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## **MTSD Invites Community Engagement in Facilities Planning**

*Workshops scheduled to gather community input*

MEQUON, Wis. — The Mequon-Thiensville School District is in the initial stages of developing a long-range vision for its facilities, a process the district is calling “A Framework for Our Future.”

“Our goal is to ensure that we are planning strategically for the future, and allocating resources appropriately to achieve that vision,” said Matthew Joynt, superintendent of schools.

The process includes establishing common priorities in modern learning environments, enrollment and growth, safety and security, community use and recreation, athletics, and maintenance.

“The strategic framework will go beyond just facility needs—such as building capacity and environments,” said Joynt. “We’ll also be working to identify creative funding opportunities so that interested community partners can support special projects that will enhance the educational and recreational experience of our students and the community.”

MTSD has partnered with Eppstein Uhen Architects to help facilitate the development of this all-encompassing 10-year framework that aligns the district’s current reality, impending forecasts, strategic direction, and the community’s priorities. EUA has a proven track record in long-range planning in 4K-12 education.

Public engagement is essential in a process such as this. Community workshops have been planned in order to share information with community members about this project, and gather feedback to inform the long-range framework that will guide facilities work going forward.

Mequon-Thiensville community members are invited and encouraged to attend one of the following Framework for Our Future workshops:

- Thursday, April 4 at 10 a.m.
- Tuesday, April 9 at 3 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 9 at 6 p.m.

Workshops will be held at Range Line School located at 11040 N. Range Line Road. Learn more and RSVP at [www.mtsd.k12.wi.us/framework](http://www.mtsd.k12.wi.us/framework).

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