

# THE TIME IS NOW TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

### PROJECT HISTORY

Tn 1994 a referendum was passed for Lthe purposes of paying the cost of acquiring land; constructing a new grade 6-12 facility and related site work; remodeling, maintaining and renovating the Mineral Point Elementary School; and acquiring equipment and furnishings. The related site work on the plans included a stadium evidenced by the installation of the light poles with no lights as part of the referendum dollars spent. For almost two decades the district has been unable to implement the relocation of the field to the high school. The district was also unable to invest in infrastructure and related improvements at the elementary site. This has created baseball and football programs with fields that do not meet NFHS standards for regulation fields, are not able to host WIAA post-season events, and are not safe. Before the district made a significant investment in a site to remedy the current situation, a determination was made that the high school stadium site should be the eventual location and investment at the elementary site should be kept to a minimum.

### **PROJECT GOALS**

- · Create a safe community space for activities.
- Ensure access to events for those with disabilities.
- Build a facility that will benefit generations of students and community members.
- · Have a facility capable of hosting post-season games.

	Old Field	New Field
ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) Accessible		<b>√</b>
Regulation size field		✓
Locker rooms		✓
Showers		✓
Restrooms		✓
Ability to hold playoff games		✓
Adequate and safe bleacher seating for home and visiting fans		✓
Players and officials do not need to be bussed to the field		✓
Band equipment on-site		✓
Adequate fencing for field control		✓
Field maintenance equipment on-site		✓
Shelter for teams and officials		✓
Ticket booths to control cash flow		✓
Area surrounding the field is safe		<b>√</b>



### FAQ: Why not just renovate the old field?

A study was conducted to learn what the cost would be to upgrade each site. The elementary site has significant costs associated with bringing the site up to current codes and standards. The cost associated with increased parking capacity, locker rooms with showers, restrooms, relocating goal posts, visitor bleacher capacity, and re-crowning the field was similar to the cost of relocating. With cost being generally the same at each site, the benefits of having the high school stadium located adjacent to the high school ultimately was the preference of the district staff, the steering committee, and the school board.

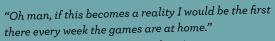
WE KNOW THE PROBLEMS; IT'S TIME TO BE PART OF THE SOLUTION.



## TRADITION CONTINUES

"I coached football for 34 years at MP and I have an emotional attachment to the old field. I understand why it is tough to move to a new facility. However, things change and times change. And as much as we would like to hang onto the past, it is not really for the benefit of the future. I feel that it is time to move to a facility that will emulate what we have with our high school and other athletic facilities." – Al Bauman





- Mitch Hamilton, Mineral Point Alumni





"Our community and school need to work together as a 'team' to make our stadium a reality. Let's have a football stadium that is top notch like our school and other athletic facilities."

– Ron Murphy, Former Mineral Point Football Head Coach



# PROJECT FUNDING

The overwhelming majority of the project will be funded using private funds. However, the school district recognizes ownership in the current stadium and the related routine maintenance required. In partnership with the community, the district has discussed making available funding for relocating the stadium at a comparable amount to the money that would have been budgeted to perform routine maintenance on the existing stadium.

The total project cost is \$835,000. The total project cost does not include the concession building, which has anticipated funding through in-kind donations. The project has the support of the Mineral Point Alumni Foundation, Mineral Point Gridiron Club, school administration and a dedicated steering committee.

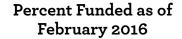
# PROJECT PROGRESS

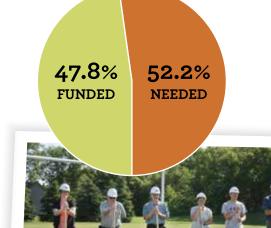
### COMPLETED as of February 1, 2016

- Electrical transformer and service connections
- Light Pole Bases
- Scoreboard
- ${\boldsymbol{\cdot}}$  Blasting for Sewer and Water Lines
- Plumbing
- $\bullet \ Irrigation \\$
- Goal Posts
- $\bullet \ Flagpole$
- Bleacher Footings
- Paving Parking Lot and Under Bleachers
- Site Work Concrete Curb, Sidewalk, Walls, Stairs, and Grading of Field
- Survey and Engineer Design

#### **UPCOMING**

- · Bleachers
- Press Box
- Lights
- · Concession building









### CORPORATE DONOR OPPORTUNITIES

All donations are tax deductible. Visit www.mpstadium.com for more information.



