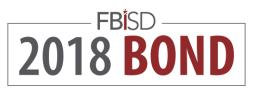


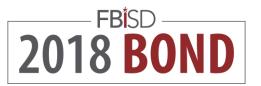
### Bond 2018 Referendum

- November 6, 2018 Election
- \$992.6 million bond plan
- Projected tax rate of \$1.35
  - 3 pennies higher than current tax rate \$1.32
  - 1 penny higher than 2016 tax rate \$1.34
- Three year plan with Phase 2 election in 2021



### **Updated capital plan**

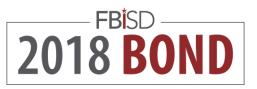
- Supports the Profile of a Graduate
  - Updates Education Specifications
  - Modernizes technology
  - Invests in aging facilities (average age of current facilities is 25 years)
- Increases safety and security
- Addresses expected enrollment growth





## **Historical Perspective**

- Bond failed in May 2003 and then passed that November
- Successful election in 2007 followed by:
  - Downturn in economy and slower growth
  - Turnover in District administration and Board of Trustees
- Capital Plan created in 2013 with \$1 billion of needs identified
- Bond 2014 for \$484 million was passed
  - No tax rate increase
  - Goal to keep bond under \$500 million
  - Work to restore trust between community, Board, and administration



## 2014 Bond Program

- Four new elementary schools: Sullivan, Leonetti, Neill and Patterson Elementary Schools
- Safety and Security Improvements: Security cameras and vestibules
- **Transportation**: New buses, bus cameras and GPS
- **Technology:** Infrastructure/Wifi
- Career and Technical Education: James Reese Career and Technical Center



## The **\$992.6** million November 6, 2018 bond referendum includes:

New construction, rebuilds and additions	
Life-cycle deficiencies and facility adequacy, including auditorium updates, orchestra hall additions, and turf and track updates at many schools	
Safety and security upgrades and investments	
Transportation	
Technology	
\$19.7 million Future land purchases *\$5 million for program contingency.	



## **Construction Projects**

- Three new elementary campuses
- Design of one middle school
- Construction of one high school
- Rebuild of Lakeview Elementary and Meadows Elementary
- Additions at Madden Elementary and Neill Elementary

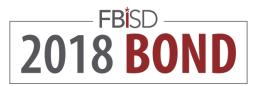




## **Continued Growth**

Fort Bend ISD's enrollment continues to grow. Since 2014–15, Fort Bend ISD has grown by nearly 4,000 students, and has opened six schools. Fort Bend ISD currently serves approximately 76,000 students, and enrollment is expected reach 85,700 by the year 2027.





## Safety and Security Upgrades

- Special education security cameras
- Enhanced classroom door locks
- Security cameras storage
- Student ID system
- Window film
- Police vehicles
- Fencing





## **Transportation**

- Buses and other vehicles
- District-wide white fleet





## Technology

The majority of the technology funds will go to infrastructure improvements and the purchase of new devices for student instruction in classrooms Classrooms:

- 2 students : 1 device in every classroom
- Projector and audio refresh
- Computer lab and library device refresh
- Lending library
- Teacher device refresh





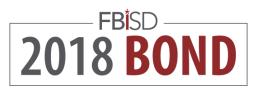
## Technology

Campuses & District-wide

• Campus audio/video refresh



- Large venue audio/video refresh
- Network closet refresh
- Bring your own device (BYOD) management
- Telephone replacement
- Information security & management tools
- Staff device refresh





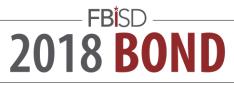
The interest and sinking fund can only be used to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as or before the principal and interest become due.

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The Maintenance and Operations Fund is used to pay for most of the day-to-day expenditures. Typical expenditures include salaries, employee benefits, supplies, materials, utilities, fuel, food services, maintenance, and repair services.

#### **District Staff is Dedicated to Campuses**





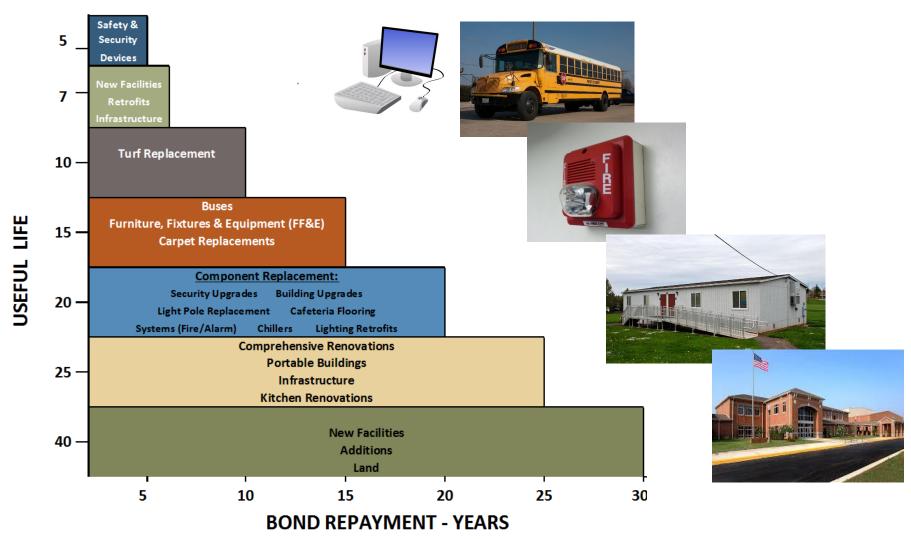
Source: Region IV On-Suite – all employees, all funds, 2018-19

