

-Committee Meeting 3-

Middle School Rezoning Study

November 14, 2018

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Meeting Objectives

1. To review new information and DRAFT Options 5
2. To work to narrow focus to 2 or 3 options for the Public Information Session

Review of Timeline

Process & Timeline for Rezoning Study					
	Sept. '18	Oct. '18	Nov. '18	Dec. '18	Jan. '19
<i>Redistricting Criteria/ Guideline Development</i>					
Rezoning Study					
<i>Data Collection</i>					
<i>Data Analysis/ Assimilation</i>					
<i>Internal Logistics Planning with district</i>					
<i>Background Report Development</i>					
<i>Baseline Options Development</i>					
<i>Public Information Session #1: Present Project Process, Criteria, Timeline, and Realignment Objectives to Community. Information meeting to public, without public comments.</i>		10/10			
<u>Committee Meeting 1</u> <i>- Orientation, Review Background Data, Introduce Baseline Options</i>		10/11			
<u>Committee Meeting 2</u> <i>- Options Development</i>		10/24			
<u>Committee Meeting 3</u> <i>- Options Development, Prepare for Public Information Session #2</i>			11/14		
<i>Public Information Session #2: Present Preliminary Realignment Options to Community for Comment/Feedback</i>			11/28		
<u>Committee Meeting 4</u> <i>- Review public input, modify options</i>				12/12	
<u>Committee Meeting 5</u> <i>- Finalize Recommendations & Prepare for Board Presentation</i>					1/8
<i>Presentation of Final Recommendations to the Board of Education</i>					1/15

We are here

Updates Since Last Meeting

1. Per the request from the committee, a projection has been provided for 2019-20.
 - a) The projection counts the current 2018-19 5-7th grade students in each option.
 - b) The 6-8 grade counts are also provided, and referred to as 'estimates'.
 - c) The demographics, impacts, and feeder pattern tables are all still using the 6-8th grade cohort.

2. Race and Ethnicity statistics have been expanded.
 - a) Race is now being shown in 6 groups. (Black, White, American Indian/ Alaskan Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander, and Two or More Races)
 - b) Hispanic and Non-Hispanic percentages are now shown separately from Race.

3. Planning blocks have been further refined per committee input.
 - a) Additional block created along the Rt. 11 corridor

4. General comments from the public have been received, and provided to the committee for their benefit.

5. One (1) additional DRAFT option has been developed for your review and input, based on feedback from the committee.

Review of DRAFT Options

Remember that everything is considered
DRAFT!

- Nothing is written in stone
- Existing DRAFT options are subject to change
- New options can/will be created

*Focus isn't on picking the best solution YET, but to
openly explore the various options to present to the
public for feedback*

Review of DRAFT Options

DRAFT options are presented to you this evening

- Committee has 8.5x11 maps, as well as plots of maps for review
- Option maps are now available on interactive map (www.croppermap.com/fcpsva)
- Copies of the handouts, including small and large format maps are now posted on the FCPS Rezoning webpage.

Review of DRAFT Options

Review Objectives and Criteria

- Understand how DRAFT options support the rezoning study objectives and criteria.
- Examine ways to improve alignment with rezoning study objectives and criteria.

Review of DRAFT Options

Interactive review of DRAFT Option 5

- Review of boundaries via online interactive map.
- Review of statistics in Meeting 3 Options Analysis Handout.

Review of DRAFT Options

Sticker Exercise

- The committee will perform a consensus building exercise called a sticker exercise.
- The purpose of this exercise is to determine if there is consensus on a smaller number of options that can be presented to the public at the upcoming Public Information Session
- The outcome of this exercise will help to identify common thoughts among committee members on options that best meet the objectives and criteria
- It is possible that the exercise could be performed 2 times to arrive at a suitable set of options to take to the public

Review of DRAFT Options

- Committee members independently review materials and select 2 DRAFT options that **BEST** meets the study objectives and criteria.
 - Each member will be given 2 stickers
 - Each member should place only one sticker per option
- After about 30 minutes, the group will discuss the results and determine
 - Any options that should be removed from consideration
 - Possible changes to current options to improve their effectiveness

Public Info Session

Public Information Session Logistics

- Located at Frederick Middle School on 11/28 from 6:30-8:30pm
- The meeting will start with a PowerPoint presentation to orient the public on the process and work done to date.
- Following the PowerPoint, the public will be invited to view large plot maps of the DRAFT options.
 - Several copies will be arranged in the cafeteria to avoid bottleneck.
 - Statistics that the committee has evaluated will also be presented along with the maps.

**Next Meeting is the Public Information
Session on Wednesday, November 28th.**

6:30pm @ Frederick County Middle School