

Meeting Minutes
Facilities Master Plan Committee
March 10, 2021 at 6:00 pm

Present: Richard Fitzgerald, Joyce Husseini, Katie Enokian, Lou Gitto, John Marcus, Armando Barbosa
Absent: Seamus Fennessy

Meeting called to order at 6:04 PM

1. Welcome new FMPC member Armando Barbosa - introductions
2. Review of South Elementary SOI status/MSBA meeting updates – walkthrough of South by Dr. Marcus and Ms. Husseini for the MSBA pointing out the facility highlights. Positive feedback. Call from MSBA today looking for input on options for where Stoughton may be heading with the configuration for a new South (enrollment numbers) and possible consolidation of buildings or inclusion of preschool. Senior study virtual visit was the Friday of February vacation.
3. Vision for FMPC – 20 year vision of phasing buildings in a sustainable way. Dr. Marcus presented three phases to the SC that had a vision of three elementary schools, a modern, updated Middle School, and the current High School. Getting there could be starting by consolidating one elementary when building the South, then replacing the OMS (8 to 10 years), combing last of the small elementary schools as an add/reno with either the Dawe or Gibbons. This is a broad conceptual plan and a feasibility plan would help further develop our options. Another issue is where the preschool will end up and under which phase will it be incorporated into another building. Discussion on the suitability of the West/Plain land for building. Also, a discussion of bringing in a facilitator or consultant to assist in brainstorming or development of educational plan to help define the starting point for a feasibility study.
4. Correspondence - none
5. Old/New Business – See consulting discussion above
6. Set meeting dates – March 24, 2021 6:00 PM
7. Acceptance of Minutes – January 7, 2021 and January 25, 2021
8. Motion to adjourn – Motion, Joyce Husseini, Second, Katie Enokian, unanimous

Adjourned 7:26