



## FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

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Dear MJUSD Community,

The district has made some great progress on facilities projects during the past two years. We recently completed the Arboga campus expansion project, started final plans to construct new classrooms at Mary Covillaud Elementary School, and approved an architectural firm to design a new running track and field for Lindhurst and Marysville high schools.

On Monday, November 14, we moved forward with another key project during a special Board of Trustees meeting – the modernization of Foothill Intermediate School.

In a presentation about the project, Ms. Jennifer Passaglia, Assistant Superintendent of Business Services, said the Board approved \$12 million in August 2021 for a construction plan at Foothill to include a new building with administrative offices and a new lab. However, this past year, a district team has developed another plan focused on modernizing the existing structure.

During the meeting, PBK architects presented two new plan options to the Board – Plan 1A, modernization of the existing building at an estimated cost of \$12.8 million; and Plan 1B, with recommendations for a new roof, upgraded gym, kitchen, and landscaping, at an additional price of approximately \$5 million.

The Board voted unanimously to approve Plan 1A and also approved additional funds for items that the district will select from Plan 1B. The total approved amount for the Foothill project is \$15 million.

After the design phase of the project is complete, the District will select a contractor to begin construction which is estimated to start in December 2023. More updates to come as this project moves forward.

Have a safe Fall Recess and a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fal Asrani".

Fal Asrani, Ed.D.  
Superintendent