

Peoria Unified North Boundary Committee Recommendation Summary March 8, 2017

Since October 2016, the Boundary Committee has held four meetings to explore enrollment data and new building construction. Their task was to determine the most appropriate outcome for boundary adjustments that may impact up to eight schools in the northern portion of our district. As the 2016 Bond Authorization did not pass, they were to also seek outcomes that will sustain long-term enrollment projections within current school capacities.

Through the collaborative work, the Committee has made three recommendations:

- Adjustments in neighborhoods that currently attend Sunset Heights that will be assigned to Parkridge
 Elementary and Coyote Hills Elementary, respectively. Adjustments in neighborhoods that will be
 reassigned from Coyote Hills Elementary to Parkridge Elementary and Frontier Elementary. In addition,
 neighborhoods will be reassigned from Parkridge Elementary to Apache Elementary. There are some north
 east areas of the current Zuni Hills boundary that will be divided amongst Sunset, Coyote, Frontier, and
 Vistancia. (See map for details)
- ***View the two maps posted on the district's website for comparison and to determine if your area will see an adjustment.
- If your elementary assignment changes and that school feeds into a different high school than your present alignment, then you will follow the new high school feeder assignment for your new school, i.e. current Sunset Heights student (you feed into Liberty) your new assignment is Coyote Hills (Coyote Hills feeds into Sunrise) your new high school alignment then is Sunrise Mountain.
- Ask the Governing Board to authorize a bond election as soon as possible.

These are the draft recommendations of the Boundary Committee, however they may not be final recommendations. Peoria Unified will hold a community meeting at 6 p.m. on March 28, 2017 in the auditorium at Sunrise Mountain High School to receive community input.

Note: Typically in the past when making adjustments, Peoria Unified works through "grandfather clauses" in which a current 7th-grade student would not move to the new assignment. Therefore, they may finish elementary school with their current peers. Younger siblings may continue for the one year as well, if a parent chooses.

Current high school students are not recommended to have any realignment.

Current 8th-graders continue on to the current high school alignments so that they continue with their peers.

These are examples of typical, past practice. Peoria Unified will include feasible comments and suggestions in our final recommendation to the Board for their approval.

Please review and either attend our community meeting or provide your input with our online input form.

Click here for a link to the online input form: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PUSDNorth