's not a school that handles a large volume of students and you can always tuition to cover the student who use it as a preschool.
- Rebuilding
- Renovate - it is less desirable and more expensive than other options
- Repair
- yes - renovate and rebuild should be off the table. It doesn't make sense to put that much into a school that serves a small portion of the community - especially with a price tag over 30 million for just Burbank. Efforts and money should be put into the middle schools.
- Eliminate repair option
- Renovate. It's more expensive and still limits the design.
- Get rid of renovate - why would we spend more.
- Rebuild
- Based on the monetary evaluation, the only option I would consider is the rebuild. The repair is a Band-Aid and the renovate option is not the best use of District funds for a long-term solution for the community.
- Repair- what's the point? Might as well just do the whole thing!

Are there any other thoughts you would like to share about the Burbank options?

- No
- I'd like to see Burbank pulled from this agenda.
- I see a rebuild as the most cost effective and most useful for added growth with the population.
- Why was the rebuild option with adding classrooms not included in the survey? I believe it would be unwise to rebuild that facility without adding additional classrooms because the added cost is so minor.
- Rebuild option seems like a no-brainer- better results aligned with modern learning spaces for about the same amount as renovation. There will always be a need for more space, I think extra classrooms should be added with initial project.
- \$16 million repair seems like plenty to spend on 230 kids
- What a wonderful opportunity to create a truly inclusive preschool program for Upper Arlington! Please consider accessibility, universal design, and the sensory needs of all learners in this project. When children are fully included in preschool and their early educational years, they are more likely to be accepted and included throughout their lives.
- I don't understand why renovation is always more expensive. Seems like there should be a range of possible \$\$\$. It could be (mis) interpreted that it is done intentionally to discourage the renovation options.
- My nephew works at Burbank and the teachers want a rebuild.

- I feel unable to make an educated opinion on this. Somewhere I heard that there is a long waiting list to get into Burbank. Would the added classrooms alleviate this to some degree? The enrollment projection side of the story would sway my opinion.
- None
- It's a daycare, correct?
- Please keep enrollment forecast as current as possible. Rising property values may be pricing young families out of UA.
- I propose we delay Burbank due to the high costs for Jones and Hastings.
- I'm all for the rebuild, it just makes the most sense.
- see above
- Does the rebuild option include the costs for demolition and material removal for the old building?
- Please make sure whatever plan you choose has room for a safe, age appropriate, creative outdoor leaning space/playgrounds!

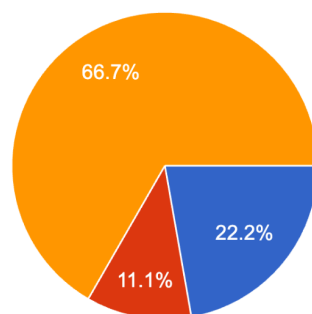
Hastings Middle School

What would you prefer for Hastings Middle School?

- ☐ **Repair** — address the physical needs of the building (\$59,700,000; tentative construction timeline: summer work)
- ☐ **Renovate** — address the physical and educational adequacy needs (\$155,280,000; tentative construction timeline: 3 academic years + site)
- ☐ **Rebuild** — address the physical and educational adequacy needs (\$110,800,000 or \$130,430,000, depending on the option; tentative construction timeline: 2 to 2.5 academic years + site, depending on option)

What would you prefer for Hastings Middle School?

81 responses



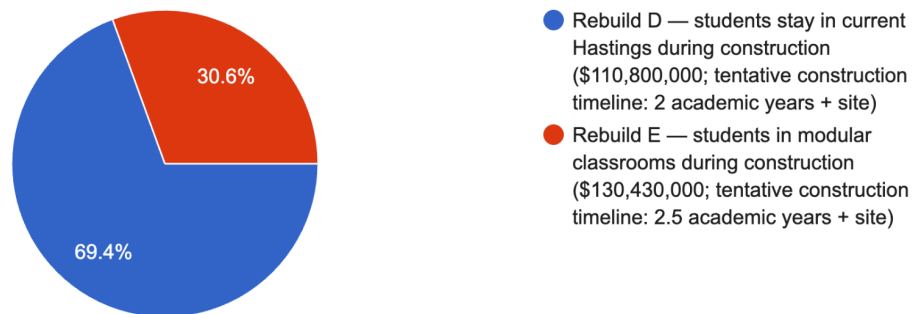
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Of the Rebuild options for Hastings, which do you prefer?

