

Fremont City Schools
DESIGN TEAM MEETING
Thursday, May 21, 2009
4:00 p.m.

Attending:

Renee Bissett

Dave Chambers

Alex Gorobetz

Dr. Traci McCaudy

Scott Miller

Tina Myers

Brent Parker

Michaeleen Rogers

Dave Saller

Cheryl Schell

Curt South

Dr. Kim Theller

Cindy Young

1. An addition to the May 7 meeting minutes: The main entrance design will be addressed to better identify this entrance in relation to the 3-story academic wing, cul-de-sac and sidewalks.
2. Curt stated that there is a full complement of engineers and designers now on the project. He met last week for two days with FMS teachers on classroom design. He will be meeting again with teachers next week.
3. The main focus of the meeting was to address the main entrance. Three schemes were presented:
 - a. Option 1: entrance as previously shown;
 - b. Option #2: entrance at angle; clinic and guidance offices with the administrative office area and the stage at an angle.
 - c. Option 3: entrance location changed to the east side of the building, entering next to the gymnasium (connection to the high school with a straight walk-way).
4. Discussion was held on the options presented:
 - a. Liked the idea of the clinic, but not necessarily the guidance office, in the same location as the administrative offices so students would not feel uncomfortable going to the guidance offices (separate entrance?).
 - b. Trophy cases – recessed into a cafeteria wall?
 - c. Could the roof line on Option 2 be angled differently?
 - d. Concern of a walk-through area in the reception area.

e. Question as to whether the 3-story academic wing could be placed on the north end of the building. One issue with considering this would be day lighting and LEED points we are pursuing on the project.

f. Could the entry doors be brought out further from the building? This would add square footage.

5. It was decided that Option #2 would continue to be developed.

6. Day lighting: classrooms will have side-lit day lighting. Tech ed and music rooms will also have side lighting. Discussion was held on what areas to consider roof monitors. It was decided to pursue roof monitors for the two art rooms, gymnasium and one just beyond the entrance doors, before the cafeteria.

7. Interior materials and color will be considered during three meetings over the summer. Volunteers for this sub-committee are Renee Bissett, Alex Gorobetz, Scott Miller, Tina Myers, Michaeleen Rogers, and Kim Theller.

8. Weekly Design Team meetings will now end for the summer months; one meeting will be scheduled in each June and July; members will be notified by e-mail of the exact date and time.

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