

In order to get a better understanding of our facility needs, we contracted for a facility audit of the middle/high school building. This audit is available for anyone to view by going to the Cornell School District webpage (be sure it is the WI and not the PA district) and clicking on the "Referendum Information" button. Please take some time to review this audit to become more familiar with the facility and the needs it has. If you want to see any of the things mentioned in the audit, please contact the school and we'll arrange a time for you to do so.

Now that we have a projected cost of remodeling the current facility at \$15,589,500, an estimated cost to build a new facility with only the space needed is being worked on. There is a lot of unused and inefficient space in the current facility, and we believe we can operate with about one-half of the current space. This will also reduce heating and maintenance costs for the district.

General plans with the overall size of a new facility have been established and the interior layout is being determined. Once the overall initial plans are established, they will be added to the website for people to view and provide input on.

The board of education will be listening to a presentation by CESA 10 regarding the facility audit at their March 24th meeting.