

Manor Town Hall Meeting Notes
March 4, 3:15-4pm

Questions

1. Are the kids that would attend this smaller Deer Park three years out?
2. A concern about a smaller school – if you have twins, how can you avoid being in the same classroom?
3. Are you still going after a bond in June? Is it possible to have two bonds – one for middle school and one for elementary solution, given how controversial it is?
4. The Children’s Center has to be looked at as a factor when making this decision; is there some way of sharing the school for two years until their lease is up?
5. Can you talk a little bit more about how you’d handle a school that is different given it’s neighborhood bound... not open to others... would you be able to transfer if you didn’t want to go to this small school? Not a different program, but defined by neighborhood...
6. If the bond doesn’t pass in June, would you put the same one or different one on November ballot?
7. What does it mean when you say that small Deer Park would be a different kind of school?
8. What would be involved in a bond issue... has anyone looked at specs for the modernization?
9. Is there any way to incorporate the Child Care Center at a small Deer Park?
10. Is anyone thinking about 2025 and what will be happening in our schools?
11. Can RVSD get any money from the County?
12. Can you elaborate on what would be done to other existing campuses (besides Deer Park and White Hill); also, you said it wouldn’t be 120 students at Deer Park all at once... what would the plan be to populate that school?
13. In all of the discussions, the Deer Park option has bought up traffic issues... now you’re putting same amount of kids on that campus as the Children’s Center... does that mean all the things that you had proposed for DP (e.g. sidewalks) are not going to happen because of it being a smaller school?

14. How do the Deer Park residents feel about this smaller school?
15. What do the seismic engineers say about Deer Park?
16. Deer Park Resident – the small school is doable, but we need to think about what it would be like for kids and teachers with just one class per grade
17. Is there any talk about organizing community to help make Deer Park a charter school and secure funds?
18. Where are you with other options?