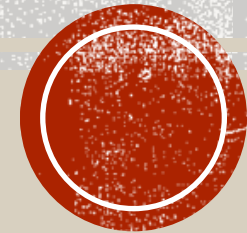


MADISON CITY SCHOOLS STUDENT ZONING



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ELEMENTARY OBJECTIVES

- Find a seat for every student
- Ensure all schools are as demographically equitable as possible
- Impact as few students as possible



MISCONCEPTIONS

- Sixth grade students moving up means that there is not a need for rezoning
- Every student can attend the school closest to their home
- Rezoning is temporary fix, and long term solutions are not being explored



WHAT IF WE ZONE EVERYONE TO THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CLOSEST TO THEIR HOME?

School	Available Space	Percent of Poverty
Columbia	245	12.37%
Heritage	21	7.45%
Horizon	-27	41.75%
Madison	-382	37.72%
Mill Creek	372	9.62%
Rainbow	392	4.13%
West Madison	-25	42.83%



ELEMENTARY ZONING ISSUES

➤ Mill Creek

- Currently 992 Students (980 student capacity, includes four learning cottages)
- Next years' first day count – 1,020*
- School Year 2018-19 (Sixth Grade Moves) – 906 students
 - School Year 2019-20 – 1,087 students
 - School Year 2020-21 – 1,211 students
 - School Year 2021-22 – 1,358 students

*Assumes no new growth in zone population



ELEMENTARY ZONING ISSUES

➤ Heritage

- Currently 882 Students (900 student capacity)
- Next years' first day count – 910*
 - School Year 2018-19 (Sixth Grade Moves) – 812 students
 - School Year 2019-20 – 908 students
 - School Year 2020-21 – 1,004 students
 - School Year 2021-22 – 1,089 students

*Assumes no new growth in zone population



ELEMENTARY ZONING ISSUES

➤ West Madison

➤ Currently 436 Students (500 student capacity)

- Next years' first day count – 399 students
- School Year 2018-19 (Sixth Grade Moves) – 326 students
- School Year 2019-20 – 305 students
- School Year 2020-21 – 285 students
- School Year 2021-22 – 269 students (231 open seats)

➤ Rainbow

➤ Currently 684 Students (840 student capacity)

- Next years' first day count – 676 students
- School Year 2018-19 (Sixth Grade Moves) – 528 students
- School Year 2019-20 – 524 students
- School Year 2020-21 – 528 students
- School Year 2021-22 – 527 students (313 open seats)



ELEMENTARY ZONING ISSUES

INCREASINGLY INEQUITABLE DEMOGRAPHICS

School	Free & Reduced Lunch SY 17-18	Free & Reduced Lunch SY 16-17
Columbia	21.5%	20.1%
Heritage	25.7%	25.1%
Horizon	31.6%	30.5%
Madison	28.7%	27.52%
Mill Creek	18.9%	17.6%
Rainbow	25.8%	25.1%
West Madison	26.8%	26.3%



ELEMENTARY ZONING OPTION ONE

- Assign emerging subdivisions not previously rezoned, along with neighboring subdivision, to schools that have available space. This will allow for three years of growth on the west side of Madison.



ELEMENTARY ZONING OPTION TWO

- Do nothing now and have a complete city rezone, to be implemented in 2018-19 to coincide with the sixth grade transition to middle schools.
- Elementary schools cannot function without a rezone (Without action now, we will have to move 1300 homes out of the Mill Creek Elementary zone by 2021, and approximately 1200 homes out of the Liberty Middle/James Clemens High feeder pattern to balance high schools by 2021)



ELEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS

- Assign existing lots in Cedar Cove, Greenbrier Hills, and Stone Brook subdivisions to attend West Madison Elementary
- No change for secondary zones in the above neighborhoods
- Grant waivers to students currently (as of April 6, 2017) attending Mill Creek Elementary and Heritage Elementary who would be affected by the proposed rezoning of these three neighborhoods



ELEMENTARY RESULTS

- Cedar Cove and Stone Brook – 175 houses rezoned from Mill Creek to West Madison
- Greenbrier Hills – 253 houses rezoned from Heritage to West Madison Elementary School



SECONDARY OBJECTIVES

- Create zones that allow both high schools to flourish
- Get new growth into the Bob Jones High /Discovery Middle feeder pattern
- Take unsustainable growth from James Clemens High /Liberty Middle
- Keep free and reduced numbers as equitable as possible throughout all schools
- Impact as few students and parents as possible



SECONDARY NUMBERS

➤ Bob Jones (Currently - 1773 students):

- School Year 2017-18 1808 students
- School Year 2018-19 1852 students
- School Year 2019-20 1857 students
- School Year 2020-21 1875 students
- School Year 2021-22 1869 students

➤ James Clemens (Currently – 1784 students):

- School Year 2017-18 1884 students
- School Year 2018-19 1929 students
- School Year 2019-20 1994 students
- School Year 2020-21 2036 students
- School Year 2021-22 2479 students



SECONDARY HOUSING PERMITS CURRENTLY GRANTED, BUT HAVE NOT BEEN BUILT

- Houses – 2,604
- Zoned for Bob Jones
 - 240 houses (185 – Town Madison)
- Zoned for James Clemens
 - 2,367 houses (with more ready to start when the City of Madison allows)



SECONDARY RECOMMENDATIONS

- Rezone the following emerging developments for Discovery and Bob Jones (They are already zoned for Rainbow and Madison elementary schools. Any students that are presently enrolled in a secondary school and live in these developments could apply for a year to year waiver to stay at their current school.)
 - Nature's Trail – 162 houses
 - Village of Oakland Springs – 349 houses
 - Willow Creek – 78 houses
- 589 houses = approximately 147 secondary students
- School Year 2021-22 Bob Jones – 2016 (with future development coming)
- School Year 2021-22 James Clemens – 2332



