Community Engagement

April 6, 2021

Agenda Review

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9. Thank You

Welcome + Introductions

Rules of Engagement

- Be aware of your audio and video settings.
- Mute your audio when not speaking.
- To speak use the, "raise hand" feature.
- Allow the moderator to give you the floor.
- Lower your hand when finished speaking.
- Utilize the chat function to submit any questions.

Allocation of School Site
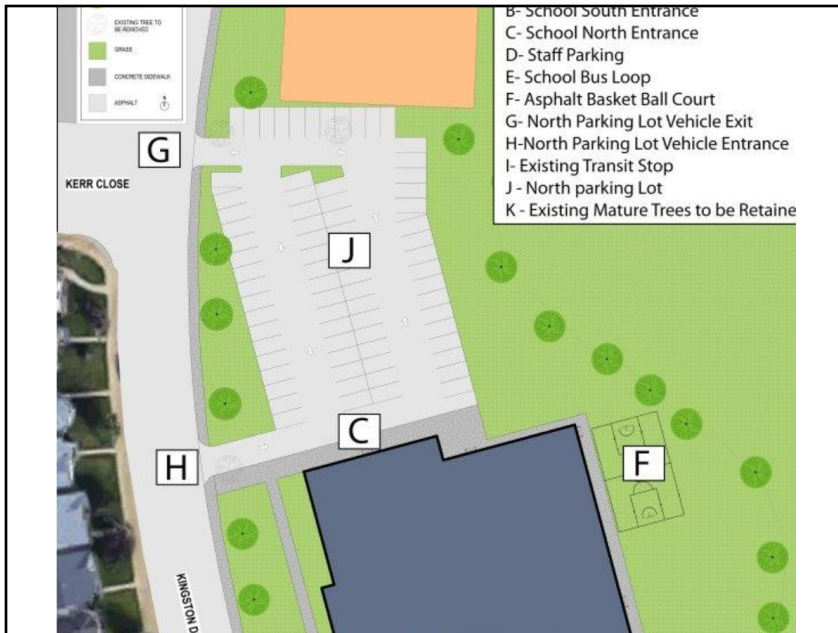

Why this site?

- Currently there is no Red Deer Catholic middle school on the north end of Red Deer that follows a traditional calendar.

- We are busing over 250 students from the north Red Deer communities to St. Thomas.

- There is planned future growth in the City of Red Deer in the north.

- This site provided greater physical separation from existing middle schools.

St. Lorenzo School Facts

- The school will be a two storey design to accommodate 700 middle school students.
- The school is planned to follow a traditional school year and will operate as a closed campus.
- The school site will provide parking lots to staff and visitors ,with a potential student drop-off lane within the visitor parking lot.
- The current playground and skating rink will be retained on site, and the retention pond will not be altered.
- Additional playground space is intended to be installed, including a proposed basketball pad.
- Red Deer Catholic Regional Schools will provide the opportunity for user groups to rent the facility after hours and on weekends.
- Construction is expected to start later this Fall 2021, with the school opening September 2023.

Design Review

LEGEND - SITE

- EXISTING TREE TO REMAIN
- EXISTING TREE TO BE REMOVED
- GRASS
- CONCRETE SIDEWALK
- ASPHALT

A- Main School Entrance
B- School South Entrance
C- School North Entrance
D- Staff Parking
E- School Bus Loop
F- Asphalt Basket Ball Court
G- North Parking Lot Vehicle Exit
H- North Parking Lot Vehicle Entrance
I- Existing Transit Stop
J - North parking Lot
K - Existing Mature Trees to be Retained

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KINGSTON DRIVE

KELLY STREET

St Lorenzo Ruiz
Middle School

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Site Highlights

- Spaces to be maintained:
  - Storm retention pond.
  - Playground.
  - Skating rink.
  - Treed areas.
- Bus drop-off on site.
- 84 parking stalls.
- Additional basketball court.
- 3 school entrances.

Breakout Session +
Report Out