Here are some community member questions related to the Region 10 facilities referendum on November 3, 2026.

- I'm hearing artificial turf will significantly increase hours available for field usage – Should Item #3 pass, the field usage has the potential for increased athletic usage.
    - While the hours will be available, do we have a demand? Yes, if approved, there will be requests for usage beyond school athletics, and a request process will be developed. Are PE classes not currently meeting objectives due to field limitations? No Are we turning away clinics and camps? We are not aware of requests from outside clinics for the main field. Are our team sports not able to practice regularly? Our team sports utilize all fields on and off our campus.
    - If we have increased usage and more evening games (instead of simultaneous games, one after school and one in the evening) do we need to increase trainer hours? Not necessarily. The game times/locations may change, but the need for a trainer remains the same. Is this increase included in the approved budget? No increased cost at this time.
    - What will increased field time and more community usage due to our insurance costs? Not necessarily. The insurance is not based on field time. Is there a differential for artificial vs natural turf? Not that we are aware of at this time.
- Is the electricity increase included in the budget? No - there is no budget impact at this time and until construction is complete. What do we anticipate the increase to be? To be determined based design and equipment purchased Is it true the lights will be on, at a lower setting, even if the field isn't being utilized so community can use the space? This has never been discussed. This may have planning and zoning implications. What are the estimate time lights will be off? Dependent upon field usage

- What is the plan for community usage? Depending on outcome of referendum - synthetic turf is anticipated for more requests in usage. Of engineered grass - we don't anticipate increased requests for usage I know some towns have locked the gates once installing artificial turf – will our track still be available to the community? Yes - track will still be available to community
- I probably should have led with, what fiscal year do we expect this to take place? If approved, and anticipating no issues, construction (for either field option) is expected to begin in the Summer of 2027 If not this year, and I imagine it's not, how do we secure increased operating costs going forward? This will be built into the operating budget of the appropriate year.
- If the artificial turf is approved, what is the increase in maintenance costs and supplies/equipment? The equipment is included in the referendum number, andmaintenancee costs are expected to be comparable to current costs. Is this outsourced or do we handle this directly? Combination of both Is training needed? Minimal training Is this included in our budget? This will be built into our operating budget.
- Specifically for artificial turf, how do we financially prepare for replacement? Will have to be built into future operating budgets. I believe Newtown just had to close their turf field due to safety and needing replacement. Do we have a mechanism to start saving now? Not until we know what the voters determine
- During construction, what is the anticipated impact on sports and athletes? Depending on the outcome, the impact will vary. For example, synthetic turf will have less of an impact. Whereas, engineered grass will have a greater impact as the field will be offline longer. Will they go without a season and, if so, will our program recover? No - they will not go without a season in any sport. Will we need to rent space from area schools or towns? Not expected. If so, is this considered in the budget? N/A

- There is a lot baked into both #3 and #4. Is there a breakdown of costs – both capital and expense? Field, fence, lights, bleachers, track, ADA, sound system…Please see Referendum Central page for this information
- I'm told the sound system will only be used for football games. Is that accurate? No
- It appears there are true safety concerns related to the track. Do we have a way to address these, outside of this referendum? Yes If not, are our athletes at risk and at what time do we need to close our track? N/A If we address the track issues, are we required to address ADA concerns at that time? No
- If safety is our number 1 concern, why would we not want #4? Don't both #3 and #4 address those concerns. This is up to the voters to decide