

State Of Maryland

2026 Bond Initiative Fact Sheet

1. Name Of Project		
Smithsburg High School		
2. Senate Sponsor	3. House Sponsor	
Corderman	Wivell	
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)	5. Requested Amount	
Washington County	\$250,000	
6. Purpose of Bond Initiative		
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, expansion, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the Smithsburg High School, including Auditorium renovations		
7. Matching Fund		
Requirements:	Type:	
Grant		
8. Special Provisions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian	
9. Contact Name and Title	Contact Ph#	Email Address
Benjamin Zamostny		3013054107
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)		
The Band Boosters of Smithsburg Area Schools is a 501c3 Non-Profit organization dedicated to raising funds to support the needs of the performing arts department at Smithsburg Area Schools.		

11. Description and Purpose of Project (Limit length to visible area)

The purpose of the project is to upgrade the Smithsburg High School Auditorium. Revitalizing the aged auditorium is essential to transforming a fading facility into a vibrant hub for performance arts education and community gathering. Upgrading the audio and visual systems will ensure every performance showcases top quality and encourages more students to pursue the arts. Finally, bringing the space into ADA compliance ensures that our space is truly inclusive and accessible to every student, family member, and guest, regardless of physical ability.

Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.

12. Estimated Capital Costs

Acquisition	\$0
Design	\$30,000
Construction	\$120,000
Equipment	\$440,000
Total	\$590,000

13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)

Nora Roberts Foundation	\$100,000
Anonymous Donor	\$75,000
Paul & Anna Shockey Foundation	\$150,000
Maryland 2026 LBI	\$250,000
Local Community/Business Support	\$15,000
Total	\$590,000

14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)			
Begin Design	Complete Design	Begin Construction	Complete Construction
7/23/2025	6/14/2026	TBD	TBD
15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised	16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site	17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete	
340000.00	2,000	2,200	
18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years			
Legislative Session	Amount	Purpose	
N/A		N/A	
19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee		Project Address (If Different)	
Band Boosters of Smithsburg Area Schools Inc 66 North Main Street Smithsburg Maryland 21783			
20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located	2A - Washington and Frederick Counties		
21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)			
Local Govt.	For Profit	Non Profit	Federal
[]	[]	[X]	[]
22. Grantee Legal Representative		23. If Match Includes Real Property:	
Name:	Angela Stouffer	Has An Appraisal Been Done?	Yes/No
Phone:	240-675-8220		No
Address:		If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value	
7 Schaller Lane Smithsburg, MD 21783			

24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site			
Current # of Employees	Projected # of Employees	Current Operating Budget	Projected Operating Budget
25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)			
A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?			Own
B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?			No
C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?			No
D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:			
Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease	Square Footage Leased
E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:			
Name of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew	
26. Building Square Footage:			
Current Space GSF	250,000 SF		
Space to be Renovated GSF	5,000 SF		
New GSF	5,000 SF		

27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion

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28. Comments

School Property is owned by the Washington County Board of Education. Our non-profit will draft an MOU with Board of Education upon receipt of the funding to improve school property and upgrade outdated equipment to benefit the performing arts program at Smithsburg High School.