

**Citizen’s Facilities Advisory Committee
Meeting Agenda**



Orting School District

**All Students Ready for
College, Career & Life!**

Meeting #3

August 24, 2021 • Time: 6:00 pm – 7:45 pm

New Location: Ptarmigan Ridge Elementary School, 805 Old Pioneer Way NW, Orting

Project Overview: Orting School District is facing expansive growth in the short and long term along the boundaries of the surrounding Puyallup and Sumner-Bonney Lake School Districts. The expected growth is mainly due to increased interest and availability in Pierce County housing. Current developments are slated to add approximately 6,250 homes within the District’s boundaries within the next 10 years which will double our student enrollment. This student population growth will result in classroom over-crowding and the need for additional school facilities, as well as modernizing current facilities. With the most recent bond failure in 2017, the District must consider these challenges collectively and collaboratively. To better understand the communities’ priorities and desires regarding school facilities, the District is engaging the community in a dialogue to further explore the enrollment and capacity issues, potential solutions, and alternatives. The CFAC or Task Force will present recommendations to the Board of the School District.

Meeting objectives

- To bring the CFAC Task Force up to date on the issues facing the District
- To consider and provide guidance to the District and its Board on key policy issues that may be foundational to development of potential solution packages

Agenda

Time	Item	Presenter(s)
6:00 pm	Tour of Ptarmigan Ridge Elementary School to review building conditions, capacity and educational mission. We will break up into 2 groups for an inside and outside tour.	Alicia Jensen, Principal Nita Hill, Ass’t Principal
6:45 pm	Presentation of Preliminary Findings/Observations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Existing facility conditions• Current capacities (permanent buildings and portables)• Enrollment Growth (when & where)• Future Enrollment Capacity Needs	Ed Hatzenbeler, Superintendent Michael McGavock Ben Fields
7:30 pm	Discussion/Observations: What are CFAC member’s impressions of projected growth? What are your thoughts about modernizing, expanding, or replacing existing schools? Will the existing support facilities (administration, transportation, maintenance and food service) accommodate the expected growth?	David Alskog, Facilitator Michael McGavock
7:45 pm	Adjourn	Ed Hatzenbeler

Ground Rules:

- Start / end on time
- Silence electronics
- Ask questions of each other for the purposes of gaining clarity and understanding
- Express yourself in terms of your personal needs and interests and the outcomes you wish to achieve
- Listen respectfully, and sincerely try to understand the other person's needs and interests
- Come with curiosity and willingness to learn

Meeting Dates:

September 14, 2021 • 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm • Orting Middle School

September 28, 2021 • 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm • Orting High School

Topics for September 14, 2021 Meeting:

- Bond/Levy Capacity, Projected Assessed Value Growth, Debt Capacity
- Tour of Orting Middle School
- Properties Owned by District, Property Needs, and Alternatives/Options