



Charleston County School District

***UNIVERSAL 3K & 4K
DISTRICTWIDE ROLLOUT***

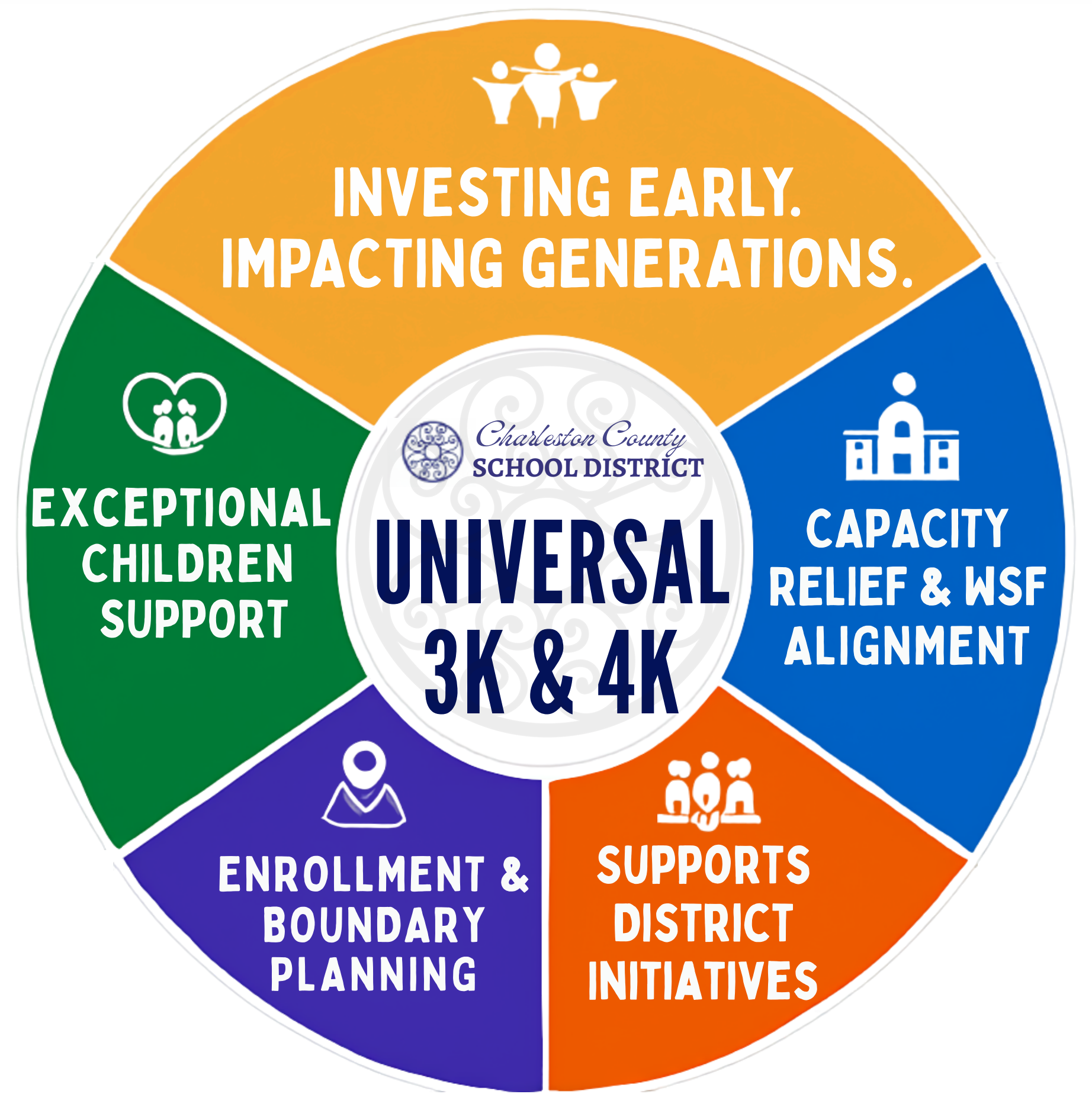
Investing Early.

