

Aldrich Road Elementary 14 Design Advisory Committee

November 6, 2006 Minutes

1. Architect Kevin Flanagan of Northwest Architectural Company reviewed the Committee's work from the October 23 meeting.
2. Matt Rumbaugh reviewed the Area Model as developed by the Educational Specifications Committee last summer.
3. Matt reviewed the key concepts associated with the revised "Nature Pavilions" site plan. He also discussed the "critical planning stage" matrix developed by Michele Smith.
 - a. Additional parking.
 - b. Three "buildings" all connected internally.
 - c. The need to widen the road will push us over the .50 acre. Timeline impacted as no possibility of Nationwide Permit. We will need Individual Permit so we likely will not be able to get a permit by spring 2007.
4. Concerns:
 - a. Drop-off distance to cafeteria for breakfast and then back to academic area
 - b. Boardwalk
 - c. Boardwalk – dense trees

There continues to be concern regarding the boardwalk. The team will explore the possibility of creating a 15-space lot in the northwest corner of the property and abandoning the 15-space lot along Aldrich Road and abandoning the boardwalk.
 - d. Move the playfields closer to the building and hard surface play areas.
 - e. Get art storage closer to classroom wings (from current location near stage, cafeteria).

Next Meeting:

November 29, 2006

Room 212

Central Services Building