### **Eastmont School District**

Bond Proposal - April 23, 2024



## Results from February 2024 Election



This is a re-run of the bond on the February ballot, which reached 59.5% approval, but must receive 60% voter approval for passage.



## Pop Quiz!

- How many portable classrooms will be replaced? 15 Classrooms (~375 students)
- 2. What is the oldest school in Eastmont? Bonus: When was it built?

Rock Island Elem. 1937

- 3. How many exterior doors are located at Cascade, Kenroy, and Lee combined? 162
- 4. What percent of our eligible community members are registered to vote?



# Register To Vote!

#### Register to vote/ Check if you are registered.



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## November 22, 2022

#### \$185 Million Bond Proposal -

- Cascade Elementary
- Kenroy Elementary
- Lee Elementary
- Rock Island Elementary
- Sterling Addition (Portable Replacement)
- Transportation Center
- Athletics
- Safety

In November 2022, nearly 52% voted Yes, but not the required 60% supermajority.



## You Spoke, We Listened



- Engaged nearly 900 citizens in receiving feedback.
- Two different opportunities for input.
- School Board approved the use of grant and reserve funds for immediate student safety issues.



## Then and Now

#### **2022 Bond Proposal:** \$185 Million

- Cascade Elementary
- Kenroy Elementary
- Lee Elementary
- Rock Island Elementary
- Sterling Addition (Portable Replacement)
- Transportation Center
- Athletics
- Safety

#### 2024 Bond Proposal: \$117.1 Million

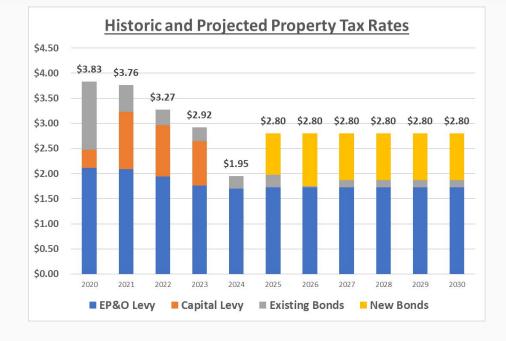
- Cascade Elementary
- Kenroy Elementary
- Lee Elementary
- Rock Island Elementary (Partial)
- Safety

\$67.9 Million Reduction and...



## No Rate Increase from 2023

What is the total cost of Eastmont School District Bonds and Levies?					
Year	EP&O Levy	Capital Levy	Previous Bond	2024 Bond	Total Combined Tax Rate
2023	\$1.75	\$0.89	\$0.28		\$2.92
2025	\$1.80		\$0.26	\$0.86	\$2.92
	I	I	Tax rates are		\$1,000 of Assessed





## Added Features

- Citizens Bond Oversight
   Committee
- Attention to local contractors via Board Policy and in-person support

This money stays in our community to support Eastmont kids with safer schools and modernized learning environments.



## Values Driven Legacy

- Transparency
- Vulnerability
- Honesty
- Community Engagement
- Value of our Local Community





## Why Now?

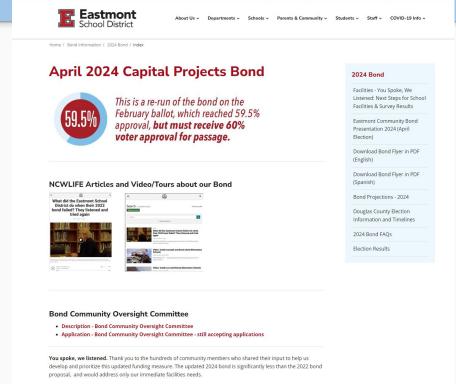


- Safety
- Age of our Schools/Wear & Tear
- Association of General Contractors state "Material costs year-to-year rose on the average of 20%"
- State Match of at least \$27 million



## For More Information

https://www.eastmont206.org/bond-information/2024-bond/index





## Please Vote!

Ballots are due April 23, 2024.

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