

WHY NOW?

M.A.C.

FACILITY NEEDS

TURF

- The turf, installed in 2014, is past its life expectancy.
- Drainage has become an issue and it is beginning to tear.

TRACK

- The track has not been resurfaced in 12 years & damage is an issue.
- It is past its life expectancy.
- With high school, middle school, and unified track & field athletes, there are 300 students regularly using the track each season. In addition, the track is used by McDowell classes for instruction.
- Due to the number of students who utilize the track on a regular basis, we need 8 lanes to provide more room for our student athletes to train and practice.

BATHROOMS

- There are currently no permanent bathrooms for visitors.
- For ADA-compliant bathrooms, guests must use the home bathrooms inside McDowell.

BLEACHERS

- Stadium seating is at least 50 years old, well past its life expectancy.
- Yearly, we spend money to make smaller updates in order to be able to use the facility due to inspections.
- Current bleachers need updates to meet ADA compliance. For example, additional handrails to reach seating.
- Visitor bleachers have not been updated since the 1995-1996 school year.
- The press box has not been updated since 2014 and is not ADA compliant.