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L'Anse Creuse is Empowering Success and Honoring Legacy with New Bond Proposal

CLINTON TWP., Mich. – L'Anse Creuse Public Schools will be asking voters to approve a \$330 million bond proposal on the May 7, 2024 election ballot. The proposal, which is not projected to change the current tax rate, will fund capital improvements and necessary upgrades to infrastructure, facilities, and technology.

Since the last bond proposal was approved in 2005, L'Anse Creuse has maximized the funding provided by the community to rebuild elementary schools and provide significant enhancements throughout the district. Though the district has extended the life of the bond dollars well past the 10 years originally promised to voters, the needs of the buildings, students and infrastructure are too great to utilize general fund dollars.

"While we have maximized and extended our 2005 bond dollars, it has been 19 years and it is time to update and enhance our buildings," Superintendent Erik Edoff said, "to enhance and improve safety and security, to improve our instructional spaces and technology, to replace and update our infrastructure, and replace outdated and failing mechanical equipment."

In the proposed bond, every building in L'Anse Creuse will receive improvements to address the integrity of its schools and improve the learning and working environment for staff, students, and community members. The bond will also include construction of a new Early Childhood Center and a proposed Multi-Use Facility. A full project list for each building is available to the public on the district's home website.

The district is committed to keeping residents informed, and will continue to provide factual information to the L'Anse Creuse community on the proposed projects that will update, enhance, and empower district families and programs. More information can be found on the district's website, where community members can submit questions and view a detailed "Frequently Asked Questions" page.

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