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Hola! Bonjour! Ni Hao!

Welcome to the Collaborative for High Performance Schools (CHPS) Minor Renovations Patron Package. We are thankful for your interest and support on our path towards creating healthy, equitable, high-performance K-12 schools. We are confident that with your help and fellow industry professionals, we can (and will) improve our nation's infrastructure report card rating.

We believe that every school, not only those with the largest budget or best looking facility, should have an **equal opportunity** to successfully integrate impactful solutions that will increase student performance, positively impact the health and wellness of students/staff, reduce operating costs and enhance environmental stewardship. Whether the project is a new construction building or replacing the gym flooring, the same outcome should be able to be **achievable by all**.

Join us in closing the equity gap and making high-performance schools the rule and not the exception. The saying is true that "it takes a village", so we ask, will you be a part of our village?

Thank you!

Every organization has a story.....this is ours

CHPS was founded in 1999 in California

Became a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization

Believe every student should have equitable access to school facilities that foster their academic performance, wellbeing, and safety

Originally focused on addressing energy efficiency in schools to reduce operating costs

Shifted to include a focus on increasing the health of students + staff in K-12 schools and overall student performance

Established two active programs for schools/school districts to align to: CHPS Designed and CHPS Verified

Developed state specific CHPS criteria based on unique climates and environmental conditions

Noticed a gap in the industry for facility and maintenance projects and developed the Minor Renovations Program

We are looking to the future

to align the industry around the vision that every school district in the country should be able to improve the state of their school buildings efficiently and expeditiously







Photo: Longmeadow High School | OMR Architects | CHPS Verified

CHPS IS NATIONAL!

There is **over 750** CHPS projects nationwide

70+ school districts have used CHPS

11 states use CHPS as their state-specific criteria

4 of the top 20 largest school districts require that CHPS be used as their baseline

CHPS has a **social media presence** on Instagram, Facebook, X, YouTube and LinkedIn (Check us out!)

CHPS has a **recognized voice** in the industry by attending and speaking at conferences such as A4LE LearningSCAPES

THE

GAP

Outside of local building codes and school district or school design standards, there's currently **no industry-aligned set of best practices or baselines** for design teams and schools to align to for small scope minor renovations and facility projects that are focused on the health and performance of the occupants. This allows for inequitable design decisions to be made,

Photo: Fremont High School | Quattrocchi Kwok Architects | CHPS Verified





a **D+** on the 2021 Report Card for America's Infrastructure

4/10 public schools do not have a longterm facility plan



school facilities
represent the **second**largest sector of public
infrastructure spending,
after highways



53% of public school districts report the need to update or replace systems such as HVAC



Reference: 2021 Report Card for America's Infrastructure

Public schools serve as emergency shelters and community resource during a man-made or

national disaster



THE SOLUTION

or what we would like to call "The Minor Renovations Program"

There are many layers to the program that we will begin to uncover as the process moves forward, but to get going we have to start somewhere. Our first step forward is a **pilot program** that will include a clear roadmap and design baselines for small scope minor renovations and facility projects. We decided to start this program with **flooring, lighting and HVAC** projects since, on average, they are the most common facility upgrade needs.

The three scopes will have their own roadmap that will include relevant CHPS criteria and have a simplified format so the criteria can be **implemented in any school, anywhere**. We believe everyone should be able to be involved in making our schools a healthier place to learn and work, regardless if you're a design professional, facilities staff or administrator,

The solution can only be accomplished with **industry professionals** such as yourself who are also passionate about the health and wellness of our students and schools. We welcome you to a seat at the table to **share your voice** as we begin to develop the Minor Renovations program criteria.



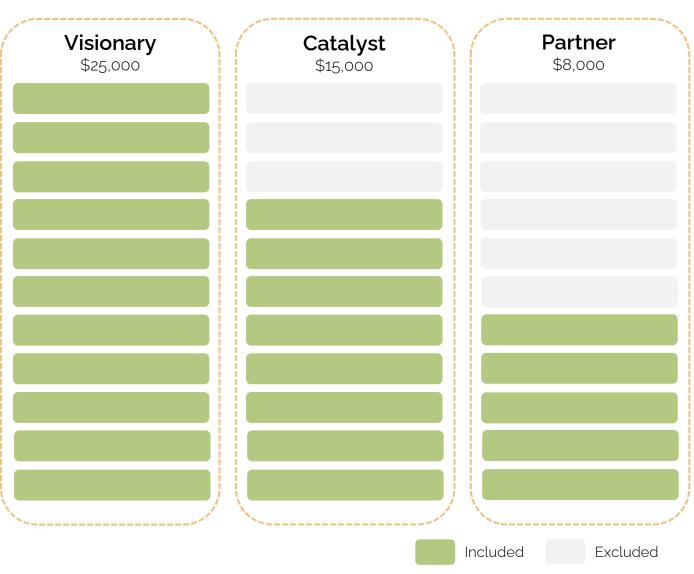






WE CAN'T DO THIS WITHOUT YOU

Company included in press/media pitches Opportunity to engage with media partner(s) 1 Seat on the Steering Committee 1 Seat on a Working Group (flooring, HVAC, lighting) 1-year CHPS organization membership Company profiled on the CHPS website Logo on CHPS website (Minor Renovations page) Logo on all Minor Renovations presentations Logo on CHPS newsletter when the Minor Renovations program is mentioned Social media shout-out Participate in pilot projects





artners

Mohawk Group









Sollaborating Partners





School Districts



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CONNECT WITH US!

Whether you want to get involved, learn more about what CHPS is doing or want to meet for a virtual (or in-person) coffee chat, we would love to hear from you!





