Arlington Local School District

New Building Update - May 18, 2023

On May 12, we interviewed the three architect firms who were selected to the "short list" by the district and the Ohio Facilities Construction Commission (OFCC). This was the final step in the process of selecting an architect for our project. The district and representatives of the OFCC interviewed the GPD Group (Columbus, OH), Lesko Associates, Inc. (Cleveland, OH), and Fanning/Howey, Inc. (Celina, OH) where the firms made presentations regarding our building and campus and what they could bring to the project. The interview process took a little over five hours.

On May 16<sup>th</sup>, the OFCC announced the selected architect. We will be working with Fanning/Howey as the architect/engineer on our new building project.

Our next step will be to select a CMR or Construction Manager at Risk who will be responsible for the actual construction of the building. We will have a short list of CMRs the week of May 22. CMRs will come for a preliminary meeting in mid-June and the interviews will take place in late June.