ADA Compliance: MCPS (P796235)

Category Sub Category Administering Agency

Planning Area

Montgomery County Public Schools

Countywide

Public Schools (AAGE18)

Countywide

Date Last Modified Required Adequate Public Facility

11/11/16

No

Relocation Impact

Status

None

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	Total	Thru FY16	Rem FY16	Total 6 Years	FY 17	FY 18	FY 19	FY 20	FY 21	FY 22	Beyond 6 Yrs
	•		EXPENDIT	URE SCHE	DULE (\$000	Os)					
Planning, Design and Supervision	7,000	3,614	810	2,576	630	630	329	329	329	329	0
Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	21,593	12,979	2,190	6,424	1,470	1,470	871	871	871	871	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tota	28,593	16,593	3,000	9,000	2,100	2,100	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	0
FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000s)											
G.O. Bonds	28,593	16,593	3,000	9,000	2,100	2,100	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	0
Tota	28.593	16.593	3,000	9.000	2.100	2.100	1.200	1.200	1.200	1,200	0

APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE DATA (000s)

Appropriation Request	FY 18	2,100
Supplemental Appropriation Request		0
Transfer	0	
Cumulative Appropriation		21,693
Expenditure / Encumbrances	16,593	
Unencumbered Balance		5,100

Date First Appropriation	on FY 79	
First Cost Estimate		
Current Scope	FY 96	16,615
Last FY's Cost Estima	te	16,615

Description

Federal and State laws require MCPS to provide program accessibility for all of its activities and to consider various forms of accessibility improvements at existing facilities on a continuing basis. While MCPS provides program accessibility in a manner consistent with current laws, a significant number of existing facilities not scheduled for modernization in the current six-year CIP are at least partially inaccessible for a variety of disabling conditions. Some combination of elevators, wheelchair lifts, restroom modifications, and other site-specific improvements are required at many of these facilities. Since disabilities of eligible individuals must be considered on a case-by-case basis, additional modifications such as automatic door openers, access ramps, and curb cuts may be required on an ad hoc basis even in facilities previously considered accessible. The increased mainstreaming of special education students has contributed to modifications to existing facilities. Certain ADA modifications results in significant cost avoidance, since transportation may have to be provided for individuals to other venues or programs. On September 15, 2010, the Department of Justice approved revisions to Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), that will require local and state government agencies to comply with theses revisions. An FY 2013 appropriation was approved to begin the assessment of MCPS facilities to comply with the approved revision of Title II of the ADA. An FY 2014 appropriation was approved to continue this level of effort project. An FY 2015 appropriation was approved to continue remediation to address the revisions to Title II of the ADA. An FY 2016 appropriation was approved to continue this level of effort project. An FY 2017 appropriation was approved to complete facility modifications due to the revisions of Title II of the ADA and also to continue to provide accessibility modifications where necessary throughout the school system. An FY 2018 appropriation was approved to continue this project.

Other

ADA requirements are addressed in other projects, including many transportation and renovation projects.

Fiscal Note

State Reimbursement: Not eligible

Disclosures

Expenditures will continue indefinitely.

Coordination

Advisory Committee for the Handicapped