- ☐ ***Rebuild D — students stay in current Hastings during construction (\$110,800,000; tentative construction timeline: 2 academic years + site)***
- ☐ ***Rebuild E — students in modular classrooms during construction (\$130,430,000; tentative construction timeline: 2.5 academic years + site)***

Of the Rebuild options for Hastings, which do you prefer?

72 responses

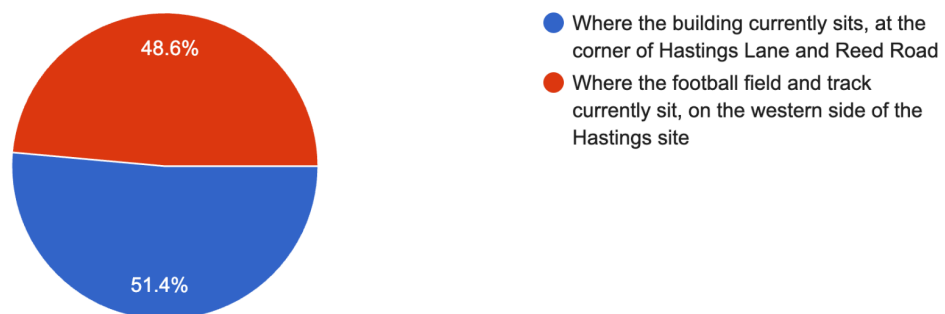


When thinking long-term about the Hastings site, if a rebuild option is the preference of the community, which location do you think is the best, long-term placement for the new building?

- ☐ ***Where the building currently sits, at the corner of Hastings Lane and Reed Road***
- ☐ ***Where the football field and track currently sit, on the western side of the Hastings site***

When thinking long-term about the Hastings site, if a rebuild option is the preference of the community, which location do you think is the best, long-term placement for the new building?

70 responses



Are there any options that should be eliminated?

- No
- Renovate
- Rebuilding
- Rebuilding on the current footprint
- Same as #2
- Renovate is too ridiculously high. The number of people and kids the Rebuild would benefit from is way more than a few neighbors who may or may not be offended. They knew they were moving next to a school. There are no guarantees. Additionally, I feel moving the schools to the back of the lot will provide more opportunities for traffic control.
- Eliminate Option D
- Repair and renovate both are really not viable options.
- Rebuild D. While cost effective in the short term, it doesn't make sense to embed the school in a residential neighborhood for 75+ years. Disruptive for existing homes: commercial lights, traffic, trash pick up, diesel exhaust, deliveries. Streets (Mountview, Glenmere, Romney) weren't designed for that amount of traffic. Second and third story classrooms overlooking private yards, bedrooms, etc.
- Repair only
- Option D.
- All others
- Rebuild E and renovate B
- I think we need to improve the exterior appearance (in addition to solving the interior issues). So, the repair would be eliminated for me. Fix it and make it more aesthetically pleasing.
- Get rid of Rebuild E and repairs.
- Anything involving putting students in modular classrooms.
- Renovate - most expensive and most disruptive
- Repair should be eliminated
- Renovate Option B - why pay more to just renovate.
- Eliminate repair
- Renovate. It's more expensive and the existing building/core and shell are not conducive to today's learning environments.
- Get rid of renovate
- Repair and renovate (way too expensive and takes way too long!)
- Rebuild

Are there any other thoughts you would like to share about the Hastings options?

- No
- Rebuild is cost effective. And prefer to keep students all together.
- Rebuild option seems like a no-brainer- better results aligned with modern learning spaces for less cost than renovation. There doesn't seem to be a strong enough benefit to new building on Reed Rd. I appreciate the buffer between building and residential properties. I think the option D location makes the property feel more like a campus which I appreciate.