#### Bond 2014 Weighted Average Useful Life <u>21.13 years</u>

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2018 **BOND** 

#### **FINANCING THE PLAN**



Bond 2014 Weighted Average Maturity <u>14.76 years</u>

#### **Comparison of Certain Texas School Districts** Within the Greater Houston Area

Ranked By Bond Principal Outstanding Per Student as of 6/30/2018 \$26,000 \$24,627 \$24,000 Bond Principal Outstanding Per Student \$23,076 \$23,125 \$22,000 \$22,372 \$21,183 \$21,118 \$20,712 \$20,000 \$18,000 \$18,529 \$16,000 \$15,346 \$14,000 \$14,048 \$13,059 \$12,000 Katy ISD Lamar CISD Clear Creek ISD ypress-Fairbanks ISD Conroe ISD Klein ISD Spring Branch ISD Spring ISD Houston ISD Humble ISD Fort Bend ISD

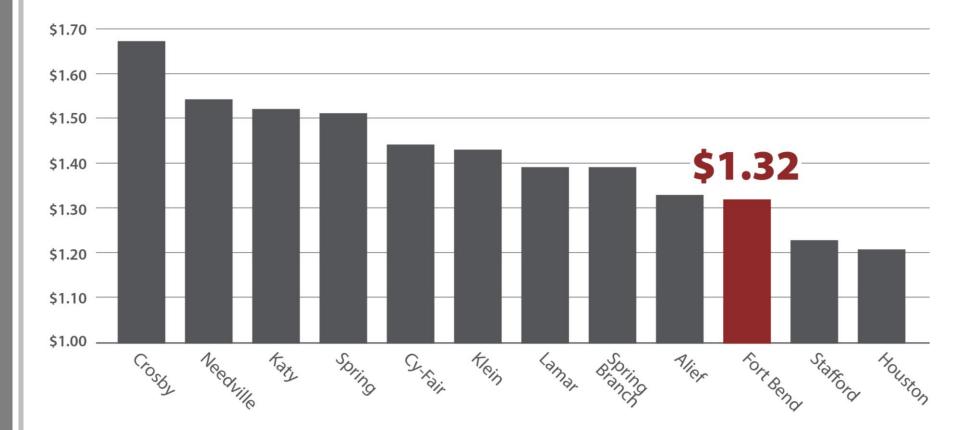
#### FBISD OUTSTANDING DEBT (2014-2018)

#### FBISD OUTSTANDING DEBT (2014-18)

12/31/2014 Balance	\$844,038,663
Principal Payments	(\$145,005,112)
Refundings	(\$67,710,000)
New Issuances	\$333,135,000
OST Commercial Paper	(\$1,000,000)
6/30/2018 Balance	\$963,458,550

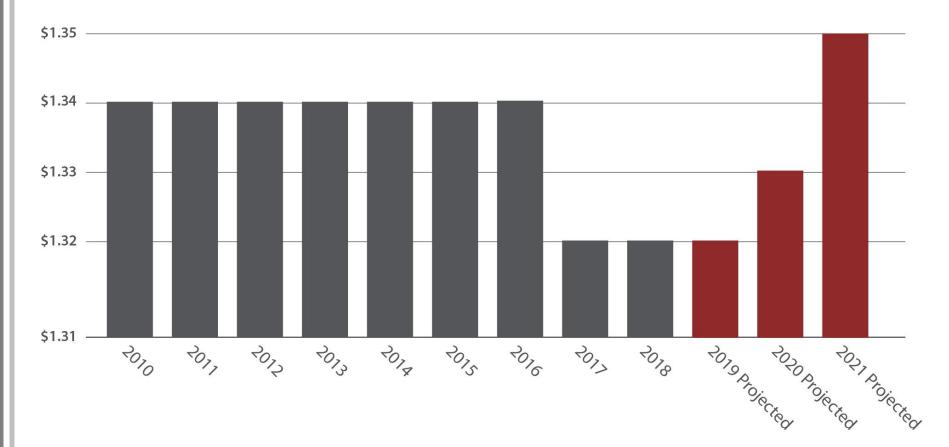


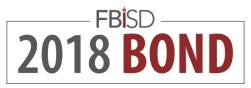
## Local Tax Rate Comparison (2017–18)





## Tax Rate (2010–18, projected 2019–21)







Estimated impact of 3 penny tax rate increase on average FBISD home \$284,000 would be:

- \$76.53/year
- \$6.38/month





#### **Tax Rate**



Homestead taxes are frozen for our citizens with the Over 65 or Disabled Persons exemptions, unless the citizen is currently paying below their tax ceiling.



November 6 ballot will be multiple pages, including elections for federal, state and local officials.

The FBISD bond referendum will be on the <u>last page</u>.







## **AA+ Rating** Standard and Poors







#### **Tuesday, October 9** Last day to register to vote

#### Monday, October 22 – Friday, November 2 Early Voting

# Tuesday, November 6 ELECTION DAY



## **QUESTIONS?**

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