The Chelsea School District is seeking representatives from the community to help provide input for exploration of potential new bond funding in 2027. This group will be designated the Design Advisory Team (DAT).

Purpose of committee: The DAT exists to engage with the superintendent, district administrators and Board of Education Bond Committee members to provide feedback on bond projects for a potential 2027 bond proposal. Members are expected to actively seek input between meetings and share feedback in a manner that accurately reflects the perspectives of the stakeholder groups they represent. ***The DAT is not a decision-making body***, but rather one that ensures that stakeholder voices are heard throughout the process.

Membership Criteria:

1. Must:
    a. 1) live in district; OR
    b. 2) have children attending CSD; OR
    c. 3) be employed by CSD
2. No more than one individual from the same household may serve on the DAT
3. Because continuity of participation is important, members should plan to attend all meetings, which include the following:
    a. December 2026 (1) (Dec 8, 2026 @6pm-8pm; Media Center - CHS)
    b. January 2027 (2) (Jan 5 & Jan 19, 2027 @6-8pm; Loc TBD)
    c. February 2027 (1) (Feb 16, 2027 @6-8pm; Loc TBD)
    d. March 2027 (1) (Mar 9, 2027 @6-8pm; Loc TBD)
4. Must commit to 2 field trips to visit locations around the district in January & February.
5. **Interested non district employees must submit letter of interest by November 19, 2026 outlining:**
    a. Their interest in serving
    b. Relevant qualifications
    c. What stakeholder group(s) they are representing (K-2 parent/guardian /guardian, etc.) Participants may represent up to two or more stakeholder groups – for example if they are a parent/guardian of a K-2 student AND a special ed student, you may represent both. Participants may not represent more than two stakeholder groups.
    d. How they meet membership requirements
    e. Identify how you plan on obtaining feedback from the group you represent
6. **Letters should be submitted to bstarkey@chelseaschools.org no later than 3pm, November 19th, 2026.**

Committee Members Sought:

1) Y5-2 (North Creek Elementary) parent/guardian
2) 3-5 parent/guardian (South Meadows Elementary) parent/guardian
3) 6-8 (Beach Middle School) parent/guardian
4) 9-12 (Chelsea High School) parent/guardian
5) Student representative (two reps) (Beach Middle School or Chelsea High School)
6) Special Education parent/guardian
7) Preschool parent/guardian
8) Representative from Aquatic Community
9) Representative from Drama/Music Community
10) Representative from Athletics Community
11) At Large Community Member
12) Small Business Owner in District
13) City Council representative and/or elected township trustee

Committee Member Expectations

1. Member will review all materials ahead of meeting to be prepared to discuss and provide feedback
2. Member shall be courteous and respectful other members
3. Member will actively seek feedback from their stakeholder group to bring to meeting
4. Member must attend all meetings and field trips in person