# KENNEDY MIDDLE SCHOOL Natick Public Schools



FINANCE COMMITTEE PRESENTATION
FEBRUARY 6, 2018

# CHALLENGES AT THE KENNEDY MIDDLE SCHOOL

#### Currently experiencing severe overcrowding at the middle school level

- In February 2021 when a potential Kennedy could open, our middle schools will be overcrowded by 290 students
- Building infrastructure including mechanical, electrical, and plumbing systems have reached the end of their useful life
- Extraordinary capital funds in the last five years are being expended to address maintenance costs of the tired facility
- Kennedy Middle School does not provide an environment equal to Wilson Middle School. Dated science labs, no project based learning labs, poor indoor air environment.





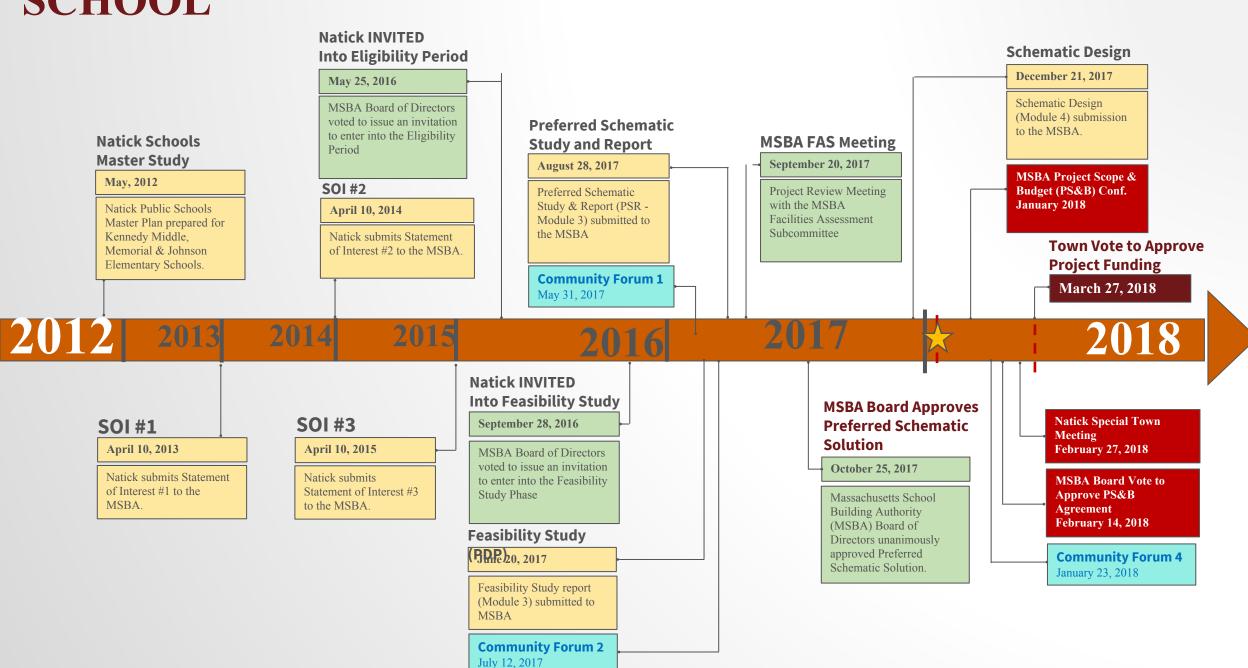






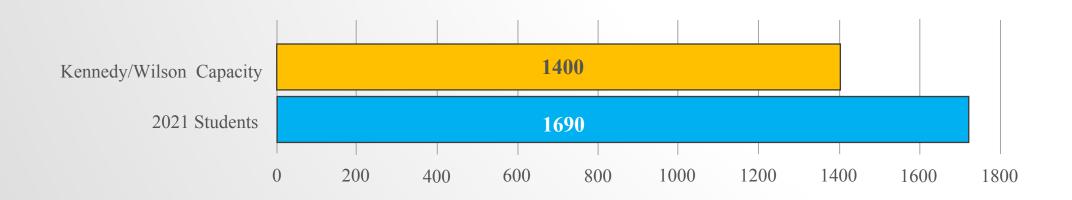


# SCHOOL

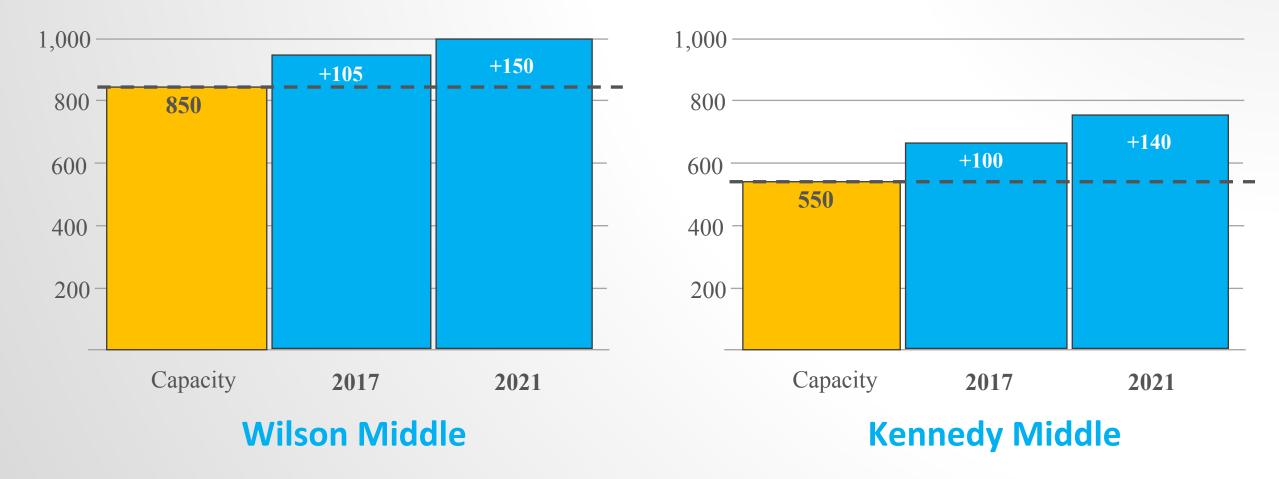


## NATICK MIDDLE SCHOOLS

The Natick School Committee & Natick School Building
Committee support construction of a new Kennedy Middle
School to address the deficiencies of the aging KMS facility and to
solve the severe overcrowding issues at
both Wilson Middle and Kennedy Middle Schools



# NATICK MIDDLE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT



## BENEFITS TO MIDDLE SCHOOL COMMUNITY

- Relieves severe overcrowding at Wilson & Kennedy Middle schools
- By lowering the student population to 850 at Wilson, space will become available so parity can be achieved at Wilson by implementing:
  - Space for Integrated Arts
  - 3d Studio Space
  - Adaptive PE/Fitness
  - Greenhouse
- Allows expansion of Special Education programs at each school

# BENEFITS TO NATICK COMMUNITY

- Performing arts center
- Collaborative environment for teachers
- Video production & broadcasting studio
- Athletic & fitness center

- Integrated arts space
- Flexible project based learning labs
- Outdoor learning environments
- Lighted turf field & Basketball court



## KENNEDY MIDDLE SCHOOL

- The MSBA is reserving \$37.3 million in funding for the Kennedy Middle School
- Renovations to bring the building up to current code would cost \$50-\$55 million and would not be reimbursable under the current program
- Comprehensive renovations and additions, which would not meet the approved Educational Program for Kennedy, would cost \$105-\$112 million and disrupt the learning environment for four years
- The Town of Natick has spent \$3.74 million on the study & design of Kennedy Middle School
- The cost of a new school Kennedy Middle School continues to rise each year the project is delayed.