Impacting Generations.

UNIVERSAL 3K & 4K DISTRICTWIDE ROLLOUT

Additional Benefits of Universal 3K & 4K

While expanding access to high-quality early learning remains the primary objective, the Universal 3K & 4K rollout also creates opportunities to support several existing district priorities.

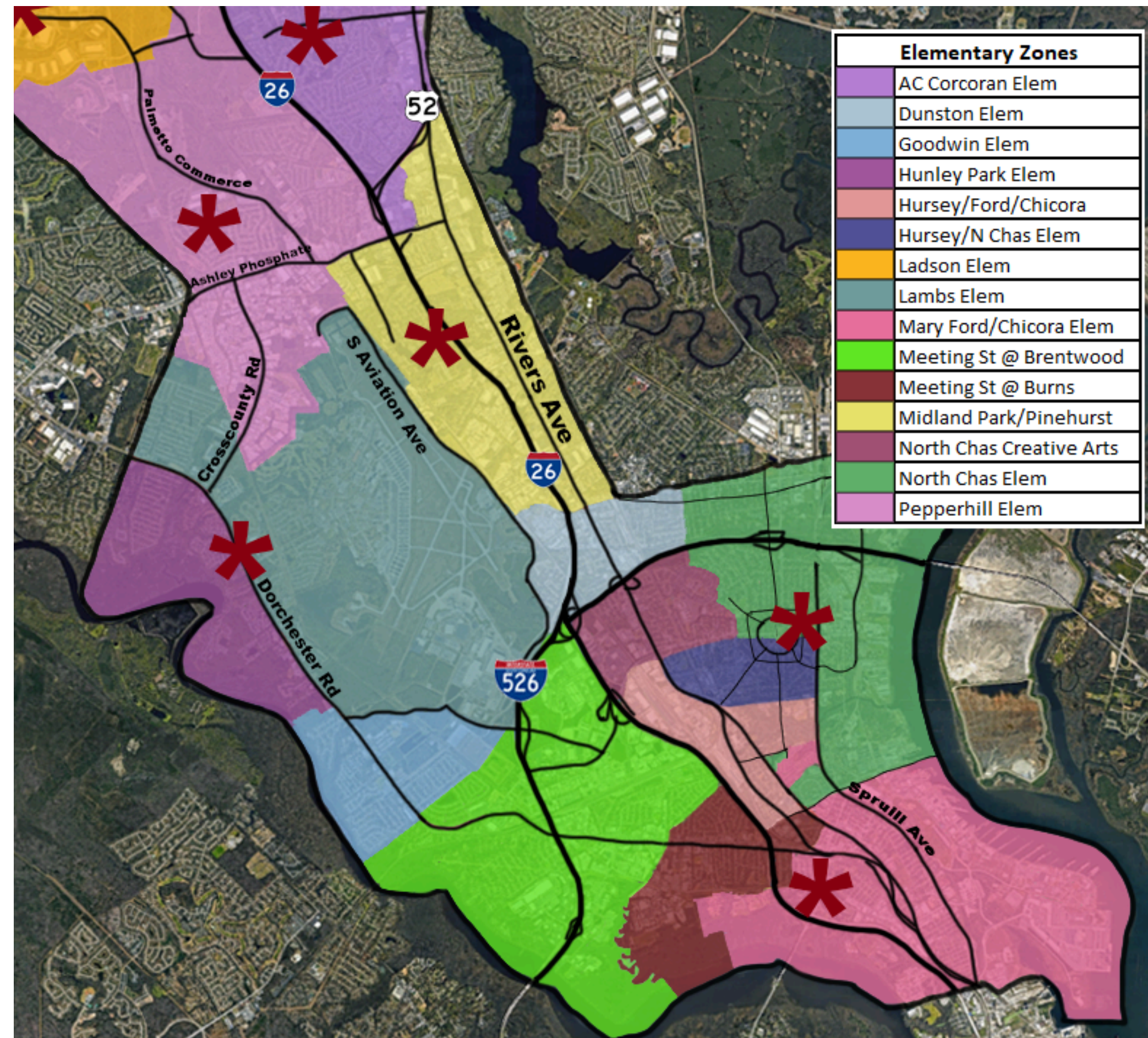


FACTORS IMPACTING UNIVERSAL PRE-K ROLLOUT

- Voter approval of the extension of the sales tax for school capital projects
- Continued district leadership commitment to expand early-learning opportunities
- Board support for the recurring funding needed to operate and sustain the program
- Construction schedules and project readiness
- Additional funding for projects not funded in the Phase VI Capital Program
- Ongoing adjustments to align the plan with available funding, enrollment, and district priorities

