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Meeting Notes

From Tonie Esteban Date February 18, 2014

Project Franklin HS Modernization Project No. 13-023

Subject Design Advisory Group (DAG) #9

DOWA-IBI Offices

February 18, 2014 5:00 - 7:00 PM

INVITEES

(Attendees in Bold)

Project Team Design Advisory Group (DAG)

Debbie Pearson, PPS OSM

CJ Sylvester, PPS OSM Jim Owens, PPS OSM

Rolando Aquilizan, PPS OSM

Jenn Sohm, PPS OSM John Wilhelmi, PPS OSM

David Mayne, PPS Communications

Kimm Fox-Middleton, PPS Communications

Karina Ruiz, DOWA-IBI Group Steve Olson, DOWA-IBI Group Marc Nordean, DOWA-IBI Group

Tonie Esteban, DOWA-IBI Group

Shay James, FHS Principal

Marshall Haskins, FHS Vice Principal Ivonne Diblee, FHS Vice Principal Dennis Joule, FHS Vice Principal

Steve Mathews, FHS Business Manager

Greg Belisle, School Board Representative Leigh Brown, SPED Representative Maria Carlsen, Student Representative

Joyce Gago, Community Representative

Jeff Hammond, Neighbor & Local Business Rep

Roger Kirchner, Parent Representative

Pam Knuth, FHS Alumni President

Heidi Leineweber, Teacher Representative Amber McGill, SUN School Representative Dana Vinger, Teacher Representative Lisa Zuniga, Parent Representative

Tom Peterson, Bond Accountability Committee Kevin Spellman, Bond Accountability Comm

3 Members of the Public

SUMMARY

The following is a brief summary of the discussions that took place at this meeting. Action items will be specifically noted.

Karina Ruiz shared a video of the PPS Board of Education meeting 2/3/14 review of Ed Spec

- Lisa requested that the video be shared with the group.
 - Karina response: it will be included in the meeting record
 - Here is the link to the 2/3/14 Board Meeting: http://youtu.be/kJOki4zjctk
- Roger stated ED Spec Group has been working for over 18 months and is comprised of students, staff, faculty and community members.
- Comment regarding concept of "portability" of teachers stated in video



- Heidi comment: Feels that the teachers have not been given enough time to respond to the new design.
 - o Karina/Debbie response: Throughout the Long Range Facilities Planning and Ed Specs / Visioning processes, several meetings and focus groups occurred with the public to discuss the new model. All of this discussion was about comprehensive high schools across the District and not specifically those issues at FHS. Karina stated that it was critical to review the context of those discussions for applicability to the Franklin community. Focus groups have also occurred with staff at the school.
 - Roger stated that several faculty members don't attend faculty meetings or their respective focus group meeting.
 - Steve reiterated that the opportunity for input has not passed. It will continue through this phase and through the subsequent phases.

Karina shared slide presentation of progress to date (see attached):

- Enhanced Electives / CTE total 18,950 SF see slide
- Site Plan
 - Comment What would the access from the Woodward Street be like?
 - Response You can walk through the east parking lot. There is also a pedestrian walkway that begins at the north end of the gym and runs along the west side of the gym.
- Review of floor plans
 - Comment Will there be any natural light into the classrooms in the basement level of the existing east and west wings?
 - Response Yes, there are existing light wells. Goals is that normally occupied areas will have natural daylight.
- Historic Contextualism
 - Maintaining datums and vocabulary of the existing building and applying that vocabulary to the new buildings.
 - Design is to make the new building work in concert and act as a complement to the existing architecture.
 - In plan, we are proposing to extend the geometry of the existing building in the new wings

Mark walked through the 3D Model -

- Proportions of the existing window openings to be similar in the new addition areas.
- Comment Why does the new addition not have the same roof shape?
 - o Response the design tries to create a separation between the old and the new, while still respecting some of the existing horizontal datums in the existing design.
- Performing Arts Wing and Student Commons wing similar vocabulary
- CTE/Shop spaces with Art Classrooms on 2nd Floor
- Gymnasium Building walkway on the east, broken up into (2) buildings
- Comment What is the utility easement
 - Response it is the main sewer line for the adjacent neighborhood and we can not build structures over this easement.
- Comment Are there covered student areas on the exterior?
 - o There are courtyards but they aren't covered. There are areas on the perimeter of the building that have deep overhangs for coverage.

