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Richmond County School System Provides Update on Long-Range Facilities Master Plan

(AUGUSTA, GEORGIA) – The Richmond County School System (RCSS) reaffirms its commitment to a thoughtful and community-driven approach to long-term facility planning. As the district continues to assess future needs, there will be no changes to school buildings or facilities during the spring 2025 semester. Conversations about facility planning will resume later this summer and fall, and the district encourages all stakeholders to participate.

Dr. Malinda Cobb, Interim Superintendent of Schools, says, “We want our families and staff to feel settled about the state of our schools as we conclude the academic year, allowing us to maintain a strong focus on academic excellence and student success. At the same time, we know that to provide high-quality educational opportunities while being fiscally responsible, we must make thoughtful decisions about how we use our resources. Last spring, we received valuable feedback from our community on our proposed five-year consolidation plan, and we remain committed to ensuring those voices guide our next steps.”

Over the next several months, RCSS will re-engage with employees, families, school board members, and community stakeholders to refine the district’s Long-Range Facilities Master Plan. Information about public meetings will be shared with community stakeholders through local media, social media, the Infinite Campus Parent Portal, and on our website at rcboe.org/masterplan.

For more information on the RCSS Long-Range Facilities Master Plan, please visit rcboe.org/masterplan.

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