INITIATIVES

PROPOSED NORTH CHARLESTON UNIVERSAL PRE-K SITES



EXPANDING UNIVERSAL PRE-K IN NORTH CHARLESTON @ PEPPERHILL ES

Current:

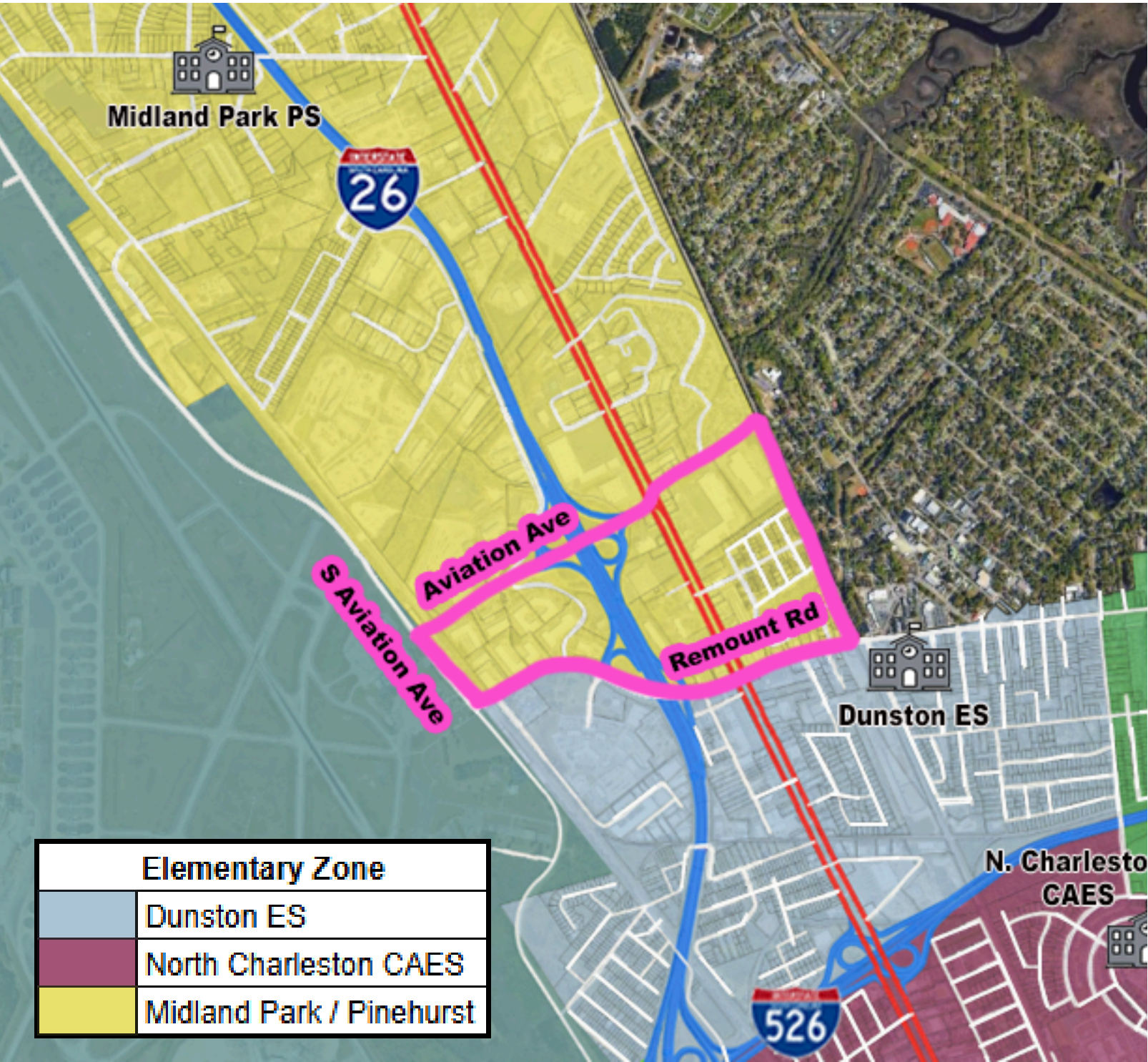
- Students who live within walking distance to Pinehurst are zoned for Pepperhill
- Opportunity to expand early learning at Pepperhill

