

## Project Timeline

2025	2026
<b>VOTE</b> January	Bid/Award February
Design February-July	Construction Begins April
Submit to SED August-January	<b>Construction Complete</b> December

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## VOTER ELIGIBILITY

1. A citizen of the United States.
2. Eighteen (18) years of age.
3. A resident within the District for a period of thirty (30) days preceding the date of the vote.

## ABSENTEE BALLOTS

If you are unable to vote in person on January 14, 2025, you may request an absentee ballot application by contacting the District Clerk, Mary Eadie, at 716.795.3110 or meadie@barkerccd.net.

## Breakdown of Funding

### NO ADDITIONAL LOCAL SCHOOL TAX IMPACT

#### 80.7% State Aid Funding

Budgeted funds for annual capital work will be used for future principal and interest payments.

Bond	\$11,300,000
Capital Reserve Fund	\$2,700,000
<b>Project Total</b>	<b>\$14,000,000</b>

## PUBLIC INFORMATION SESSIONS

01

### Thursday

December 19, 2024

7 pm  
Elementary School Cafetorium

02

### Thursday

January 2, 2025

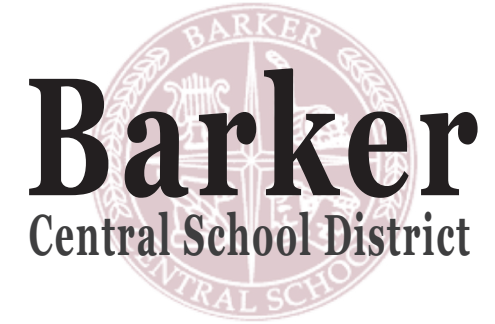
7 pm  
Elementary School Cafetorium

03

### Monday

January 6, 2025

7 pm  
Elementary School Cafetorium



**\$14,000,000**

**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT  
PROJECT VOTE**



**Tuesday  
January 14, 2025**

**12pm – 8pm  
Junior/Senior High School  
Auditorium**

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# NO ADDITIONAL LOCAL SCHOOL TAX IMPACT

## Questions & Answers

### Q. What is a Capital Project?

A. Our District inspects its property regularly, working with an architect to maintain a five-year capital improvement plan. Some issues require immediate attention, while other repairs and upgrades can be spread out over time. This is done in much the same way a homeowner plans to fund major repairs, such as a roof. For school districts, this is called a "Capital Project". To further encourage schools to maintain or improve their facilities, NY State Education Department (SED) reimburses districts through "Building Aid" for capital projects. NY State Education Department pays a percentage of capital project costs, and the district pays the balance known as "Local Share".

### Q. Will this project complete our capital improvement needs?

A. No. Our buildings are aging and our facility requirements, like your home, will require on-going updates to meet our needs.

Barker facilities host hundreds of people every day...students, staff and visitors walking on our floors, opening and closing our lockers, doors and windows, playing in our gyms, eating in our cafeterias, driving and parking on our roads and in our lots, and playing on our athletic fields. Normal wear and tear and the effects of time have taken their toll on our buildings and grounds.

Acting with fiscal responsibility, we wish to minimize the cost to our taxpayers, while maintaining safe, healthy and appropriate facilities and learning environments for our students, staff, and community.

## District Wide

- Refresh Track
- Flush & Test Sprinkler System
- Dedicated Generator for Central & Elementary Building
- Install Exit Lights & Emergency Egress Lighting
- Replace PA System Head-End & Upgrades

## Site Plan

- Track Refurbishment



## Elementary School

- Classroom Renovations
- Exterior Door Replacement
- Exterior Masonry and Precast Panel Repair



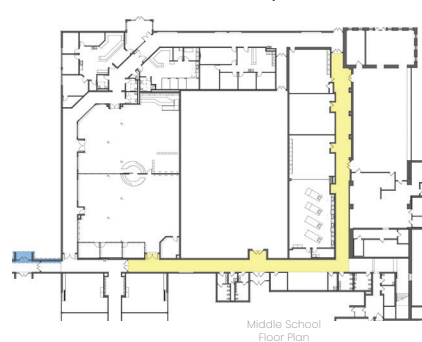
Replace Existing Doors



Existing Precast & Masonry

## Junior/Senior High School

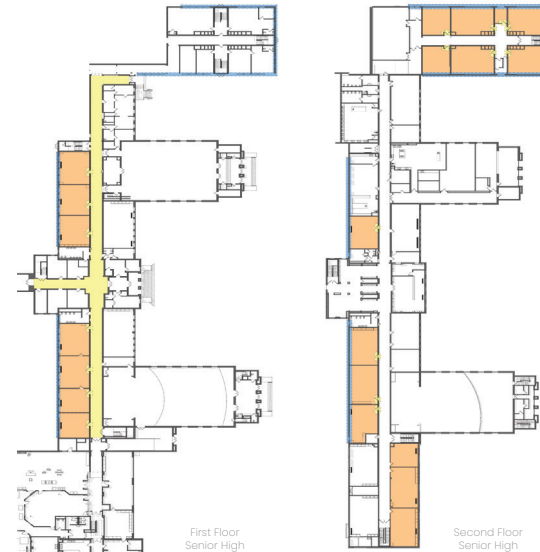
- Classroom Renovations
- Exterior Window Replacement
- Indoor Door Replacement
- Select Corridor Replacement



Existing Corridor



Existing Windows



First Floor Senior High

Second Floor Senior High



### Project Scope



- Educational Enhancement
- Asset Preservation
- Health & Safety
- Athletics