Karina presented identified Partner Spaces – see attached presentation

- Sun/Step
- Multnomah County Clinic
- Teen Parent

Karina presented identified Community Use Spaces – see attached presentation

- Performing Arts
- CTE/Enhanced Elect PDX professionals come to teach etc.
- Student Commons
- Media Center
- Gym & Associated athletic spaces

General Questions

- Question from Roger Will the training room be used for wrestling? Response: yes.
- Comment from Lisa Really good exterior lights and signage is imperative for safety.
 Response: Yes, exterior lighting along paths will be incorporated.
- Comment from Lisa Will the electronic control gates at parking lot entries be open in early morning for athletic practices. Response: The gate schedule will be developed by the school.
- Question Are there improvements to the softball field?
 - Response Karina described the athletic fields. Also in discussion right now is the future of the field house, as we are discussing options to keep or demolish. Description of the grandstands as shown in the site plan.
- Question Heidi How close are the grandstands to the residents? Response Approximately 40 ft.
- Comment Field House does have some character to it that should be considered.
 - Response This building is being considered as part of a comprehensive review of the value of retaining it and issues of cost, functionality, historic significance, etc. will all play a role in the decision.
- Comment Will this be a LEED certified project?
 - Response The District has identified an aspirational goal of achieving LEED Gold for this project.
- Question: Can the team send list of resources to describe what the educational model/pedagogical ideas that the building is designing to.
 - Response The Educational Visioning document can be found here: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/bond/8767.htm
- Question: Are there examples of buildings that use this model that are available?
 - Response The district is compiling examples of this model and will John Wilhelmi will disseminate it to the group.
- Question from Lisa: How will custodians feel about the new building?
 - Response: Goal is to create spaces and use materials that do not require heavy/expensive maintenance.
- Question: Where are lockers? Where are spaces for students?
 - Response: Karina indicated that the location of the lockers has not been fully resolved and reviewed the plan of student study and breakout spaces currently included in the design of the building.
- Karina shared a movie preview of the documentary "If You Build It" as an example of a Maker's Space.
 - Link to the trailer can be found here: http://www.ifyoubuilditmovie.com/
- Question from Lisa Have the neighborhoods been kept informed of the process.
 - Response: Karina described that the team has met with each of the surrounding neighborhood associations to review the process and plan development. We will continue to engage these groups as the project develops. We will also work with direct neighbors as the project develops to keep them informed about the process.
- Comment A concern was expressed about being sensitive to the views of the building from 52nd and Woodward?

 Response: Design team is trying to be sensitive to the neighbors especially at tallest point (50 ft fly loft), while ensuring that the performing arts building remains a beacon for the school.

Next Steps:

- The group again expressed a desire to have someone from PPS Teaching and Learning come to the DAG to discuss the instructional model. While they appreciate the design team's efforts to work within this model, they want to better understand how it was developed and only someone from PPS can provide this background.
- There is a Community Design Workshop scheduled for Saturday, March 8, 2014. Due to the potential strike, this meeting was scheduled to held offsite from Franklin HS. It is currently scheduled to be held at TaborSpace. PPS Communications will be sending out confirmations of this information to the community in advance of the workshop.

These meeting notes are a record. If there are any errors and/or omissions in the foregoing notes, please advise our office immediately; otherwise these notes will be considered correct and complete as written.