Implementation:

- Redraw attendance lines to ensure students within walking distance of Pinehurst can attend Pinehurst
- Students being rezoned may remain at Pepperhill until 5th grade
- **Add 3-6 additional EL classes to Pepperhill (FY28)**
- **Pepperhill becomes Universal for 3K & 4K fall of 2027**

DUNSTON PROPOSED ATTENDANCE LINES:

SOUTH OF AVIATION AVE., EAST OF S. AVIATION AVE., NORTH OF REMOUNT RD.



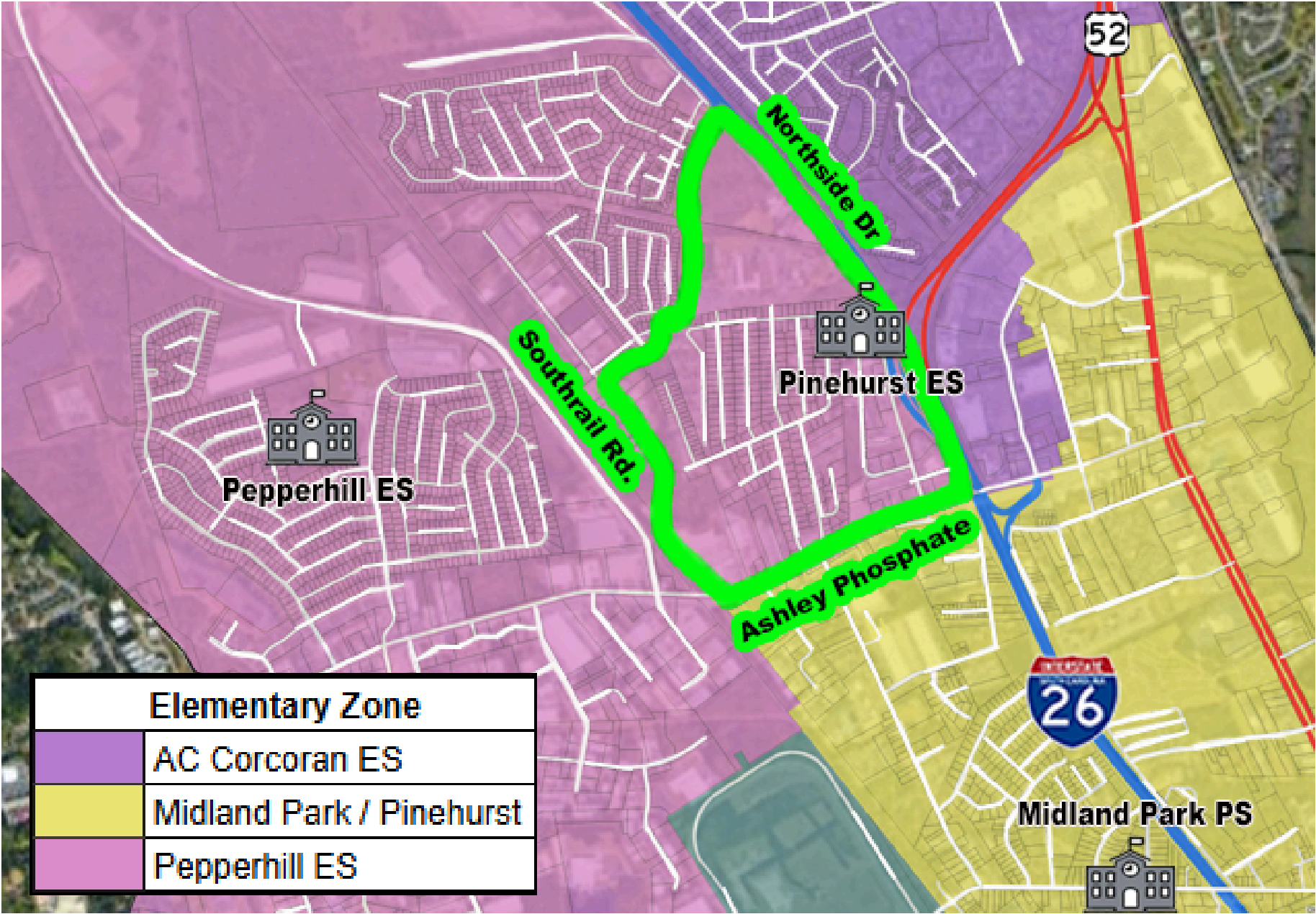
Attending School	Count
Chicora ES	1
Malcolm C. Hursey Montessori	2
Meeting Street @ Burns	2
Midland Park PS	11
Pinehurst ES	13
Total	29

