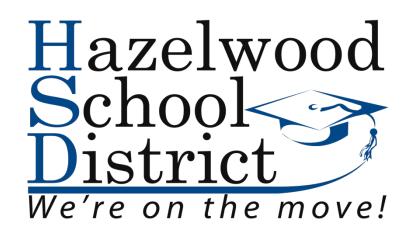
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### Learning Targets

#### You will learn how HSD:

- –responded to the Connecticut tragedy
- -reviewed and evaluated every aspect of school safety
- -provided ALICE safety training to all employees



#### The District

- 78 square miles
- 2<sup>nd</sup> largest district in St. Louis metropolitan area
- I-70 to the Mississippi River
- Most of the area North of I-270
- Includes all or parts of six cities and much of unincorporated St. Louis County



#### The District

- 32 schools
  - -3 high schools
  - -6 middle schools
  - -20 elementary schools
  - -3 early childhood centers
- Approximately 2400 employees
- 18,563 students
- 1441 teachers
  - -65.1% with advanced degrees

#### The District

- 23.9% Caucasian population
- 75.1% Minority population
  - -71.9 % African American
  - -2.1% Hispanic
  - -1.1% Asian
- 60.5% Students eligible for free/reduced lunch
- 2.8% Dropout rate
- 92.8% Graduate and attend higher education

### 2013 District Highlights

- Four schools earned between
   70% 79% of the points
- Six schools earned between
   80% 89% of the points
- Eleven schools earned between
   90% 98.6% of the points
- \*\*\*Seven schools earned 100% of the points
- \*\*\*District: **85.4**%

### Response to Sandy Hook

- Reviewed and evaluated every aspect of school safety
- Held three parent engagement forums
- Reestablished partnerships with law enforcement and fire officials

### Safety Upgrades

- Dangerous Intruder Procedures
- School Emergency Operations Manual
- Alert, Lockdown, Inform,
   Counter and Evacuate (ALICE)
   Training



### Safety Upgrades

- Conducted school safety audits with local law enforcement
- Worked with local fire marshals for compliance with fire codes and safety



#### **Process**

 Recommended safety upgrades through a collaborative process with various departments, staff, students parents, police and fire officials



### Priority 1 Safety Upgrades

- Interior classroom door numbering
- Exterior exit door numbering
- Interior exit door numbering
- Window numbering



## Priority 1 Safety Upgrades

- Silent alarm system for intruders
- Remote locking device for administration building
- Intruder lock door handles
- Key fobs for teachers
- Classroom keys for substitute teachers

## Priority 1 Safety Upgrades

- Keyless entry for exterior doors at the early childhood and elementary schools
- Keyless entry for middle schools (upgraded)



### Priority 1 - Budget

- Total cost of Priority 1: \$449,220
- Capital Projects Fund \$418,677
- Safe Schools/Healthy Student
   Grant \$24,547
- Maintenance department \$6,500



## Priority 2 Safety Upgrades

- Disaster Preparedness Kits for each teacher
- Silent alarm system for all District's buildings



### Priority 2 - Budget

- Total cost of Priority 2: \$20,139
- 2012-13 Fund Balances



## Priority 3 Safety Upgrades

- Modify and enhance existing Public Announcement (PA) System
- Interior and exterior cameras for elementary schools without cameras
- Exterior cameras for the seven elementary schools with interior taxed cameras

## Priority 3 Safety Upgrades

• Total cost for priority 3 – 2,194,264.



### Priority 3 - Budget

- Not recommended for completion at this time
- Will review annual operating budget



### Safety Upgrades Installation

- Priority 1 February 15, 2013 (complete)
- Priority 2 items June 3, 2013 (complete except silent alarms at the high schools)



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