



Monroeville Local Schools

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Dear Monroeville Resident,

We hope this finds you well. We felt it was necessary to inform you of a project that the Athletic Boosters will be undertaking with the support of the school district. As you may be aware, the district owns a tract of land near your property on Route 99. It has long been a vision and hope to develop this property into something that will benefit our students and our community as a whole. This is going to become a reality in the near future with the construction of an all-weather track facility on that property.

The Athletic Boosters have been diligently fundraising for several years to get a start on the funds needed for this project. This fall, the Boosters approached the district with the idea to partner on this project. The district, like most other school districts, has received ESSER (Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief) funds from the federal government as part of COVID-19 pandemic relief. These funds have some very specific rules and requirements about how they can be spent, so after doing a great deal of research, we are able to apply some of these funds to the completion of the track project as part of promoting better health and wellness in our students and our community.

We wanted to provide you with any information that you may need about the project. A professional surveyor will be coming to complete a current survey on the property and develop an engineering plan for the site. The Boosters hope to begin breaking ground on the project this fall. Most of the work will be donated and volunteer-based. The timeline for completion is anywhere from one to two years out.

We are excited about this project and the benefits that it will bring to our students and community as a whole. We appreciate your understanding and patience throughout the duration of the project. Please feel free to contact me at the Board of Education at any time if you have additional questions or concerns. Thank you and go Eagles!

Sincerely,

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