Walter Johnson Cluster HS Solution

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SubCategory	Individual Schools	Administering Agency	Public Schools
Planning Area	North Bethesda-Garrett Park	Status	Planning Stage

EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE ($000s)

Cost Elements	Total	Thru FY17	Est FY18	Total 6 Years	FY 19	FY 20	FY 21	FY 22	FY 23	FY 24	Beyond 6 Years
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

FUNDING SCHEDULE ($000s)

Funding Source	Total	Thru FY17	Est FY18	Total 6 Years	FY 19	FY 20	FY 21	FY 22	FY 23	FY 24	Beyond 6 Years
TOTAL FUNDING SOURCES	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE DATA ($000s)

Appropriation FY 19 Request	-	Year First Appropriation	
Appropriation FY 20 Request	-	Last FY's Cost Estimate	4,111
Cumulative Appropriation	-		
Expenditure / Encumbrances	-		
Unencumbered Balance	-		

Project Description

Due to increasing enrollment growth, this project includes funds to design and construct eight permanent high school classrooms serving the Walter Johnson Cluster. These additional classrooms would meet capacity requirements under the Subdivision Staging Policy, avoiding a residential moratorium in the Walter Johnson Cluster. The County Council anticipates that ultimately the Board of Education will request a specific project that will add at lease these classrooms and that these fund would be used towards that purpose. The Board of Education, in the FY 2017-2022 CIP approved a Roundtable Discussion Group to evaluate a range of options to address the overutilization at Walter Johnson High School. On October 13, 2016 Supplement B - Superintendent's Recommendation for the Walter Johnson Cluster Schools, was released and included the recommendation that a study be conducted to address the overutilization at the high school level in the Walter Johnson Cluster as well as all of the high schools in the Downcounty Consortium. The Board of Education, on November 21, 2016, included the Bethesda-Chevy Chase and Walt Whitman high schools as part of this study. Therefore, the Board of Education's Requested FY 2018 Capital Budget and Amendments to the FY 2017-2022 CIP includes an expenditure shift of one year for this project and it is anticipated that a recommendation to address the overutilization will be included in the FY 2019-2024 CIP. The County Council, in the adopted FY 2017-2022 Amended CIP, increased the expenditures in this project and the number of classrooms from 8 to 10 in order to avoid residential moratorium. It is anticipated that the Board of education will request a specific project that will add at least these classrooms by the start of the 2021-2022 school year.