- NEVER relocate a school to Thomson Park.
- Absolutely do not feel having kids from Jones housed at Hasting will work both culturally as well as a matter of traffic control. My daughter is going to be in the middle of the construction and I would hope she would only need to content with 1 school of pre-teens and not 2..
- I think the renovation options being proposed are significantly more costly than they should be. I also think incorrect assumptions are being made about construction costs. Columbus is not going to keep growing at this rate for much longer. It is also impossible for construction costs to remain historically high for decades. I would favor renovation in stages allowing the city to take advantage of decreasing interest rates and construction costs that will inevitably come in the next 5-10 years.
- The rebuild options seem very similar. I would prefer whichever option offers the best options for accessibility and universal design. I would love to see the district move towards more inclusive models of education for students with all different levels of support needs, including the most complex needs. This starts from the way the buildings are designed. If universal design is implemented from the start there will be less need for retrofitting in the future, creating spaces where all children feel welcome and a sense of belonging.
- Option D will have a very negative impact to existing residential properties on the West border of the site. In addition to the visual impact, noise from parking lots and likely dumpster service will be significant
- The additional parking is nice but putting it on the back of the building with no entrance there kinda stinks. And adding only 29 additional spaces isn't as good as the other option which made me seriously debate between the two options despite the fact that I really like option D better.
- For any option please add traffic calming and better crosswalks on Mountview, Glenmere and Romney. FWIW, I was intrigued by the Thompson Park option.
- Rumor is that Hastings is barely safe (from a building standard and materials) to be in right now. Knowing it has never had improvements in the last 30 years where Jones has, feels like it should certainly be prioritized.
- Rebuild D is a concern. Having a 3 story structure casting a shadow over our property along with the students, noise, cars and trash is not a desirable option for community members living on Mountview Road. I am also concerned about dumpster placement and the noise of pick up early in the morning not to mention the odor and possibility of vermin. We believe this option will have a negative impact on the value of our property. We purchased this property because it backed up to a park. During construction the, construction noise, dust, trash would be untenable. If this is the option recommended by the board we will have to move.
- As a neighbor on Seaford for 20+ years, the traffic congestion needs to be addressed and fixed. Our side of the neighborhood has zero parking at school drops off/pick up times, and anytime an event is going on. The entire month of May is near impossible to park on our street. UAPD visits frequently as people park illegally and block driveways year after year. Begging for you to put the parking on Reed road or behind the school.

- I don't think it matters where the building sits on the property (except for the homeowners nearby). The overall traffic flow would seem more important. I am choosing Rebuild because it is lower cost than renovate AND the building has not been positioned as worthy of historic preservation.
- Please make it a building that fits the historical nature of UA
- Hastings has wonderful food service options for it's students and option Rebuild E eliminates that as it puts our kids in modulars. Meals will have to be bussed in from an off site location which has been done in other districts and has cost the schools money due to its low number of purchased meals and poor quality of food. It is an injustice to our students and the UA school district should do better than that for its students.
- For Rebuild E, shouldn't there be cost avoidance from retaining the existing track and stadium?
- Does rebuild cost include demolition cost?
- Providing the current building for Jones students while Jones is redeveloped, while it would save money, suggests multiple problems for area residents. Option D would be cheaper but nearly doubles the time that area would be a construction zone.
- Option D allows you to build the new school while students still go to the existing school building.
- Build a new building, either option is fine. I have no preference on the placement of the building.
- Yes, Hastings is old and there is not a ton of natural light, but that's ok. Kids will survive. Let our UA kids experience what it's like not to have the newest and best thing for once. (I say this as a parent that will have students in this building in the next few years.). If rebuild is what the majority wants, I would want it where the existing building is.
 **However, that option is more expensive and takes longer so is it worth it? In this situation, I'd say not. The kids can still have a great school and learning experience even if it's in a slightly different location. I understand that the school would be closer to some houses and that may not be preferred by residents, but in this situation one needs to look at what's best for the majority.
- Replace grass field with FieldTurf field.
- Do the rebuild costs include demolition and material hauling for old buildings? If Option D is selected, which accommodations will be provided to the neighboring residential properties (along Mountview that back up to the space)(e.g, wall or landscaping to block view, noise, etc.) given the closer proximity and height of the building?
- Repair is wholly inadequate for this existing facility.
- Jones kids should NOT use the old Hastings building during Jones construction.

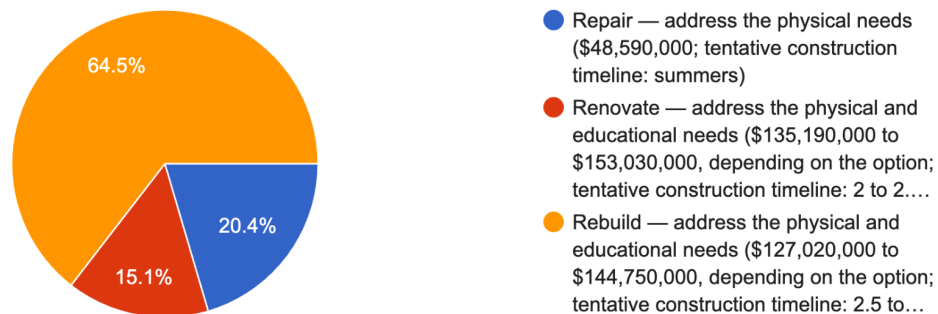
Jones Middle School

What would you prefer for Hastings Middle School?

