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To: School District Personnel

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RE: 5th SFB Minimum Adequacy Guidelines Committee Meeting

A diverse group of Arizona education leaders, including architects, builders, and school district personnel, met again on August 28, 2019 at Phoenix Elementary School District to continue the process of updating the School Facilities Board's Minimum Adequacy Guidelines (MAG) for school facilities. This was the 5th meeting on MAG this year and one more is scheduled for October. Click HERE to view the current Minimum Adequacy Guidelines which were last updated in 2002.

The eventual outcome of these meetings will be to establish new minimum standards for every K-12 learning environment in Arizona. The MAG apply to a broad range of topics. At meeting #5, committee members broke out into 3 subgroups discussing acoustics and air quality, gymnasiums and sports facilities, and libraries/cafeterias/kitchens. The SFB's goal is to have guidelines that ensure optimal and safe learning environments for students now and in the years to come.

About the Arizona School Facilities Board

Created in 1998, the Arizona School Facilities Board (AZSFB) is a cabinet-level, state-government agency managing nearly \$300 Million in state funding appropriated for K-12 school district facilities. The 10-member board meets monthly to grant funding for new school construction and to correct deficiencies at existing school facilities. AZSFB staff is a partner and advocate for school districts in facilitating successful grant requests.