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West Clermont Board of Education Votes on Master Facilities Plan

CINCINNATI (September 10, 2024) — The West Clermont Board of Education unanimously approved the next steps with the Master Facilities Plan.

The resolution accepts the community advisory team's recommendations and tasks the administration to further study, review, and analyze the following proposal:

- Removing 5th grade from elementary schools and merging it with 6th grade to form a new intermediate school.
- Building this intermediate school next to a new 7th and 8th grade building on the current campus. While these buildings will be connected for efficiency, they will function as separate schools.
- Constructing two new elementary schools one for Holly Hill and one for Merwin plus implementing a plan for preschool.

“We’re thankful to the Community Advisory Team who put in months of work to address aging facilities, overcrowded schools, and inequitable facilities across the district,” said Natasha Adams, Superintendent of West Clermont Schools. “The district leadership team will continue analyzing, studying, and refining the recommendations to determine the educational, operational, and financial impact to our district and best path forward.



The superintendent will present findings and discuss the next steps at the October 15, 2024, board of education meeting.

The district is also hosting several upcoming Blazing New Trails town halls/building tours so you can get involved in the process. This is your chance to tour schools, ask questions, and engage with district leaders.



The graphic features a blue and orange logo with three arrows pointing upwards and the letters 'wc' in the center. The text 'Blazing New Trails' is in a blue serif font above 'Town Halls & Building Tours', which is in a large, bold, blue sans-serif font. Below the main title are three colored boxes: red for September 18, yellow for October 9, and blue for November 14. Each box contains the date, school name, and event times. At the bottom is the West Clermont School District logo.

September 18	October 9	November 14
Holly Hill Elementary	Merwin Elementary	West Clermont Middle
Building Tour - 5:15 p.m. Town Hall - 6:00 p.m.	Building Tour - 5:15 p.m. Town Hall - 6:00 p.m.	Building Tour - 5:15 p.m. Town Hall - 6:00 p.m.

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About West Clermont: West Clermont School District commits to excellence with every learner, every day, and in every way. Its vision is that together as one community, we learn, lead, and succeed. The district believes that together we are ON THE RISE and values strengthening relationships, cultivating innovation, being relentlessly student-centered, and fostering empowerment.

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