Grade	Count
3K	3
4K	4
K	4
1	3
2	2
3	4
4	6
5	3
Total	29

Ethnicity	Count
A	0
B	12
H	17
I	0
M	0
W	0
Total	29

PINEHURST/MIDLAND PARK PROPOSED ATTENDANCE LINES:

NORTH OF ASHLEY PHOSPHATE, EAST OF SOUTHRAIL RD., WEST OF NORTHSIDE DR.



Option 1

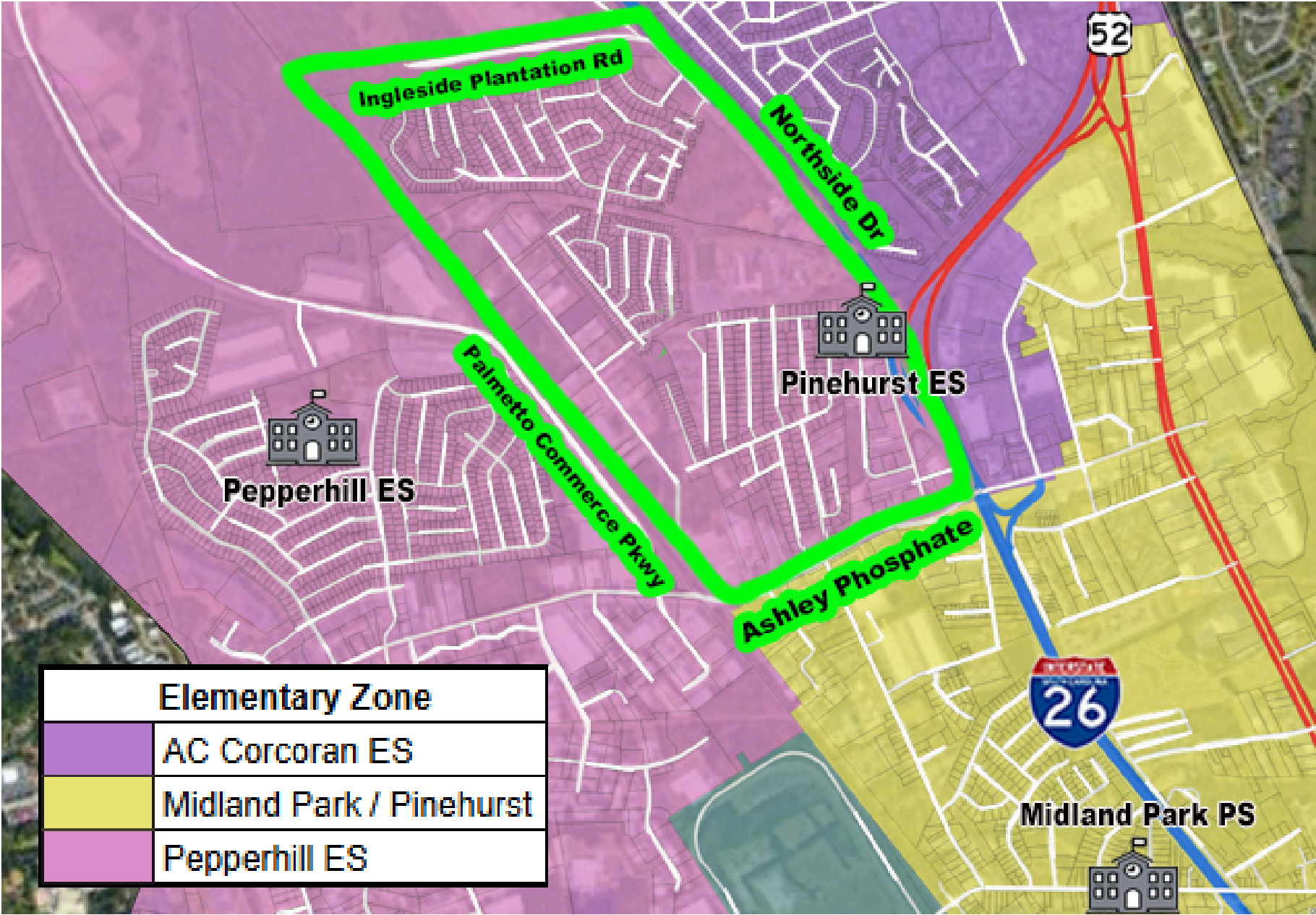
Attending School	Count
A.C. Corcoran ES	3
Hunley Park ES	4
Johns Island ES	1
Lambs ES	2
Malcolm C. Hursey Montessori	1
Mary Ford PS	1
Matilda F. Dunston ES	3
Meeting Street @ Brentwood	1
Midland Park PS	6
North Charleston CAES	2
Pepperhill ES	146
Pinehurst ES	5
R.B. Stall HS	2
Total	177

