

**Amherst Central School District
Smart Schools Bond Act Committee Meeting
AGENDA**

Date: November 6, 2019

Time: 4:00 P.M.

Location: District Office Conference Room, Amherst Middle School, 55 Kings Hwy.

1. Welcome and sign in
2. Review community feedback
 - a. Emails received after first committee meeting - two (2)
 - b. Responses from website posting - NONE
 - c. Discussions/Questions from Public Hearing - NONE
3. Discuss and review Final SSIP
4. Timeline
 - a. 9/3/19 - Initial presentation to the BOE
 - b. 9/25/19 - Committee meeting to discuss and review Preliminary SSIP
 - c. 10/1/19 - BOE approval of Preliminary SSIP
 - d. 10/2-11/4/19 - Public comment period, minimum thirty days
 - e. 11/5/19 - Public Hearing on Preliminary SSIP
 - f. 11/6/19 - Committee meeting to discuss and review Final SSIP
 - g. 11/19/19 - BOE approval of Final SSIP**
 - h. 11/20/19 - Submit Final SSIP to NYSED for review and approval**
5. Round table
6. Thank you for participating and serving on our committee!



Christ the King School * 2 Lamarck Drive, Snyder, NY 14226 * 716-839-0473

October 16, 2019

Laura Bosinski
School Business Administrator
Amherst Central School District
55 Kings Highway
Amherst, NY 14226

Dear Laura,

Thank you for your thorough presentation of the anticipated spending for Amherst Central School District with the available Smart Schools Bond dollars. We would like to propose that the remaining funds be used to purchase devices for students. While we understand that using the totality of the funds for that purpose is impractical due to the subsequent need to replace those devices in the future, the remaining funds are within a normal spending amount and would benefit all of the students in the district – not just those at the public schools.

The District expressed a need for funds totaling about \$635,000 for upgrades to security equipment, the cost of which is expanded to a conservative estimate of 1.25 times that amount to come up with a total project cost of roughly \$800,000. The District was given an allocation of \$1.043 million. If we subtract this project cost, we are left with \$224,000 that is not yet dedicated. Given that there are roughly 2900 students at Amherst Schools, 200 students at Christ the King, 200 students at St. Benedict's and 300 students at Park School, the remainder equates to about \$67.50 per student.

As a small school with limited resources at our disposal, \$13,500 would mean a lot to us and our ability to purchase devices for our students. We respectfully request that you consider this proposal.

Thank you for your consideration.

God Bless You,

Maria Wangler
Smart Schools Bond Committee Member
Vice Principal, Christ the King School

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Bosinski, Laura <lbosinski@amherstschoools.org>

hello

2 messages

MaryAlice Bagwell <mabagwell@saintbenedicts.com>
To: "Bosinski, Laura" <lbosinski@amherstschoools.org>

Thu, Sep 26, 2019 at 11:29 AM

Hi Laura,
I just wanted to let you know that while I am disappointed about the fact that the non-pubs will not benefit from the Smart School Bond, the principal in me is completely behind the idea to use the money to make children safer.

MaryAlice Bagwell
Principal
St. Benedict School
835-2518
"A heart at peace gives life to the whole body."

Amherst CSD
Smart School Bond Act
SSIP Final Meeting

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Name	Role	Signature
Jeanne Ernst	School Board of Education Member	<i>Jeanne Ernst</i>
Mark Smith	School Board of Education Member	<i>Mark Smith</i>
Laura Bosinski	School Business Administrator	<i>Laura Bosinski</i>
Mark Rampado	Director of Facilities	unable to attend
Michael Belle-Isle	Director of Safety	<i>Michael Belle-Isle</i>
Brandon Watson	Technology Network Manager	unable to attend
Greg Pigeon	HS Administrator	<i>Greg Pigeon</i>
Keith Crombie	MS Administrator	unable to attend
Rich Crozier	SDS Administrator	unable to attend
Julie Flanagan	WBS Administrator	unable to attend
Matt Pendrak	HS Teacher	unable to attend
	MS Teacher	unable to attend
Jennifer Higgins	SDS Teacher	unable to attend
Brian Davis	WBS Teacher	unable to attend
Trinity Elliott	HS Student, Grade 12	unable to attend
Emanuel Francisco	HS Student, Grade 12	unable to attend
Collin Olkowski	HS Student, Grade 11	unable to attend
Jamie Johnson	Parent/Community Member	<i>Jamie Johnson</i>
MaryAlice Bagwell	St. Benedict's Administrator	unable to attend
Christian Riso	St. Benedict's Representative	<i>Christian Riso</i>
Kennedy Schultz	Park School Administrator	unable to attend
Jennifer Demert	Sacred Heart Administrator	unable to attend
Maria Wangler	Christ the King Administrator	<i>Maria Wangler</i>
Jim Hickey	Young & Wright	<i>Jim Hickey</i>
Mike Richards	ME Engineering	<i>Mike Richards</i>
Carlo Zavatti	Turner Construction	unable to attend