- ☐ **Repair** — address the physical needs (\$48,590,000; tentative construction timeline: summers)
- ☐ **Renovate** — address the physical and educational needs (\$135,190,000 to \$153,030,000, depending on the option; tentative construction timeline: 2 to 2.5 academic years + site)
- ☐ **Rebuild** — address the physical and educational needs (\$127,020,000 to \$144,750,000, depending on the option; tentative construction timeline: 2.5 to 3 academic years + site)

What do you prefer for Jones Middle School?

93 responses

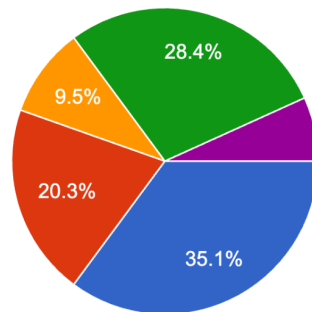


Of the Renovate options, which do you prefer?

- ☐ **Renovate A** — all students in modulars at Jones (\$144,890,000; tentative construction timeline: 2 academic years + site)
- ☐ **Renovate A** — one grade in modulars at Jones (\$138,370,000; tentative construction timeline: 2.5 academic years + site)
- ☐ **Renovate A** — all students at the old Hastings during construction (\$135,190,000; tentative construction timeline: 2 academic years following new Hastings construction)
- ☐ **Renovate B** — all students in modulars at Jones (\$153,030,000; tentative construction timeline: 2 academic years + site)
- ☐ **Renovate B** — all students at the old Hastings during construction (\$146,400,000; tentative construction timeline: 2.5 academic years + site)

Of the Renovate options, which do you prefer?

74 responses



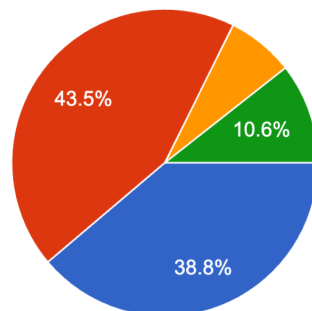
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Of the Rebuild options, which do you prefer?

- ☐ **Rebuild A — all students in modulars at Jones; RETAIN central mall facade (\$144,750,000; tentative construction timeline: 3 academic years + site)**
- ☐ **Rebuild A alternate — all students in modulars at Jones; REPLACE central mall facade (\$134,740,000; tentative construction timeline: 2.5 academic years + site)**
- ☐ **Rebuild B — all students at the old Hastings during construction; RETAIN central mall facade (\$138,430,000; tentative construction timeline: 3 academic years + site)**
- ☐ **Rebuild B alternate — all students at the old Hastings during construction; REPLACE central mall facade (\$127,020,000; tentative construction timeline: 2.5 academic years + site)**

Of the Rebuild options, which do you prefer?

85 responses



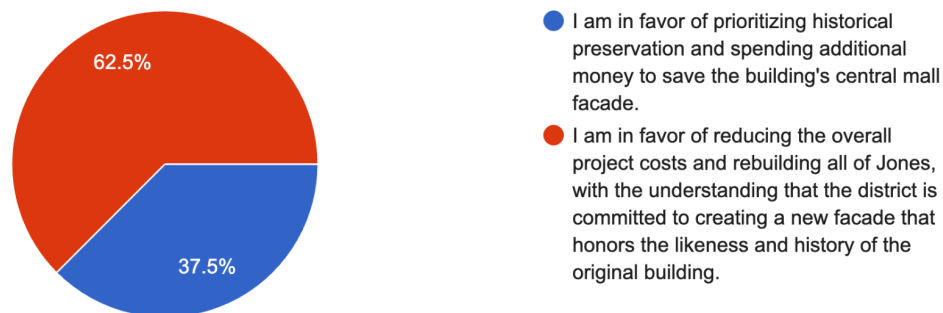
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- Rebuild B alternate — all students at the old Hastings during construction; REP...

If a rebuild option is the preference of the community for Jones, what is your opinion of the best long-term solution for the historical central mall facade?

- ☐ ***I am in favor of prioritizing historical preservation and spending additional money to save the building's central mall facade.***
- ☐ ***I am in favor of reducing the overall project costs and rebuilding all of Jones, with the understanding that the district is committed to creating a new facade that honors the likeness and history of the original building.***

If a rebuild option is the preference of the community for Jones, what is your opinion of the best long-term solution for the historical central mall facade?

88 responses



Are there any options that should be eliminated?