Grade	Count
-2	7
-1	18
K	21
1	22
2	27
3	21
4	28
5	33
Total	177

Ethnicity	Count
A	0
B	46
H	123
I	0
M	5
W	3
Total	177

PINEHURST/MIDLAND PARK PROPOSED ATTENDANCE LINES:

NORTH OF ASHLEY PHOSPHATE, EAST OF SOUTHRAIL RD., WEST OF NORTHSIDE DR.



Top Attended Schools	Count
Pepperhill ES	215
Midland Park PS	7
Hunley Park ES	5
North Charleston CAES	5
Pinehurst ES	5
Malcolm C. Hursey Montessori	4
AC Corcoran ES	3
Ladson ES	3
Mary Ford PS	3
Matilda F. Dunston ES	3
Lambs ES	2
North Charleston ES	2
Other	13
Total	270

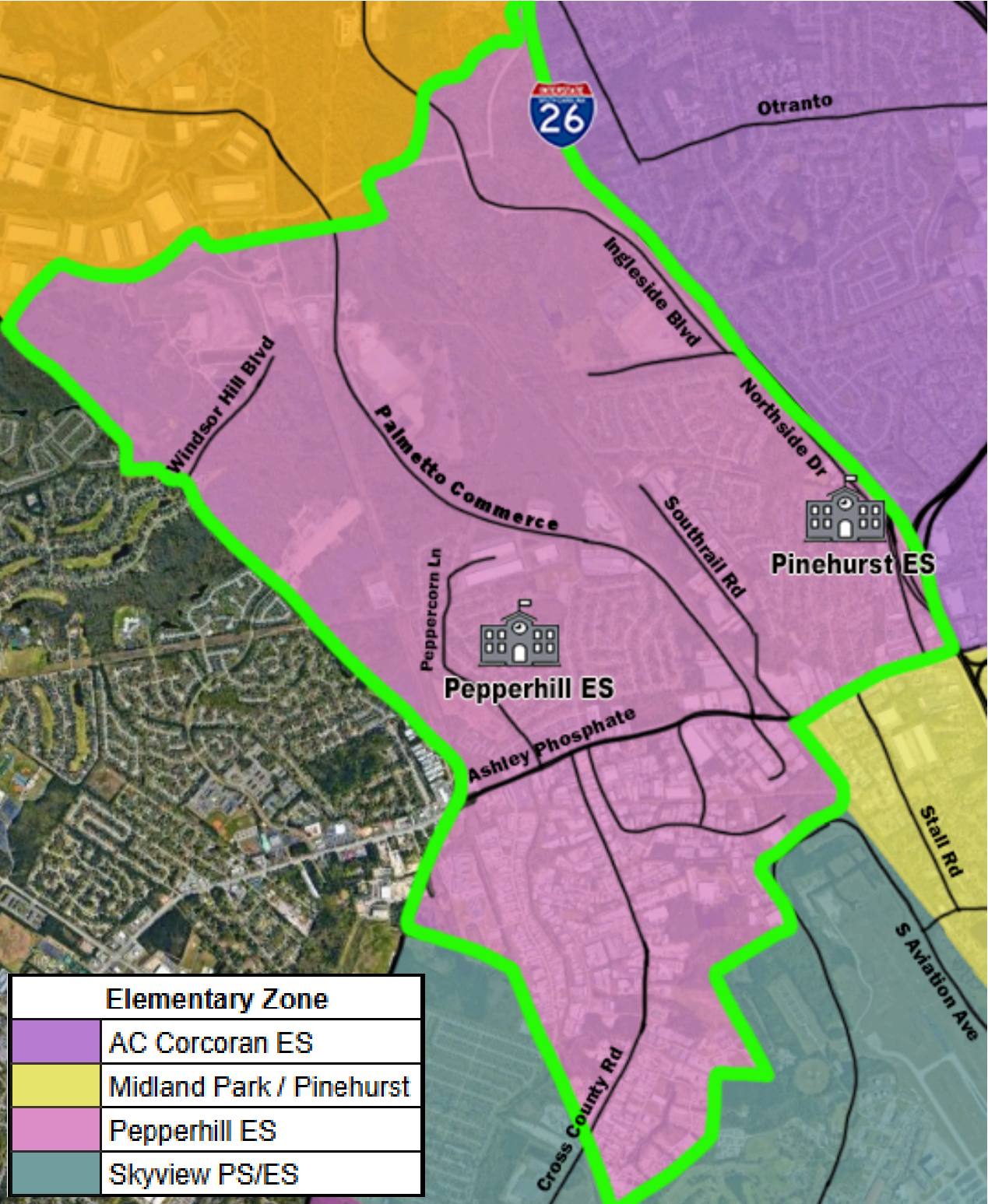
Option 2

Grade	Count
-2	11
-1	28
K	34
1	36
2	35
3	35
4	40
5	51
Total	177

Ethnicity	Count
A	0
B	110
H	139
I	0
M	8
