


## BOARD RESOLUTION

- The Miller School District will either build our first choice or an alternative design on this campus
- Further delays will add to the already \$410,000 spent on design and construction.
- HKG architects are experienced with school design having been involved in the construction of over 100 school buildings.
- Bossardt Corporation, a licensed construction management firm, has supervised the construction of 8 million square feet of building projects
- Failure to vacate the streets will add costs to an already tight budget.

## Elementary School Timeline

-  **Feb. 28** Public vote on street vacate
-  **Mar. 6** Bids are received
-  **Mar. 8** Award recommendations are made
-  **Mar. 12** School Board awards contracts
-  **April 2** Project is mobilized
-  **Sept. 2013** Students educated in brand new elementary building

*We Have Low Interest Money +  
No Tax Increase +  
Best Plan =  
**Vacate Streets***

**Miller Elementary School  
“Solid As a Rock”!**

February 28, 2012

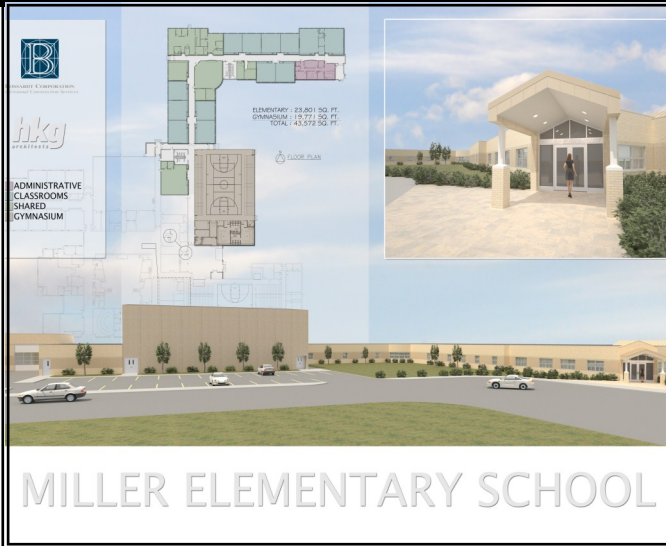


**Miller  
School  
District 29-4**

**Looking  
Toward  
the Future!**

**Learning Today  
For A  
Better Tomorrow**

# City Election— February 28, 2012— Vote YES!!



- A great deal of time and resources, \$410,000 to date, have gone into designing the new school and it requires expanding into the streets in question. If the streets are not vacated, the school board will move on to Plan B, our second choice. Are we going to build the best while we are at it, or build our second choice because of space restrictions?
- One campus opens up possibilities with cooperation and sharing resources.
- Other streets in town have been vacated in the past
  - ⇒ through streets for the elementary gym and playground
  - ⇒ the hospital /clinic expansion

## Reasons to Vote YES to Vacate the Streets

- **BOARD RESOLUTION**—The board has resolved to have a one campus district. The board has already committed \$410,000 to the project.
- **CITY COUNCIL**—The city council voted 6-0 on December 6th to allow for streets to be vacated.
- **POSSIBILITIES**—The design in which streets need to be vacated is the best option.
- **TIMELINES**— Further delays will increase costs of the new structure.
- **SAFETY**—Vacating the streets will make for a much safer environment for students, staff, and patrons.
- **PARKING**—All parking concerns have been addressed and resolved by the engineer, architect, and district.
- **NEIGHBORHOOD**—The school has received statements of support from residents in the neighborhood to vacating the streets in question.

## Your Vote Counts!

On February 28th, the City of Miller will hold a special election for voters to determine if they approve of vacating 5th Street and 7th Avenue along the school grounds . This is an opportunity for you to show support for the new elementary school building project. Since this is a city election, only registered voters within the city limits will be allowed to vote. Please remind your city friends and neighbors to vote!

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