Submitted by,

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REIMAGINING FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL









DAG MEETING FEBRUARY 18, 2014

- 1. Teaching & Learning Input
- 2. Status Update Plans
- 3. Status Update 3d Model
- 4. Community Spaces Discussion







Franklin HS – 1,700 Students

	Linhosen
General Ed Classrooms	57,585 SF
Science & Math Classrooms:	32,547 SF
Enhanced Electives / CTE:	26,150 SF
Fine & Performing Arts:	32,898 SF
Athletics / Sports Medicine:	43,333 SF
Admin & Counseling:	12,608 SF
Media Center / Library:	15,852 SF
Student Center / Commons:	17,465 SF
Partner / Wrap-Around Services:	6,841 SF

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Total Gross Program Area: 245,279 SF







Enhanced Electives / CTE: 18,950 SF

STEM | CTE

(2) Shops

(2) Lecture / Lab Classrooms

Maker Space

3D Printer / CNC

Support Space

Health Science | Biomedical

Science Lab

(2) Health Classrooms

Training Room

Culinary Arts

Culinary Arts Classroom

Law | Constitution | Mock Trail

Courtroom Classroom

Business | Information Technology

Business / Marketing Classroom Digital Media / Journalism CAD / Computer Science 8,900 SF

3,250 SF

2,000 SF

1,500 SF

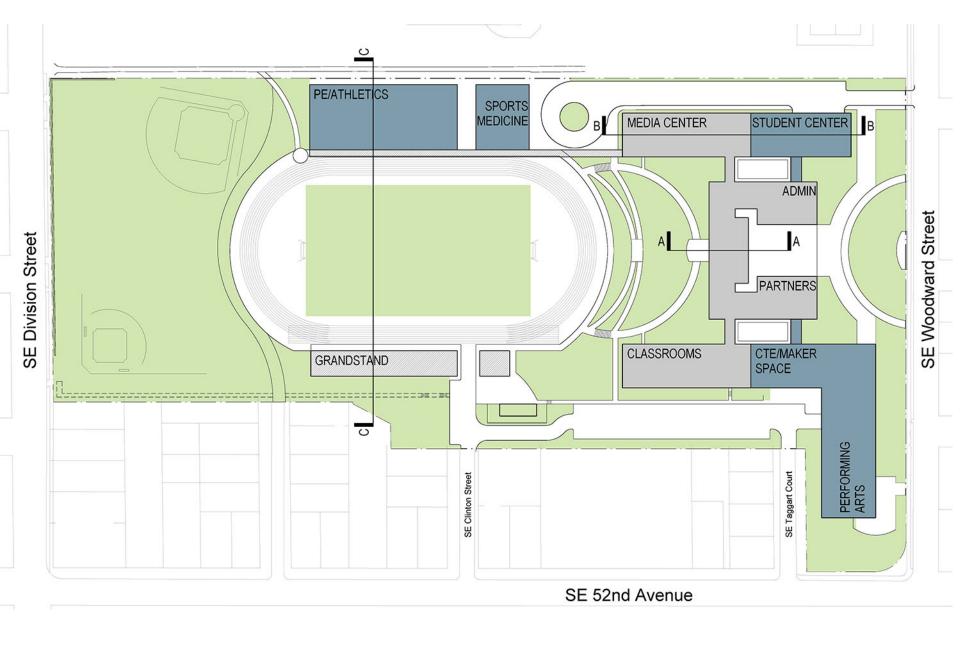
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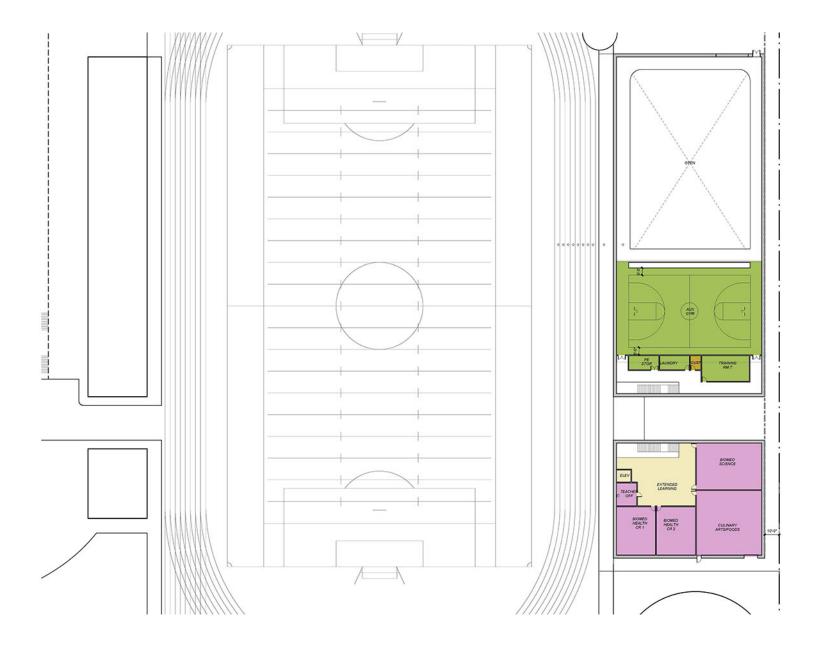
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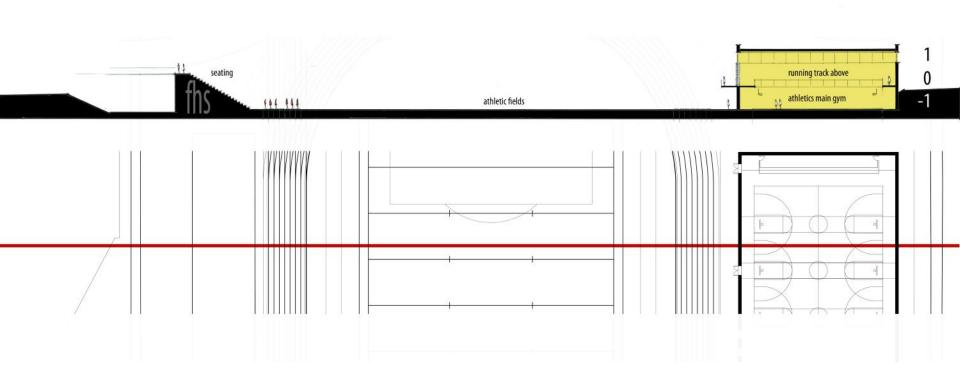
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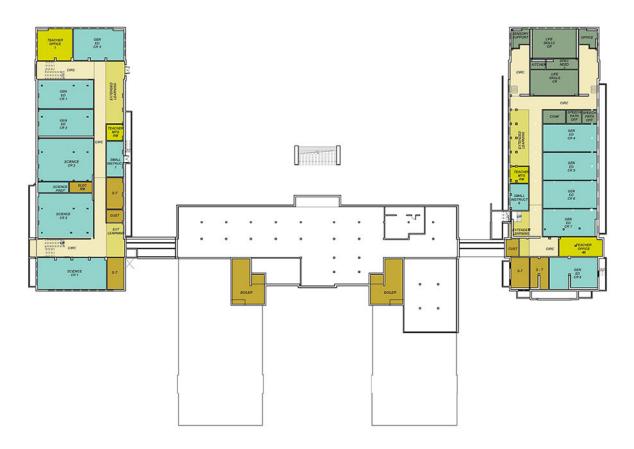
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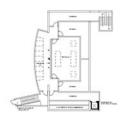


