

Scio Central School District

Smart Schools Investment Plan

High Tech Security

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Scio Central School Mission Statement

The Scio Central School community believes that all children can learn. Using all available resources, our graduates will be prepared to be active participants in an ever-changing world. Students will realize their potential and will be guided in the development of self-esteem, responsibility, and mutual respect. The home, school, and community will work together in an atmosphere of shared purpose and consistent expectations.

Technology Mission Statement

The Scio Central School vision reflects our desire to move our students and their teachers in the direction of advanced levels of learning and thinking that are facilitated with the use of technology. We want all students to be proficient with the use of technology, but more importantly to be able seamlessly incorporate their knowledge of technology in their pursuit of learning in all areas.

Collaboration to Develop the SSIP

- Scio Central School's Smart Schools Bond Committee held its meetings on June 23, 2022 and September 27, 2022 to collaboratively develop the Smart School Investment Plan
- The Board of Education will review the preliminary SSIP at the November 9, 2022 meeting.
- The plan will be available on the school website from November 10, 2022 to December 10, 2022 for public comment.

Smart School Investment Plan Goals

Part of the technology mission of the Scio Central School District is to provide a safe and secure environment. To improve our building security, we need to address our notification systems.

Goal 1: Upgrade the Clock and Public Address System: Our current public address system was installed in approximately 2000 and is at its operational expectancy. An effective PA system is a key component for daily school communication and is essential for emergency situations.

Goal 2: Upgrade Aspects of our Emergency Notification Systems: There are several upgrades to our current notification systems that would vastly enhance our security plan. These include:

- additional exterior blue lights around the building to indicate to those outside the building that a lockdown is in place;
- installation of interior blue lights in areas where daily noise impeded the effectiveness of the PA system (gymnasiums, music rooms, cafeteria);

- digital displays in key areas to be used for both daily communication of information and emergency notifications (if funds allow);
- lockdown notification button connection to verbal notification system, additional blue lights and displays to increase notification capabilities.

High Tech Security Expenditures

Paragraph and Chart

Smart Schools Expenditures	
Current Balance	\$633,371
Total for 2022 Project	\$350,000
Smart School Balance Upon Completion	\$283,371

	Main Building	Bus Garage	Total
Projected Cost	\$282,498	\$14,868	\$297,366
Contingency 10%	\$28,250	\$1,487	\$29,737
Construction Total	\$310,748	\$16,355	\$327,103
Soft Costs 7%	\$21,752	\$1,145	\$22,897
Project Total	\$332,500	\$17,500	\$350,000