#### **TAX IMPACT**

#### All KMS Costs Including Previous Approved Design Articles

Total Project Budget \$109.	56 Million
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Town of Natick Portion \$72.25 Million

MSBA Max Grant\* \$37.31 Million

**Average Household Value \$512,540** 

Maximum Tax Impact \* \$410/yr

Average Tax Impact\* \$308/yr

Average Impact over 20 \$60/yr years per \$100k Valuation\*

#### **Current TM Article Only**

<b>Total Project Budget</b>	\$105.83 Million
<b>Town of Natick Portion</b>	\$69.83 Million
MSBA Max Grant*	\$36.00 Million

**Average Household Value \$512,540** 

Maximum Tax Impact \* \$393/yr

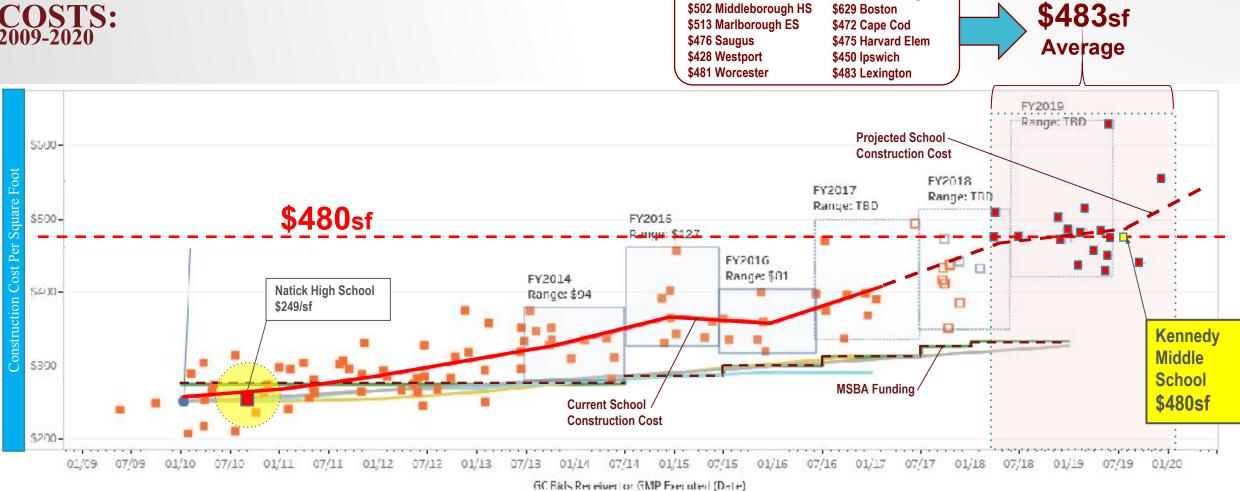
Average Tax Impact\* \$295/yr

Average Impact Over 20 \$57/yr years per \$100k Valuation\*

\$481 Lynn

\$426 Attleborough HS

# MSBA SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION **COSTS**: 2009-2020



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In today's dollars:

# Similar Total Project Costs

Abington Middle/High School \$96.40 MILLION

**Beverly Middle School** \$109.21 MILLION

Kennedy Middle School \$109.56 MILLION

Saugus Middle/High School \$160.72 MILLION

Lynn Middle Schools \$188.5 MILLION

# **Building Committee Experience/Value Engineering Orientation**

- A 4-story academic core reducing the overall building footprint

  Advantage: smaller, compact building footprint means lower cost for excavation, footings, foundations, and slab
- Exterior composed predominately of prefabricated cementitious reinforced panels Advantage: more economical than masonry products, reduced labor cost and time
- LEED Silver Certification; Energy Efficient Lighting and Insulation

  Advantage: lower operating and maintenance cost compared to non-certified school; reduced heat loss (winter) and gain (spring and fall); reduced electric usage by daylighting and LED fixtures
- Very efficient layout reducing square footage
   Advantage: KMS has the second lowest sf/student out of all Middle Schools (6) approved in the past two years while including a 500 seat auditorium
- Cost effective material selection

<u>Advantage:</u> selectively using less expensive materials while not sacrificing long term maintenance means lower material cost

#### **Kennedy Middle School**

Base Repair Costs /Code Compliance Upgrades\*

#### \$50-\$55 Million\*\*

\*Base repair approach identifies expenditures to resolve basic infrastructure, handicap accessibility, replacement of mechanical, electrical, plumbing systems & code compliance.