W	13
Total	270

PEPPERHILL PROPOSED ATTENDANCE LINES

BEFORE



Option 1

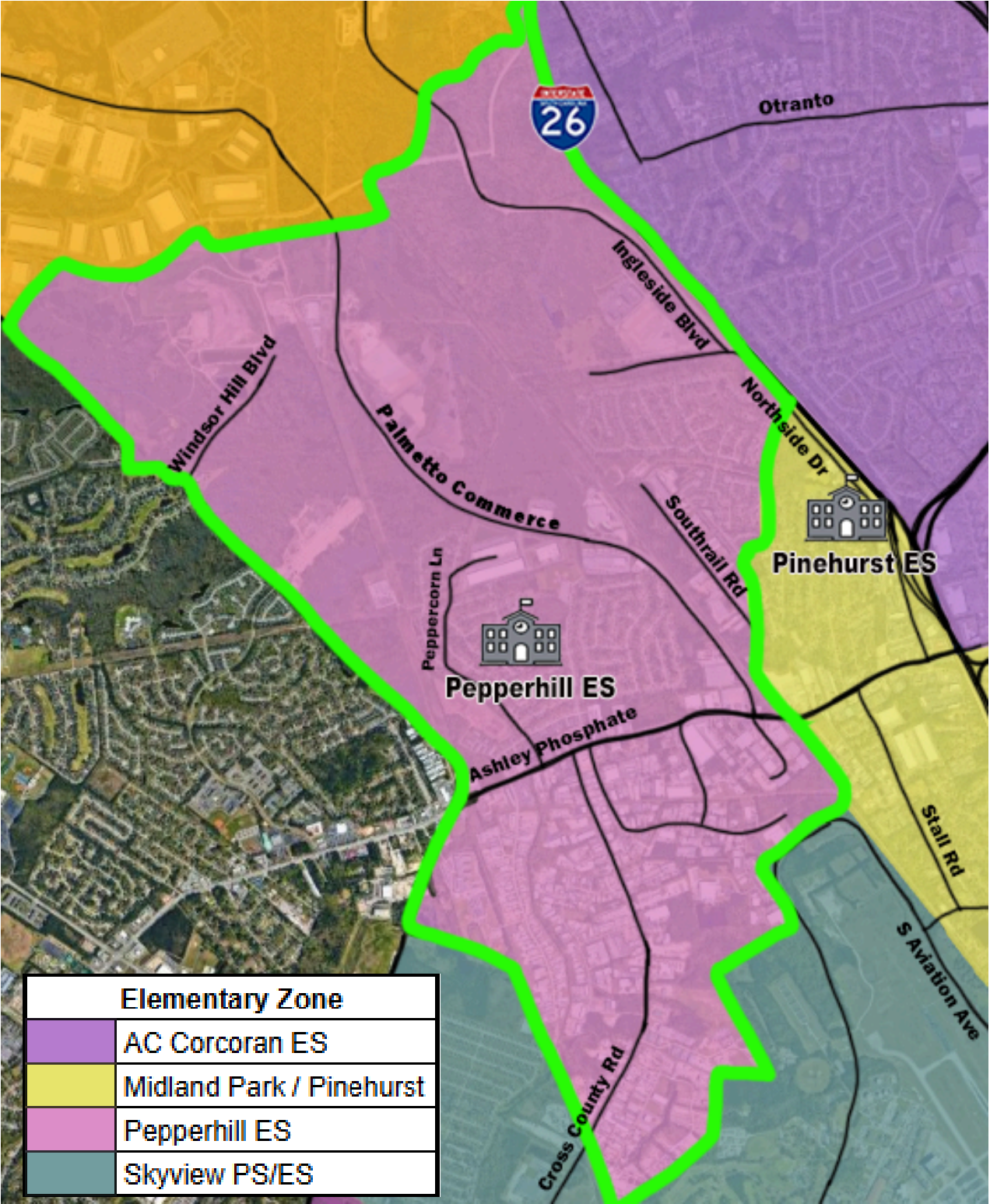
Rezoned Pepperhill students may remain through 5th grade

Add 3-5 early learning classes

Pepperhill's zone becomes Universal

Add employee childcare

AFTER



NORTH OF I-526 PROPOSED ATTENDANCE LINES: IMPACTS

Matilda Dunston ES Projected Impact:

- Increase of ~30 students
- Students changing schools will be assigned to the school closest to them

Midland Park PS (EHS-K) and Pinehurst (1st - 5th) Projected Impact Option 1:

- Net increase of about 40 students between both schools
- Increased walkability for students

Midland Park PS (EHS-K) and Pinehurst (1st - 5th) Projected Impact Option 2:

- Net increase of about 90 students between both schools
- Increased walkability for students

Pepperhill ES Projected Impact Option 1:

- Decrease of about 146 students, creating capacity to serve all 3- and 4-year-olds in Pepperhill's zone
- Removal of trailers ahead of multipurpose room construction and creates space for growth from development

Pepperhill ES Projected Impact Option 2:

- Decrease of about 217 students, creating capacity to serve all 3- and 4-year-olds in Pepperhill's zone and other zones
- Removal of trailers ahead of multipurpose room construction and creates space for growth from development