- No
- Rebuild
- Repair
- Rebuilding
- Renovate
- Moving one grade to modulars—you will not be able to isolate one grade and students will be walking back and forth across the street between every period.
- Since all three of my children will most likely be impacted by this, I 100% want to remove the option of having them go to Hastings. Please remove that option.
- Any option that involves commutes to Hastings. There is plenty of space and opportunities for phasing to make Modular's work.
- Temporarily housing the students in the old Hastings building
- Any option where we have Jones kids moving to Hastings. Think the issues and hassle vs. the money we 'save' is not worth the headache for all parents and commuters.
- I would eliminate rebuilding
- Repair definitely. It's like putting a bandaid on a sucking chest wound.
- Jones students moving to the old Hastings building
- Tearing down one of the ONLY remaining historical buildings in Upper Arlington should not be an option. Love and support change but the preservation of history is extremely

important. Homes in the area are held to the historical conservation and this should follow suit.

- Repair only
- Options that move Jones students to the Hastings campus. The residential neighborhood can't support the additional traffic.
- Jones was designed by famous architect Howard Dwight Smith who lived in UA and descendants still live here. Keep the facade. It is important. My grandchildren will be 4th gen grads of UA.
- Hastings. Please do not move the Jones kids to Hastings. The Modulares are wonderful!!
- moving kids to Hastings, too far away
- Save on costs!!!!
- PLEASE DO NOT SEND KIDS TO OLD HASTINGS BUILDING!!!! MODULARS OVER HASTINGS FOR ANY OPTION. too many students rely on walking or biking to school and that would be eliminated.
- Repairs and any options that require the use of modulars for students.
- Both rebuilds. Our kids are already behind educationally from Covid - and pods/modules proved to not be the best for them.
- I think sending Jones students to Hastings campus should be eliminated. Parents need the option of middle school children to walk to bike to school. Especially with parents that also have kids at Barrington and for working parents.
- The idea of waiting until Hastings construction is completed then moving Jones kids there is far too long...Jones is a dump. Needs addressed immediately.. Heating and cooling systems are failing, windows in many rooms do not open, infested with cockroaches.
- Anything involving putting students in modular classrooms
- Kids in modular classrooms is dumb. Use Hastings.
- The option to Rebuild and NOT retain the facade should be eliminated. Any option sending students to Hastings should be eliminated. Sending Jones students to Hastings will create many disruptions for students and their families. It also would create the situation where Hastings students go 5 yr without a track or stadium. It's unacceptable to put such a burden on students and families.
- Repair and renovation
- Eliminate any option that would require Jones students to commute to Hastings during construction. Walking to school is a major reason families with school-age children choose to live here. Any option which relocates Jones students will face immense pushback from local residents based upon my conversations with families, friends and teachers.
- We should eliminate the option of having all Jones students at the old Hastings building
- Eliminate repair option
- Keeping original facade seems ridiculous given the added cost
- Repair - just pushes the larger cost into the future; get it done sooner at lower costs.
- Although it cost more, move with the fastest construction timeline.
- Using the Hastings building. Hands down do not like this option at all even if buses are involved.

- DO NOT TEAR DOWN JONES!!!!!!!!!!
- Definitely eliminate any options in which Jones students need to be at Hastings for years. Way too much congestion and traffic.
- I think the district should eliminate the options of sending the Jones kids to Hastings.
- Remove all options where Jones students go to old Hastings building.

Are there any other thoughts you would like to share about the Jones options?

- No
- As an arts teacher, I would prefer to teach in a building already set up to handle performing and related arts than try to make temporary spaces work. I would also prefer to not lose all the athletic and performing spaces at both buildings at the same time.
- I will have a student at Jones during the construction timeline. I think for the future it is important to redo the building to make it meet current standards. For the kids that will be there during construction (such as mine), I think it is important to disrupt their middle school experience as little as possible, and I think that is done by keeping them at the same site. Bussing them to Hastings would be my least favorite option. Since they won't have Jones as a building option either way, I would at least like them to be near the same physical space which is closer to home and siblings at Barrington, etc. I think it is important to maintain the look and feel of the neighborhood, but don't think that necessarily means keeping the exact same facade if the whole building is being rebuilt.
- Rebuild option seems like a no-brainer- better results aligned with modern learning spaces for less cost than renovation. I prefer the use of the Hastings building as a transition space as I'm concerned about the middle school experience for kids during construction- specifically the non-classroom experiences like gym, theater, wood shop, etc- and using Hastings temporarily would fill this gap.
- While I am a history aficionado, these schools are preparing the next generation for the future. The building design should reflect that instead of being tethered to the past.
- Like with Hastings, I think the renovation costs are being inflated and the rebuild costs are being underestimated. There are way too many unknowns trying to plan for both Hastings and Jones at the same time. Trying to combine all students at Hastings site is not workable. Pick one school to make major changes, then reassess the after that work is done. Repair what needs to be fixed now, then plan renovations in stages moving forward when construction and borrowing costs are not at historic high levels. After all the recent tax increases and proposing to bulldoze one of UAs best parks, your levy is not going to pass anyway, so you should start thinking smaller.
- Need to maximize parking as much as possible. Putting the tennis courts on the parking lot for the Devin's pool will seriously hurt the pool. Could the tennis courts go next to the football field?
- Shifting students to Hastings seems to increase costs and/or extend timelines (which increases costs).
- Historical aesthetic and restoration should never prevent today's children from learning and growing in a safe, modern, efficient, bright, and functional space. Progress often requires rethinking what works, leveling the old, and building something new. You have

