

## Dear Landels Neighbor,

We have the very important responsibility of ensuring the safety of all of our students, staff members, and visitors. While our community is relatively safe, we have had issues in the past. Some of these include unauthorized people regularly coming onto campus and students encountering dogs during the school day. Additionally, COVID-19 safety procedures require us to have limited points of entry.

**In the last couple of years, our District has explored perimeter fencing at Landels Elementary.**

In the 2018 Safety Town Hall, securing our campuses to deter school violence was ranked as a priority by the community and security measures were listed in the 2019 Master Facilities Plan as a Priority 1 need.

Initial plans were discussed with the Board of Trustees this fall. As a result of an October community meeting and the emails we received, we refined perimeter fencing plans to include neighbors' feedback. Some of these revisions include automatic gates, and clear signage for whom to contact if there is an issue.

It's important to note that school fields will be accessible as is currently allowed with no new

limitations on their use. The online link to view the plans, as well as an outline of the community engagement process, is on the back of this card.

Through additional dialogue, we hope to design fencing that is both safe and comes with minimal inconvenience for the neighbors. Thank you for your support and commitment to our community.

Sincerely,  
Rebecca Westover  
Chief Business Officer

## Neighborhood meeting

We have scheduled an additional meeting for feedback

**January 12th**

**4:00-5:00 pm**

**Please join us online at  
<http://mvw.sd/LN>**



## Proposed school perimeter fencing



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**We want to make sure we have heard all of the considerations, so that we can further improve the proposed plan and build consensus around a design that works for stakeholder groups.**

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