



Welcome
Bienvenidos
Chào mừng bạn
желанный
Alameda Area
Community Meeting
February 5, 2020



Why Are We Having This Discussion?

- Discussion Origin
 - Successful passage of Bond issue opened up the opportunity for a potential transition in the Alameda area
 - D'Evelyn 6th grade transition inspired the conversation
 - Alameda DAG (Design Advisory Group) in support of potential 6-12 at Alameda International
- Recognition that there are substantive different experiences for 6th grade students in the Alameda Area compared to 6th grade students district-wide
- Ensure that stakeholder voices are understood

Current Jeffco Configurations

6th grade students in 6-8 Middle Schools

Arvada (North Arvada MS)

Arvada West (Drake MS)

Bear Creek (Carmody MS)

Chatfield (Deer Creek MS, Falcon Bluffs MS)

Conifer (West Jefferson MS)

Columbine (Ken Caryl MS)

Dakota Ridge (Summit Ridge MS)

Evergreen (Evergreen MS)

Golden (Bell MS)

Green Mountain (Dunstan MS)

Lakewood (Creighton Middle)

Pomona (Moore MS)

Ralston Valley (Oberon MS)

Standley Lake (Mandalay MS, Wayne Carle MS)

Wheat Ridge (Everitt MS)

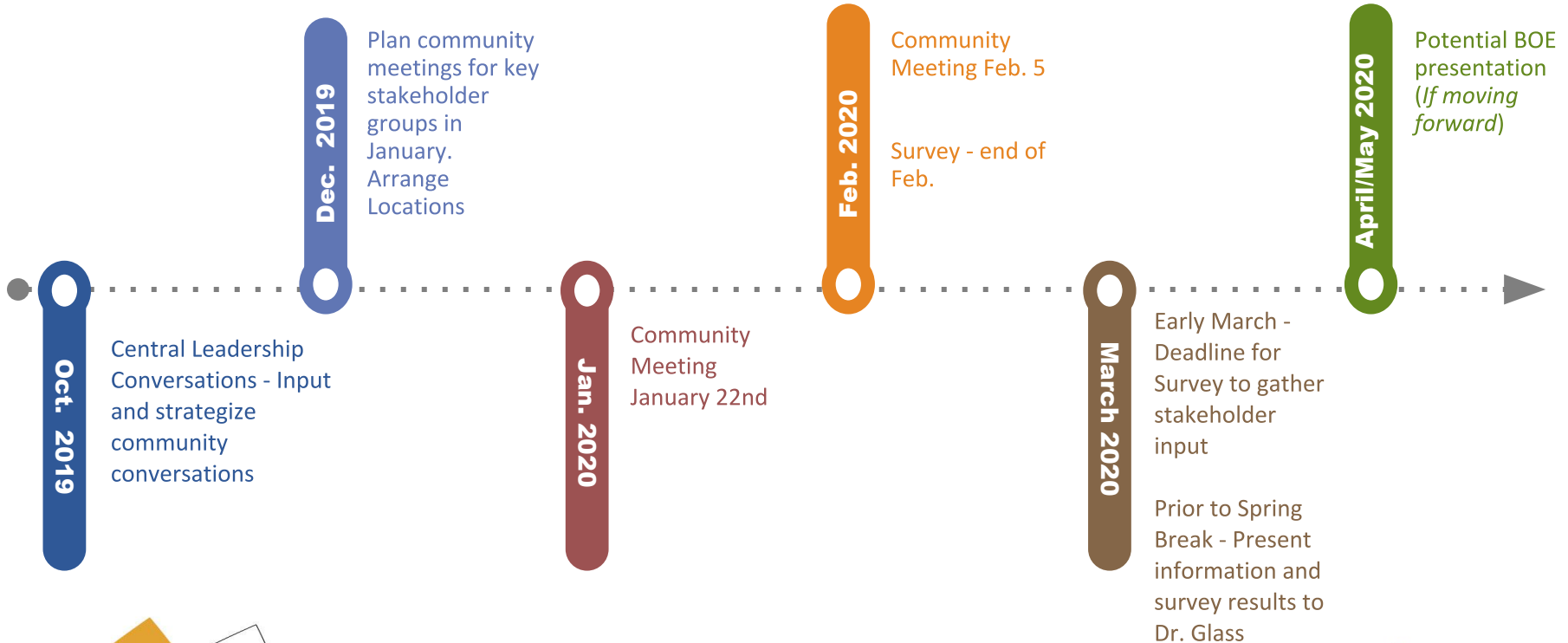
Additional Configurations:

- Alameda K-6/7-12
- Jefferson K-6/7-12
- Collegiate K-12
- D'Evelyn 6-12
- Arvada K-8
- Bear Creek K-8
- Coal Creek K-8
- Foster K-8
- Three Creeks K-8

Agenda for Tonight's Meeting

- Provide factual information
- Provide update on Alameda International Jr/Sr construction plans and progress
- Opportunity for questions
- Review the process for gathering staff and community voice

Timeline



Facts

- Earliest 6th grade students could attend Alameda Int'l is August 2021
- Construction funding is available now. There are no guarantees of this opportunity in the future.
- Survey Late February/Early March 2020 - Survey will be administered to staff and families.
- Each school will make the survey available to staff and families. It will be available in multiple languages.
- Consensus will be 66% or higher to move forward
- Number of students that choice out of the area to attend 6th grade in a 6-8 middle school model
 - 18-19 - Alameda area 32 students
 - 19-20 - Alameda area 68 students

Frequently Asked Questions

- How will we keep 6th graders safe amongst high school students?
- How would this impact Dual Language?
- When will 6th/ 7th/8th students interact with 9th/12th students?
- Why is this option being considered if in other areas of Jeffco test scores dropped in the initial year of transition?
- What is the potential impact if this creates low enrollment elementary schools?

Next Steps

- School websites links will be updated with most current information
 - Facts and FAQs will be available
- Please talk with your school principal if you have additional questions
- Voices will be heard and considered, please honor the process
- Additional Community Meeting on February 5



Small Group Time

- Attendees will self-select into smaller groups
- This is opportunity to ask clarifying questions about what you heard
- This is opportunity to write questions on notecards to be responded to
- Principals will be with each group, interpreters will be assigned to groups by language, other district staff will disperse among the groups

Small Group Locations

A111 - English

A114 - Spanish/Español

A116 - Vietnamese/Tiếng Việt

A118 - Russian/русский

A124 - Faculty/Staff