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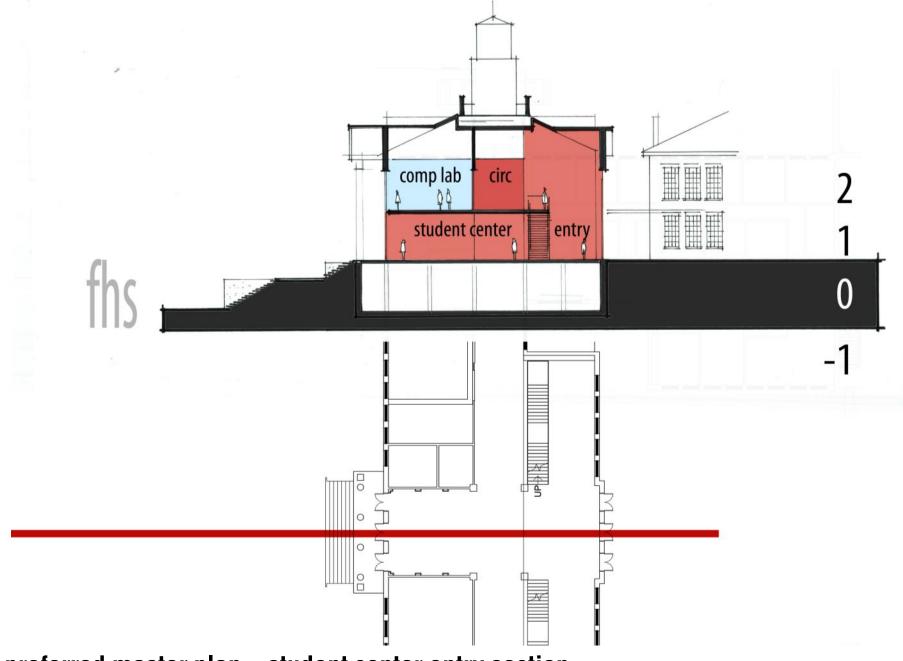




