

CONSTRUCTION OVERVIEW

25 CLASS ROOMS | **2 GYMNASIUM EXPANSIONS**

INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS ACROSS ALL DISTRICT BUILDINGS

Our buildings are aging and in need of important and costly life safety and capital project updates.

Our school district is a destination for students and families.

We've achieved this while remaining one of the most fiscally responsible school districts in Illinois.

The \$75 million referendum would fund a construction plan that would build the space needed for a full day kindergarten program as well as ensure our buildings have the space and are in the condition to continue to support the always growing Arlington Heights community.

For details on the various building infrastructure projects and more information regarding the kindergarten expansion, please visit us at this link:



COMMUNITY FORUMS

Attend to hear more about the referendum.

Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Dryden Elementary School

Tuesday, April 26, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Ivy Hill Elementary School

Wednesday, April 27, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Greenbrier Elementary School

Monday, May 2, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Olive-Mary Stitt Elementary School

Tuesday, May 3, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Patton Elementary School

Wednesday, May 18, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Westgate Elementary School

Thursday, May 19, 2022, 10am - 11:30am
Arlington Heights Memorial Library
Hendrickson Room

Thursday, May 19, 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
Windsor Elementary School

VOTE For ways to vote, early voting, vote by mail, and information on other voting topics, please use this link:



ARLINGTON HEIGHTS SCHOOL DISTRICT 25
1200 South Dunton Ave | Arlington Heights, IL 60005

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Plum Grove
2160 Stonington Ave,
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

JUNE 28 REFERENDUM

District 25 will have a referendum question on the June 28th ballot that would build 25 classrooms to support a full day kindergarten program beginning August 2024, as well as address capital project needs throughout District 25's facilities for future generations of learners.

VOTE



#BUILD25
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WHY DOES DISTRICT 25 NEED A \$75 MILLION REFERENDUM?

FULL DAY KINDERGARTEN

Build 25 classrooms to support full day kindergarten at the neighborhood schools.

Provides significantly lower childcare costs and more opportunities for children from lower income families to receive high quality early education.

Increases opportunities to provide play-based support services that help educate the whole child.

Provides high quality social emotional learning for early learners.

Aligns District 25 with its many neighboring districts who are already offering full day kindergarten. It is important that District 25 offers the same educational opportunities for young learners as the other districts in the area.

Begins in August 2024.

ADDRESS AGING FACILITY NEEDS

Address long term capital projects needed to maintain our facilities for future years.

Our buildings are aging and have infrastructure needs.

We cannot keep paying for our capital projects out of our reserve.

Ensure our buildings remain reliable and functional for the future.

Include system improvements across the district: Life safety improvements, HVAC & Boilers, Electrical, Roofing, Plumbing, Security, Paving, and more!

CAPACITY & LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

Ensure classroom occupancy rates to allow for program flexibility and future growth.

Ensure buildings can absorb future enrollment growth.

Gym expansions at Westgate and Dryden to support building functionality.

Flexibility to adapt learning environments.

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

\$75* MILLION REFERENDUM → **\$25 PER MONTH \$400,000 HOME**

*The \$75 million will provide for the District as we build the necessary space in our buildings to host a full day kindergarten program beginning in the 2024-25 school year. The amount would also provide for the District as we complete capital projects that the various buildings in the District are projected to need over the next five years.

FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY & EFFICIENCY

Arlington Heights School District 25's Department of Business believes in transparency and has respect for the constituents' tax dollars. Our Assistant Superintendent of Business/CSBO, Stacey Mallek, takes her job and the responsibility she has with the funds of our community personally.



BOND RATING AAA

1 of only 91 districts nationwide. Having a AAA rating means lower borrowing costs for the District.



BALANCED OPERATING BUDGET



2ND LOWEST TAX RATE

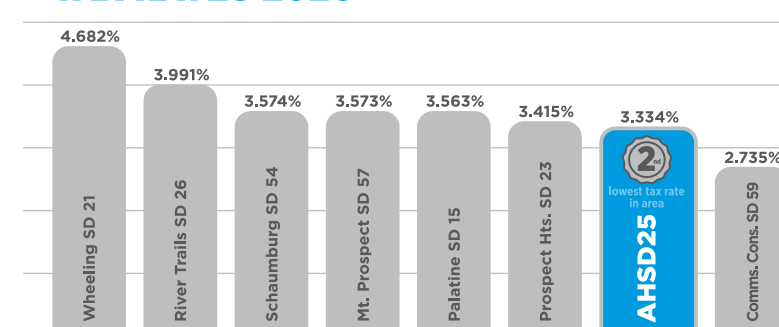
of all neighboring K-8 school districts.



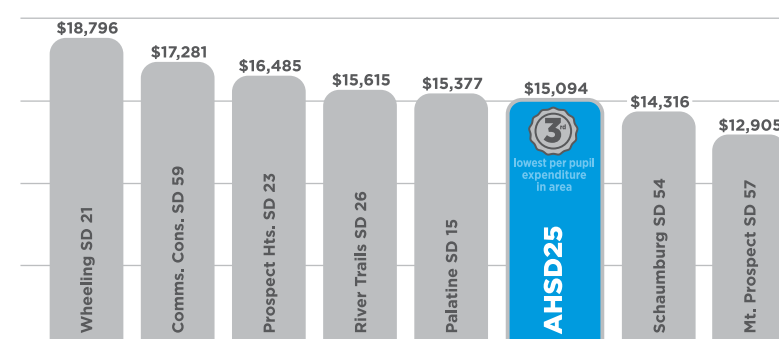
CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE

in financial reporting for 28 straight years. (Association of School Business Officials International)

TAX RATES 2020



OPERATING EXPENSE PER PUPIL



District 25 efficiently and responsibly allocates the District's resources to directly impact the classroom.

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"I was born and raised here and I feel that I have the same values as our community. I feel like District 25 is my home."

- Stacey Mallek, Asst. Supt. Business