The Base Repair approach **would not** be eligible for MSBA reimbursement in the current program

The Base Repair Option would required 60 months of phased occupied construction with significant disruption to the delivery of the educational program.

- Base Repair approach does not resolve physical or educational deficiencies within the Kennedy Middle School
- Base Repair approach does not provide additional educational space identified in the educational program
- Base Repair approach does not modernize any existing educational space
- Base Repair approach does not provide new community resources

\*\*A minimum of \$8,580,000 in capital repair cost would be expended in the next 5 years if the KMS project is not approved. (These costs are identified in the chart to the right)

#### **Kennedy Middle School**

Capital Repair Costs Required in next 5 years

\$8,580,000						
Capital Repair	5 year Cost					
Install Temporary Modular Units at KMS	\$455,000					
Relocate Modulars to Memorial	\$600,000					
Install security cameras	\$35,000					
Replace carpets	\$45,000					
Replace exterior doors	\$140,000					
Replace univents	\$220,000					
Replace HVAC	\$600,000					
Install sprinkler system	\$850,000					
Retile floors	\$635,000					
Replace boilers	\$1,000,000					
Replace exterior windows	\$1,000,000					
Replace science and tech ed classes	\$1,500,000					
Replace entire roof	\$900,000					
Replace VCT floor tiles	\$600,000					

## **CONTROLLING COSTS**

# August 2017

2 Independent Cost Estimates

PSR Project Budget 

\$109.5 Million

Town of Natick Portion → \$73-\$77 Million

# January 2018

2 Independent Cost Estimates

PSR Project Budget 

\$109.5 Million

Town of Natick Portion → \$72.2 Million

# **QUESTIONS FROM FIN COMM**



#### Operating & Capital Expenses associated with Project Based Learning Labs

Planetarium	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Planetarium	Sceince Lab	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Science Lab
	\$193,384.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$193,384.00		\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$12,500.00	\$62,500.00
Aquaponics	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Aquaponics	Sceince Lab	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Science Lab
	\$31,374.57	\$2,880.00	\$0.00	\$34,254.57		\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$12,500.00	\$62,500.00
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Greenhouse	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Greenhouse	Sceince Lab	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Science Lab
	\$27,040.00	\$9,000.00	\$0.00	\$36,040.00		\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$12,500.00	\$62,500.00
3D Studio Lab	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: 3D Studio Lab	Sceince Lab	Building Cost	FF&E Cost	Technology Cost	Total Cost: Science Lab
	\$52,200.00	\$31,400.00	\$65,000.00	\$148,600.00		\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$12,500.00	\$62,500.00
	\$303,998.57	\$43,280.00	\$65,000.00	\$412,278.57		\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$250,000.00
		FI	OTAL COST TO T OUT (4) BLL'S					TOTAL COST TO FIT OUT (4) SCIENCE LABS	

- Natick Public Schools currently spends a minimum of \$20,000 per year for Planetarium experiences for Earth & Space Science standards
- The Aquaponics lab would require \$10K investment for first 3 years.
- The Greenhouse would not require additional operating or capital expenses
- The Planetarium would not require additional operating or capital expenses.

  Curriculum materials are typically included in the cost of the projector from most vendors

EACH Project Based Lab is
APPROXIMATELY
\$40,500
MORE THAN A TYPICAL
SCIENCE LAB

# PROJECT SUPPORT



February 8, 20189



We seek your support for this project!

# FIRST STEP REQUIRED TO PROCEED WITH PROJECT

