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VASHON ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 402
Board of Directors
NOTICE OF PUBLIC FORUM
REGARDING VHS FIELD TURF OPTIONS

The Board of Directors of Vashon Island School District No. 402 King County Washington will conduct a public forum to be held at the Vashon Island High School Theater, Thursday, October 6th, 2016 from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

The Board continues to gather information to develop a proposal to address critical facility needs in the District. The board and public will hear a presentation from Mr. Dave Anderson, principal engineer, of D.A. Hogan & Associates, regarding natural turf and synthetic field turf applications and options for athletic fields.

Mr. Anderson has been with D.A. Hogan & Associates since 1986. His experience includes over 200 athletic field and over 60 track projects involving both natural turf and synthetic turf fields and all types of running track surfaces. Mr. Anderson has designed over 100 sand based natural turf sports fields. His natural turf design work emphasizes drainage, wear resistance, root development, and active turf growth. Mr. Anderson's synthetic turf field experience includes over 100 fields with all types of turf configurations including over 80 resilient in-filled fields. As a founding member of the Synthetic Turf Council, Mr. Anderson has played an integral role in setting industry standards for synthetic turf playing surfaces.

The Board is in the information gathering phase of planning and has not determined a date for a final proposal, or for a bond election. In October through November the Board anticipates holding public meetings to discuss options and priorities prior to making decisions regarding a specific proposal and funding plan.

This event is for public information only and no board action will occur. This meeting is open to the public. Located at; Vashon Island High School Theater, 9600 SW 204th Ave, Vashon, WA 98070.

Michael Soltman
Superintendent

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