### Championship Club • \$25,000 +

- 8' x 5'6" sign\* proudly displayed on the back of the Press Box for five years. One-time opportunity to renew for an additional five years for half of initial donation. (Sign space limited to four signs see above.)
- **Featured game sponsor** once a year for five years. This includes: logo/acknowledgment on the game program cover, pre-game introduction and recognition at halftime.
- Half-page advertisement in Mineral Point home football programs for five years.
- Name announcement throughout the football, volleyball, basketball, and wrestling seasons as a Championship sponsor.
- Name recognition proudly displayed on donor recognition signage on school grounds.

### **Victory Club • \$12,500 +**

- 7' x 3' sign\* proudly displayed on the top bleacher fence for five years. One-time opportunity to renew for additional five years for half of initial donation. (Sign space limited to ten signs see above.)
- Quarter-page advertisement in Mineral Point home football programs for five years.
- Name announcement throughout the football, volleyball, basketball, and wrestling seasons as a Victory Club sponsor.
- Name recognition proudly displayed on donor recognition signage on school grounds.

### **End Zone Club • \$5,000 +**

- 5' x 3' sign\* proudly displayed on fence around stadium for five years. One-time opportunity to renew for an additional five years for half of initial donation
- One-eighth page advertisement in Mineral Point home football programs for five years.
- Name announcement throughout the football, volleyball, basketball, and wrestling seasons as an End Zone Club sponsor.
- Name recognition proudly displayed on donor recognition signage on school grounds.
- \* Note: sign sizes may vary slightly.

### INDIVIDUAL DONOR OPPORTUNITIES

### Touchdown Club • \$5,000 +

- Name recognition proudly displayed on donor recognition signage on school grounds.
- Acknowledgment in Mineral Point home football programs for five years.
- One-time complimentary golf hole sponsorship, foursome, and dinner at the annual Gridiron Golf Outing OR four (4) complimentary tickets to the Sportsman Raffle and Dinner Banquet.
- One-time Mineral Point football game VIP. Select the game of your choice and receive: front-row parking at stadium, four (4) sideline passes, and halftime recognition.
- Four (4) engraved seats on the athletic field bleachers
- Five-year family activity pass to all Mineral Point sports regular season home games (excludes WIAA post-season events).

### Field Goal Club • \$3,000 +

- Name recognition proudly displayed on donor recognition signage on school grounds.
- Acknowledgment in Mineral Point home football programs for three years.
- One-time complimentary golf and dinner for two (2) at the annual Gridiron Golf Outing OR two (2) complimentary tickets to the Sportsman Raffle and Dinner Banquet.
- One-time Mineral Point football game VIP. Select the game of your choice and receive: front-row parking at stadium, two (2) sideline passes, and halftime recognition.
- Two (2) engraved seats on the athletic field bleachers
- Three-year family activity pass to all Mineral Point sports regular season home games (excludes WIAA post-season events).

### First Down Club • \$1,000 +

- Name recognition proudly displayed on donor recognition signage on school grounds.
- Acknowledgment in Mineral Point home football programs for one year.
- One-time complimentary golf and dinner for one (1) at the annual Gridiron Golf Outing OR one (1) complimentary ticket to the Sportsman Raffle and Dinner Banquet.
- One-time Mineral Point football game VIP. Select the game of your choice and receive: one (1) sideline pass, and half-time recognition.
- One (1) engraved seat on the athletic field bleachers
- One-year family activity pass to all Mineral Point sports regular season home games (excludes WIAA post-season events).

### Tackle Club • \$500 +

- Two (2) engraved seats on the athletic field bleachers.
- Acknowledgment in the Mineral Point football program for one (1) year.

### **Engraved Seat • \$250**

- One (1) engraved seat on the athletic field bleachers.
- Acknowledgment in the Mineral Point football program for one (1) year.

# BUILT BY THE COMMUNITY, FOR THE COMMUNITY.

Join the following donors in leaving a lasting legacy for Mineral Point.



### CORPORATE DONORS

End Zone Club • \$5,000 + Cummins Emission Solutions Farmers Savings Bank Ivey's Construction Karol's Kure in Loving Memory of Ron & Karol Thousand Kwik Trip Mineral Point Alumni Foundation Viking Explosives

### INDIVIDUAL DONORS

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Engraved Seat • \$250

Vickie Dahl & friends Luke Francois Skip & Brenda Lee Tom & Kathy Thousand Rob & Carolyn Bossert Ron & Linda Murphy Kim White-Faull

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