Proposal

Improvements are needed to address capacity concerns. There are seven classrooms used for library within Van Hise / Hamilton. Propose to build a centrally located library to serve both schools (much like the centrally located gym). This would allow seven rooms to be converted back to classroom use, while providing a new library area.

Other Information

Very limited support spaces in these schools. Hamilton intra-district transfers in are being monitored.

Principal Comments

“We need this. We must be able to deliver high quality instruction to our students based on their needs, not our limited space.”

“Our current shared building is not sufficient to support close to 1,280 students and numerous staff serving them. The proposed addition will provide the needed space for instructing students with reasonable class sizes, providing intervention, meeting with families and engaging students in technology and literacy learning in a LMC space that meets the standards of today’s expectations for success in life beyond school.”