BOND UPDATE #133

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Here's what is going on with our bond projects:

- 1. The furniture fair in which multiple furniture options for the new high school will be presented will run through the end of next week. The public will get a chance to see the furniture choices and provide feedback next week on Tuesday and Thursday, November 16 and 18 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Performing Arts Center.
- 2. Work on the FHS campus has continued to progress on schedule this past week. Some of the highlights are outlined below:
 - a. Floor and roof decking work is substantially complete at the west end of the Academic Wing and crews are moving to the east. This will open up more areas for framing, electrical & plumbing.
 - b. The temporary roofing is scheduled to start next week at the west end of the Academic Wing. Once this is complete, the elevated floor slabs at levels 2 & 3 will be poured, as weather permits.
 - c. Structural steel work in the east half of the Academic Wing continues and has turned the corner into the commons area (center of the building) this week. The steel around the main mechanical & electrical rooms has begun installation. By the end of next week, most of the steel in the commons area will likely be erected.
 - d. Exterior wall framing continued this week at the west end of the Academic Wing. Crews have now started installing the exterior grade sheetrock that forms the surface of the exterior walls.
 - e. The structural steel in the Athletic Wing is now standing in the locker room and kitchen areas. Steel work is progressing across the main gym this week.
- 3. At the end of this week's update you will find several photos from the Ferndale High School site. You can also find more photos on the district website at the following link: Bond 2019 Ferndale School District (ferndalesd.org)
- 4. On Friday and Monday, Ferndale High students will sign the final major steel beam painted in FHS blue and gold to be placed in the Academic Wing. The school will host a topping-off ceremony at 11 a.m. Tuesday, in which everyone will watch iron workers place that last major beam. The next step is putting the siding on the new building.

If you have questions or comments about any of the content of this update, please feel free to reach out to me or one of my colleagues.

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