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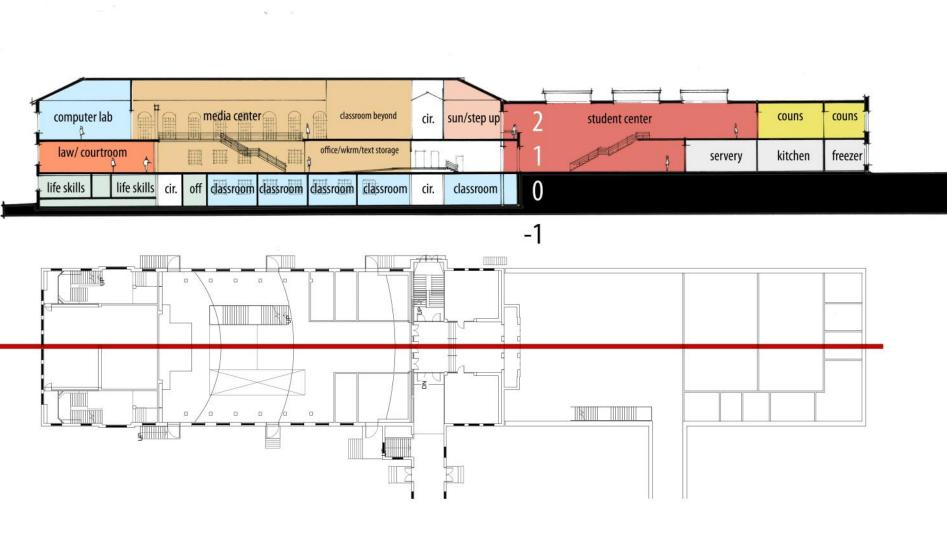
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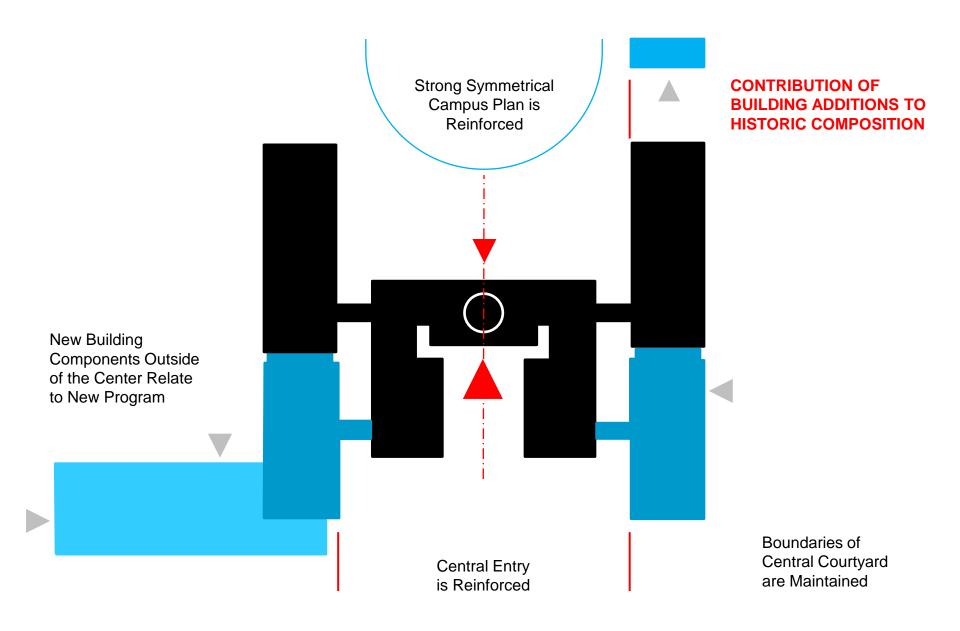
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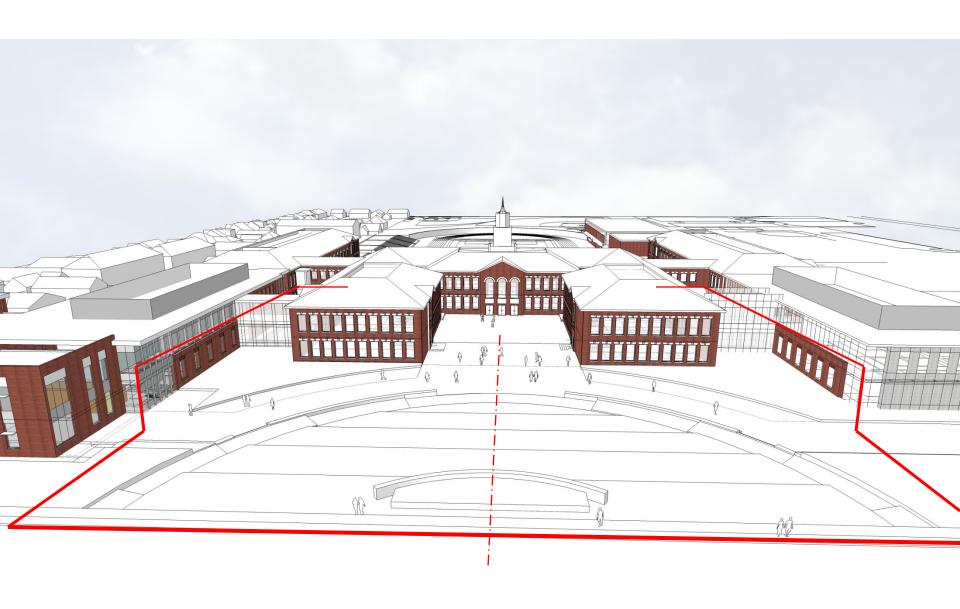
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preferred master plan – scheme C – student center / media center section



