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# **STATE COLLEGE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Park Forest Middle School Update**

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

September 8, 2025

# PARK FOREST MIDDLE SCHOOL



Current Work in Process

1. Review with PFMS Building Coordinators completed Friday, September 5, 2025.
2. Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing Review occurred with SCASD Operation and Facilities Team during past month. Follow-up confirmations are in process at this time.
3. Acoustical and Stage Consultant teams have been engaged and coordination with design team and SCASD is in process. Modeling equipment & best practices from State High & MNMS.
4. Single Toilet Location confirmation throughout school.
5. Outdoor Bag Room Storage.

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1. Art Department Re-Configuration
2. Science Department Reconfiguration
3. Mechanical Room/Storage & Receiving
4. Concession Stand & morning lunch delivery to students
5. Exterior Locker/Bag Storage
6. Single Toilet distribution throughout School
7. Auditorium/Stage & Performing Arts
8. Media Center Refinement
9. Exterior Courtyards & Main Entry

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The design team has been working with Vitro Architectural Glass the past 4 months on planning for “Bird Safe” glass on Park Forest Middle School, tentatively utilizing a laser etched method.

Initial Discussion has been centered on utilizing “Bird Safe” glass for the Larger Curtain Wall locations at Main Entrances, Library, Cafeteria, Stair Towers throughout the building that represent the majority of square footage of glass in the school.



The “Bird Safe” glass would be bid as an alternate to the main project to understand the full cost impact for a product that is relatively new to the school construction market

Current methods of achieving Bird Friendly Glass are:

- Fritted Glass
- Acid Etched Glass
- UV-coated glass
- Laser Etched Glass

## “Bird Safe” Glass



# QUESTIONS

