

Veteran Park Academy for the Arts expansion/merger project

Community Engagement



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Goal

- **Receive feedback and build consensus among community stakeholders regarding the VPAA expansion/merger project.**



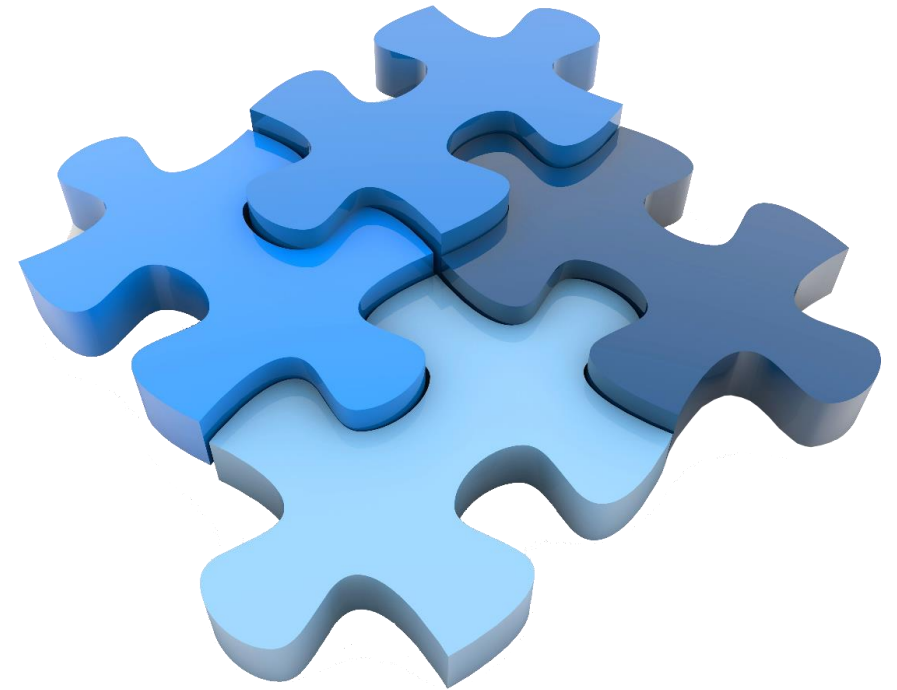
Current Status

- **Contract negotiation with Architect, CM, Building Official**
- **District meetings**
 - **Topic considerations: capacity arrangements, construction timeline, K-8/mega-school/seperate schools models, portables**



Public Input Process

- **VPAA Staff & Parents**
- **Lehigh Community**
- **Community Vision workshop**
 - **Tuesday, March 30, VPAA Star Cafe**
 - **Information**
 - **Options**
 - **Prioritize**



Public Input Components

- **In-person meeting with community stakeholders.**
- **Considerations presented (vision collaboration)**
- **Feedback processed by internal staff**
- **Prioritization of community suggestions**



Public Input Stakeholders

- East Lee Education Cooperative
- Municipal Stakeholders
- Lehigh Acres Community Council
- Lehigh Community Services
- Lehigh Kiwanis Club
- Rotary of Lehigh Acres
- VPAA Parents
- VPAA Staff
- VPAA SAC



Public Input Timeline

- **February 2021**

- Community outreach to inform and invite

- **March 2021**

- Public meeting 3/30 (VPAA Star Cafe)

- **April 2021**

- Bring Feedback from the School Community back to the Board

