

Colorado Springs School District 11 Bond Construction Program Monthly “Snap-Shot” July 10, 2007



McAuliffe Elementary is in the final phases of the project. The south academic wing and core are done and are in “turnover”, with the north academic wing close behind. Technology finishing and furnishings are next. This is truly a beautiful facility! (left — view from Hathaway Dr. & gymnasium)



Freedom Elementary is coming along nicely. Both the interior and exterior are in the final finishing stages, but the project will go right up to the opening. The difference came primarily from the weather impact during the winter. (right — front entry and media center)



The **Doherty High School** addition is wrapping up with interior and exterior finishes. The various interior renovations are going full swing, but it will be a horse race to complete as the school year approaches. (left — addition from new courtyard, new library, new classrooms, new main entrance from the west)



The elementary school “open-concept” renovations are also making great progress, with some nearly done and the others getting close. (from left counterclockwise — new classroom in **Wilson**; new hallway in **Bristol**; walls and classrooms & new windows at **Columbia** (2 photos); media center at **Washington**, and the new field over the geo-exchange well field.





New windows are going into a number of buildings over the course of the bond program, with Buena Vista done last summer. Projects at **North Middle School**, **Palmer High School** and **Queen Palmer Elementary** (right — clockwise) are in progress, not only making a big improvement in appearance (note the difference in the North and Palmer photos), but also in energy conservation and an improved learning environment. The walls at Queen Palmer are also getting insulated.



The **Holmes Middle School** HVAC renovation and air-conditioning projects is moving fast with most the geo-exchange well field and the interior piping and ducts in and

Lots of other projects too...



New **Garry Berry Stadium** locker room facility



science room renovations



industrial arts renovations

Palmer High School



Mitchell HS —HVAC renovations above; new girls softball field below.



Other major projects finishing up include:

- Adding air-conditioning to: Mitchell HS, Holmes MS, Jackson ES, Rogers ES, Washington ES, Wilson ES
- New roofs at Keller ES & King ES
- Many technology system upgrades throughout our schools.



new addition excavation



Installing the fiber-optic **INET** under city roads



Coronado HS science room renovations

2007 has been our biggest construction year on record!

- This summer we accomplished some \$50 millions worth of work; on 142 projects (bond line items); at 48 schools.
- We will open two new schools, one major high school addition and reopen 4 completely reconfigured schools.
- Some new features are: added air-conditioning; highly efficient geo-thermal heating and cooling; energy efficient windows and doors, that really work; improved day-lighting in classrooms; and new security, fire alarm and intercom systems.