

Springfield Platteview Community Schools ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS BOND 2020

BOND DETAILS



- **SPRINGFIELD ELEMENTARY
NEW CONSTRUCTION**
Replace Building Built in 1964
\$21.6M Estimate for New Construction
Total Square Footage = 73,950



- **WESTMONT ELEMENTARY
PHASE II IMPROVEMENTS**
\$6.9M Estimate to Complete Improvements
Square Footage Addition = 13,000
Square Footage Improvements = 5,800

VOTE ★ MAY 12

The Springfield Platteview School Board unanimously approved a building referendum for the May 12 ballot in the amount of **\$28.5 million**. The bond will replace the existing Springfield Elementary School and complete improvements at Westmont Elementary School.

ZERO
increase in overall tax levy.*

WHY ZERO INCREASE OPTION?

*The district is able to do this under the current funding system for school districts in Nebraska.

REASONS INCLUDE:

- Anticipated valuation increases from businesses/corporations along Highway 50
- An old bond being paid off in 2022
- The district's cash reserve back up to acceptable levels (after being part of the common levy in the Learning Community- now removed)
- Being on the positive side of option in/out students (this brings in additional revenue from the state)

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or call 402-592-1300 for more information.

WHY?



INCREASED SAFETY & SECURITY

- More secure front entrances and safety features
- Storm shelters at both elementary schools
- Efficiently designed drop off and pick up area
- Addition of fire sprinkler and alarm units



ADEQUATE LEARNING SPACE

- Sufficient room for special education and Title 1
- Intervention and breakout space
- Classroom space for art and instrumental music
- Added space for counselor services
- Preschool education space



RELIABLE INFRASTRUCTURE

- More dependable infrastructure
- Up-to-date mechanical and electrical systems
- Educational facilities built to code
- Energy-efficient building



ROOM FOR GROWTH

- Square footage increase at both schools
- Additional space for extracurriculars
- Three sections per grade at Springfield

• = Springfield Elementary • = Westmont Elementary