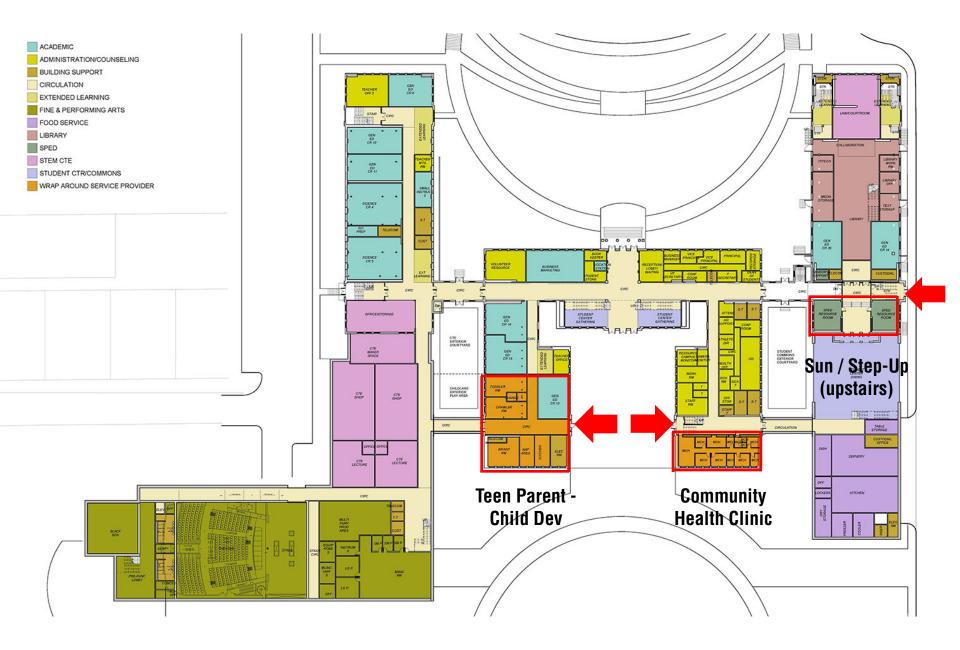
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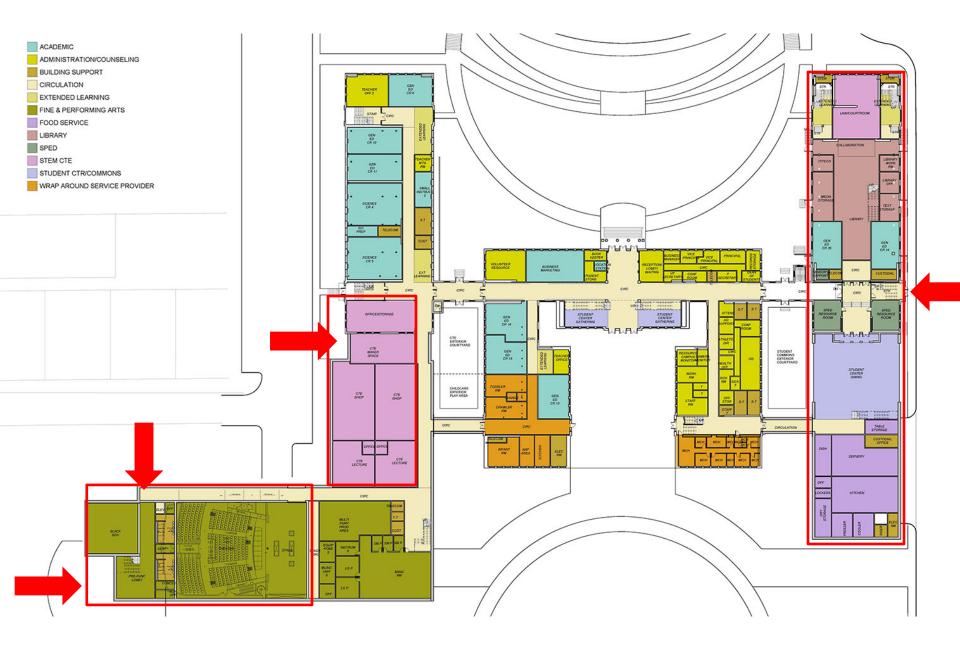
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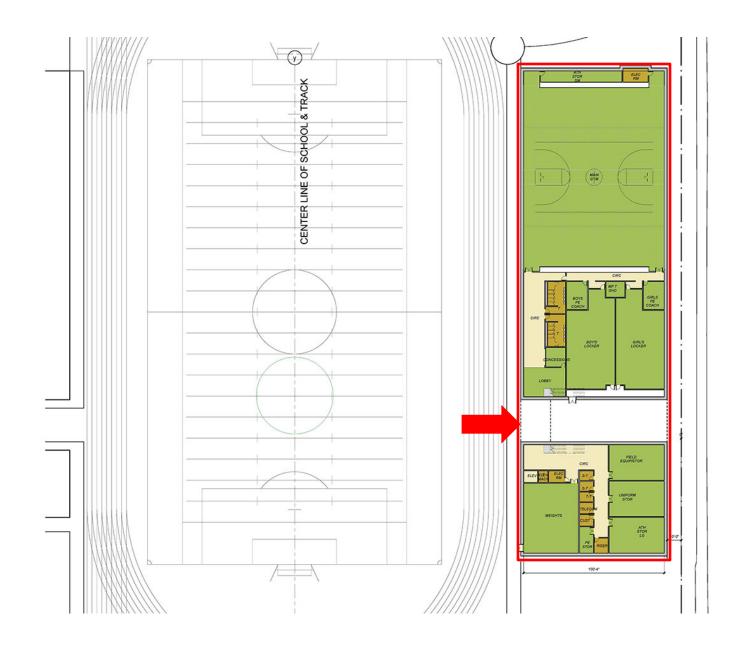
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community services



community spaces



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