our support to create something fresh and functional that will benefit our community for the next generation!

- Add parking on south side of Devon pool in current green space. I don't mind if there is head in parking on either side of Jones mall way leaving a center green space. Make temp football/lax fields at Tremont, Thompson Park, Fancyburg, Burbank fields, Trangle park, Miller park.
- Please keep all students in modular together to speed up construction. Rebuild is required! If the facade is kept or not is not important to me personally. I do have questions about the modular for safety in terms of access into buildings and also tornadoes.
- Please keep the Jones students down at Jones. Hastings is already crowded with the other surrounding schools and traffic is very extreme at drop off and pick up and in the evenings when events/sports are going on, please consider the neighborhood surrounding Hastings! It will be too much traffic with construction trucks, pick up/drop off, events and double that with Jones and Hastings. For the people living in the neighborhood next to Hastings this is not fair!
- Please do not use Hastings as temporary school Location! Use modulares if needed
- I sincerely hope the community understands the significance of this building. I also understand why all the options are on the table, why it's important to talk it all through. As long as there is nothing wrong with the facade, I hope it stays. That's why I chose the Rebuild options to take that issue off the table.
- We have a chance to get this right with Jones. I would only vote to rebuild and not keep the historical facade IF we build an equally beautiful building that is traditional/classic and fits into the neighborhood. The high school exterior is disappointing and unattractive. The bar was set very high with the building Thomas Worthington completed. A beautiful historical Jones building is a non-negotiable in our family.
- I do not like the thought of our students at any school spending years having their meals brought in from an off site location while in modulares because these meals are not going to be the quality meals the kids are used to and I know we can do better for students than that.
- Please don't displace these kids. Repair during summer so their learning is disrupted as little as possible. They are already all struggling on a national level because of the impact of COVID and not being able to learn in their classrooms.
- Prefer to keep kids at the Jones site during rebuild.
- Is there cost avoidance with the modulares by not having to bus all of the students to old Hastings?
- I appreciate the history of the building but spending \$10 million to maintain a wall wouldn't be my first choice. I'm confident the new building can be designed to honor the old one and still be cost effective. Maybe a wall of historical photos and background on the original building's architect would be appropriate.
- We moved here for our kids being able to walk to school so we will not be happy if we have one kid at the old Hasting's building and one at Barrington. We do not care as much about the facade decision but we 100% do not want our kid to go to the old

Hasting's building because it is too far away. It will be a logistical nightmare and we do not want our kid taking a school bus.

