Fall 2010

Baltimore City Public Schools partners with community organizations to explore possible solutions for financing capital improvements to city school buildings.



Fall 2011

Community partners launch the "Transform Baltimore" campaign dedicated to uniting school communities, organizations, and city leadership behind the goal of adopting and implementing a funding plan to renovate and modernize all public school buildings in Baltimore City.



Spring 2012

After extensive study, the "Jacobs Report" is completed detailing the inability of many Baltimore school buildings to adequately support quality instruction and pass a 5 cent tax on bottled beverages the overall poor condition of buildings. Firm estimates aimed at correcting building deficiencies and eliminating the backlog of deferred maintenance amount to \$2.4 billion.



Summer 2012 Baltimore City's Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake and City Council President Jack Young work together to within the City of Baltimore to help fund school construction efforts.



Fall 2012

After conducting community meetings across the city, Baltimore City Public Schools introduces its 21st Century School issues a report exploring alternative Buildings Four Our Kids proposal for community review and input.



The Maryland State Interagency Committee on School Construction financing models for Baltimore. The report the legislation. Many elected officials concludes that an alternative financing program can work, that such a program is Blake and House Speaker Michael Busch legal, and that it can provide a way to build address the crowd to show their support and fully renovate Baltimore's schools.

After extensive community review and input, the Baltimore City Board of Century School Buildings for Our Kids proposal which sets the ambitious goal of renovating or replacing all Baltimore School Buildings in 10 years. School communities, community leaders and partners, Baltimore's mayor, and the city's elected officials unite in



January 2013

February 2013 Thousands of parents, students, teachers, and community members rally in Annapolis to show support for including Mayor Stephanie Rawlingsfor the plan.



Spring 2013

The Baltimore City Delegation unites behind legislation establishing a partnership between Baltimore City Schools, the State, the Maryland Stadium Authority, and Baltimore City to implement an alternative financing program that will leverage \$60 million in funding, estimated to provide approximately \$1 billion in funding, establishing the 21st Century School Buildings Program.



Spring 2013

The four partners sign the Memorandum of Understanding outlining the roles and responsibilities of all members of the partnership, allowing work to begin.

