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PROJECT PROGRESS REPORT

December 2025 Update

WHAT'S NEW?

For the Carl Traeger Elementary project, seven bids were received, and on November 19 the Board of Education awarded the contract to the low bidder, Miron Construction. With the contract in place, Bray Architects and the OASD Core Planning Team will spend December and January on pre-construction coordination to ensure the project is well-positioned for a smooth spring start. Construction remains on track for completion before the 2026–2027 school year.

Neighborhood Meetings for the Franklin and Oakwood construction projects were successfully held on November 20 and December 2. These sessions, led by Bray Architects, allowed the team to share current progress, answer questions and gather valuable community feedback.



Proposed Franklin Elementary School Addition at Main Entry



Proposed Oakwood Elementary School Addition at Academic Wing



Oakwood Neighborhood Meeting

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PLANNING & DESIGN UPDATE

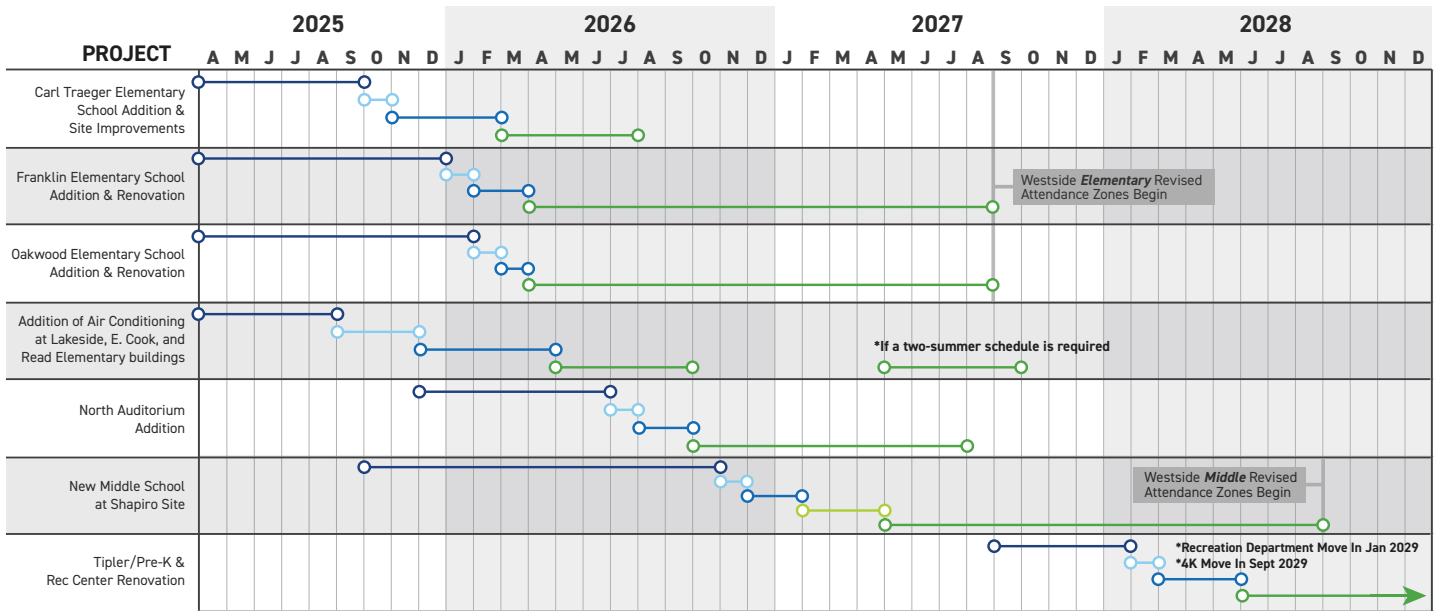
As Carl Traeger moves toward construction and the Franklin and Oakwood Elementary projects near final design, the OASD team and Bray Architects are also advancing two additional efforts: the New Middle School at the Shapiro site and the North High School auditorium addition.

Design work on the New Middle School is now two months in, and the team is taking a deep, critical look at building placement, site circulation, and the daily flow of students, staff, and families. Feedback and lessons learned from the Vel Phillips building continue to be woven into brainstorming discussions over how to best structure learning environments and community spaces like the cafeteria and gym. Because the Shapiro site will require significantly more bus traffic than Vel Phillips, the layout of the building will play a key role in shaping safe and efficient circulation for buses, parent drop-off and

pick-up, and staff parking. More detailed updates will follow as the design develops further.

The North High School auditorium project is also moving full steam ahead. Since kicking off in early November, the team has held two design meetings, met with North's art department (whose spaces connect directly to the renovation), and toured Sun Prairie's new West High School to study its 800-seat auditorium and black box theater. Additional auditorium tours are scheduled for shortly after the holidays, ensuring the team can draw from a range of recent, high-performing examples.

The design schedule has been included in this report for ease of reference, now that five of seven referendum projects are active and in various stages. This schedule is also available on the OASD website.



NEXT STEPS

- Franklin and Oakwood Elementary School projects will go out to bid in January, with bids due in February
- Floor plan and site plan development for the New Middle School
- Ongoing design progress on the North High School auditorium project

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- Design
- Bid
- Contract Award/Mobilization
- Construction
- Demo

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