- Good luck getting funding after Franklin County just raise everyone's taxes
- The Renovate Option A (one grade in modulares) will result in a wonderful new facility while minimizing disruption for students. Only one grade will be in Modulares and most of the athletic facilities will still be available for use. Students will also be able to stay in their normal neighborhood. I worry that if kids are shipped to Hastings you will see many more on electric scooters and bikes and. E at additional safety risks. I will NOT vote for any option that tears down Jones. We moved here because we appreciate the history of the community and I feel strongly that we must maintain our historic structures including Jones.
- Jones is a architectural significant building designed by Howard Dwight smith!
- Need to preserve the original building!
- Ranked options in the way that I did because of impact to student learning (higher priority) and then secondarily impact to sports
- We need to keep our kids at Jones and preserve the historical nature of the building for the community.
- Keep the old charm of the building
- The logistics of having Joes/ Hastings/ and Wellington in the same space, will be the challenge if we take that route, but you already know this.
- Please replace the grass field at Jones with a FieldTurf type of field. The grass field is often unusable in the winter and spring due to weather. We have seen the success of replacing grass with FieldTurf at Tremont and the High School (these turf fields are used 365 days a year at all hours of the day)...with such limited field space in UA, having an always-usable field would be a massive benefit to the community.
- Whether they renovate or rebuild Jones, moving all Jones students to the old Hastings building is very disruptive to those classes and the community plus it extends the timeline by at least two years. Modulares allow the students impacted by the project to at least feel connected to their home school and have a similar experience to their older/younger siblings.
- It seems unfair to make jones kids wait an additional 2years until Hastings is completed and old building can be used. Given the added uncertainty of tariffs, delaying builds and not doing them all simultaneously seems unwise.
- It's not worth \$10MM to retain the facade/mallway. Period houses in UA are being torn down on a weekly basis without any cares by the city - why start now?
- I will have a student at Jones during this process and a student at Barrington. I feel that it is important not to disrupt their experience as much as possible. That is the reason I why I believe they should be in modular classrooms while the building is being constructed. I value the time I have walking my children to school everyday and I don't love the idea of them being bused up to the old Hastings. Logistically it will be easier to walk both of my kids while they are at the different schools or for my older child to get herself to and from school since we are so close and can walk. I also believe that the facade should be restored as it is so historical and such a landmark to our community

- Please do not replace the historic facade with a new one built to look historic. This is architecturally inappropriate. Either retain the historic facade or tear it down and build new with a modern and contemporary design. Do not build new with today's technologies and construction methods to look as if it were built in a previous era.
- It is essential to keep the facade of the original building for historical preservation.
- Can you swing some of the middle school students into the HS (8th grade)?
- It is what portrays the best of our community and past. There seems to be this mentality to just tear down and build new. NO! We need to take example of the school renovations in Grandview and Worthington. Who are making these STUPID DECISIONS? As a taxpayer, former student and parent, I will NEVER vote for another levy and will DEFINITELY campaign against it and anyone involved with this decision making. I think there are an alarming large group of us out there that feel monies have already been used recklessly and unwisely.....I.e. the community center just THROWN into any available spot with disregard to how it makes our town look....stupid to others. I am not one to speak up, but this really hurts my heart!
- If the kids stay in the Jones building while it's being renovated, what are the risks related to asbestos (since it's such an old building) and how will those risks and any asbestos exposure be mitigated?
- Was an option considered where a new Jones is built on current football field/track? Then students can stay in current building while it's being built.
- Again, please do NOT swing students to the old Hastings building.

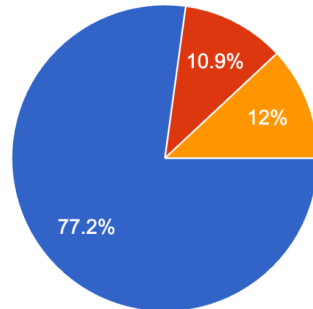
Overall Master Plan Priorities

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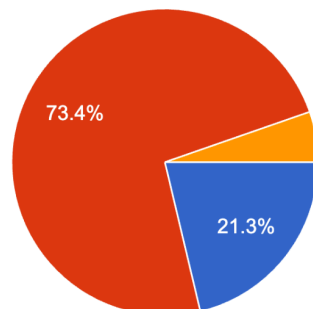
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Are there any other thoughts you would like to share about master plan priorities?

- I am concerned about funds running out for the longer time lines. Something would need to be put in place to reserve funds for the later projects.
- I do not want my kids from bones going to the old Hastings.
- Thank you for including the community in this process! This survey was very well done. This last community meeting was also well done. The handouts were excellent in terms of providing a great deal of information while at the same time distilling it to a level that was a bit more digestible!
- Sustainability is an important aspect of both this community and the future of learning. I hope to see it prioritized and included in decisions moving forward. And not in a "we exceeded code" or "loosely followed LEED guidelines" sort of way. But in an innovative building approach that shows were creative leaders sort of way. It should be part of the conversation and if we need to spend a little more upfront for a more effective strategy, I would appreciate that cost included now rather than having the sustainability conversations later and not have the funds to achieve it.
- You are trying to do too much work at one time, particularly when now is not a good time to be doing it.
- Please solicit feedback from families who have children with disabilities, especially neurodiverse families and families who have children with complex support needs. Collaborate with other disability related organizations to determine how universal design can be implemented to create fully accessible and inclusive spaces. Place is such an important part of belonging.
- 1. Anyone who argues that both schools should use modular buildings so that it is "fair" is petty and their opinion should be disregarded. Listen, we need to rebuild these schools. It isn't a "want" it's a "need." You need to show the community photos of the insides of these schools if you want to build broader community support. At any given time a good percentage of the population has absolutely zero idea how bad the schools are inside. Show them. But don't just show them. Ask them, "is this "UA"? The vast majority seeing the current conditions would say "no." But most people just drive by the buildings without a clue of how bad they really are inside. You must show them. If they can see how bad it is and then you ask them "is this a UA caliber school?" They will say no and will support rebuilding these schools schools. Also, I understand why you like the idea of totally tearing down Jones but I worry that even if you promise to make the new one look identical to the original, you may run into some problems finding support.
- Thank you for a thoughtful process.
- What about utilizing the community center to house some of the middle schoolers? Could be opt-in or mixed to create unity in lieu of pitting Jones vs Hastings. As a UA graduate, now parent of a children who will be in the middle school during this, and children attending a different middle school than I did, the divide feels bigger with adding the conversation of funding the middle schools on the table too.
- There appears to be an error on the paper survey regarding Jones question 11.
- Dave Jones facade

- You are all doing such an extraordinarily thoughtful job keeping our children at the center of this decision. I feel to grateful to be in this community and I truly appreciate your hard work! Please keep kids at Jones all in modular and rebuild.
- Keep costs down!!!! Who will be monitoring the air quality when these possible rebuilds will be done? For those of us that live right next to Hastings how will we know that the air quality is clean? How many construction trucks can we expect to be in front of our home? Please consider those of us that live across the street.
- Please do not move Jones students to Hastings as temporary schooling location
- There are so many options (especially for Jones)! They are communicated nicely, but it's still a lot to absorb, especially for those who have not attended (or watched) meetings.
- Please make these buildings attractive and historical-looking. Thank you!
- No
- Prefer to keep kids close to original building location during rebuilds for transportation purposes. My kids will walk/bike to school during time of rebuild and I want that to stay an option.
- Please continue to stress and communicate that this is a 50-75 year investment. Breaking costs down to the monthly level was a good idea. Keep sharpening pencil on rebuilding; renovation looks like a huge waste of money.
- I applaud the district for another opportunity to help shape the development of these buildings. It's gratifying to know what we do now will impact generations to come.
- Why renovate something that is old when in the longterm it will end up costing even more with new arising issues.
- I think the above questions do not capture my priorities. My priority is to maintain our unique history and ensure that students that will be in school during the construction are able to stay at their original school site with as much access to athletic facilities on site and no shuttling to other neighborhoods for school or activities. I am confident that the Jones renovate option A will result in an amazing space long term for students and meet 99% of their needs and the teacher and community needs.
- Routine maintenance will save costs of renovations
- Great plan and build the new schools
- The construction company seems to be pushing for the higher cost projects so they can show off UA in their portfolio. And they were really trying to drive home this idea of natural light at the meetings. While I agree that's a huge benefit of a rebuild, at what cost. Extend PE/ recess equivalent time or figure out a way to have classes outside when possible if it's that important to the district. Between the Franklin county homeowners audit that increased taxes last year, the other schools that we are paying for and another homeowners audit scheduled for 2027, it's a lot. I've also hear rumors that this will be tied to the school levy so that you force our hand to get it passed. I think that wrong. Please consider how much you are asking of the residents.
- Did I mention turf fields? :) Thanks to everyone for making this process transparent and community-driven.
- I think it's important to think long-term and to prioritize the history of our community. Jones is an extremely important structure that should not be replaced.

- No matter where you are in central Ohio, if you hear UA you immediately think golden bears/schools. People choose to live in UA for the schools. As a community our focus should always be to have the best schools in central Ohio.
- Reviewing UA high school and the various named/donated spaces - is there any plan to offset the costs for these three projects via similar donations (to bring down the overall costs rather than simply donations of a room, hallway, field, etc.)?
- District needs an indoor field for winter use like a fieldhouse or bubble.
- This community did not Band aide the elementary and hs. Although costly, let's do this right so we have a consistent experience for all of our students as they proceed through the district.
- You have already heard my feelings. Please respect this community and our future!!!
- I think rebuild is cheapest for all options!
- I am in favor of options to decrease inconvenience to students and parents even if that means higher cost. I think it's important to also consider the safest options for the students. I see this as a long term investment that should be built with the ability to grow and adapt over the years.
- Please note that Barrington Elementary went through extensive renovations, and the building is not large enough. I surely hope Jones size will accommodate the growing class numbers.