



ANKENY
COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Parent Advisory Council

November 18, 2021

Dr. Erick Pruitt, Superintendent &
Dr. Darin Haak, Chief of Operations



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Our Mission:

Ankeny Community Schools is **unified** in its commitment, passion, and vision so **every learner** is prepared to **achieve** a lifetime of **personal success**.

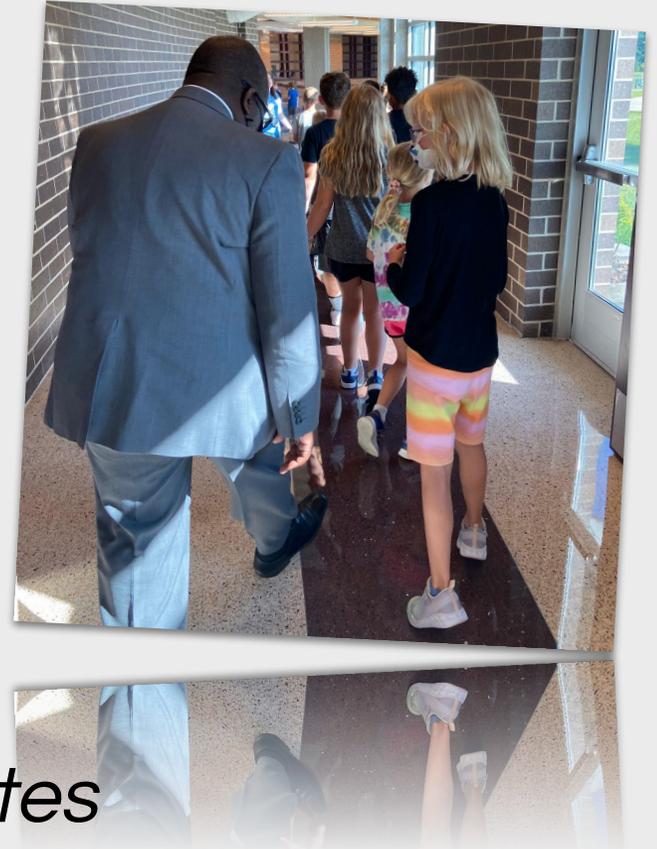
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Agenda

- **Welcome and Agenda Review**-*5 minutes*
- **Strategic Planning Updates**-*10 minutes*
- **Ankeny Schools Facility Planning**-*70 minutes*
- **Reflections, Wrap Up, and Next Steps**-*5 minutes*





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PAC Purpose



Bring together parents/guardians to **assist with achieving the district's educational goals** and to **provide input and feedback on activities and strategies** intended to support the success of each student.



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Community Agreements

- Be curious, open, and respectful
- One voice at a time
- Speak from your own experience
- Challenge assumptions
- Be conscious of intent vs. impact
- Encourage each other to follow the ground rules
- It's not about perfection but about connection and learning

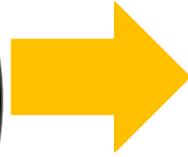




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What is Strategic Planning?

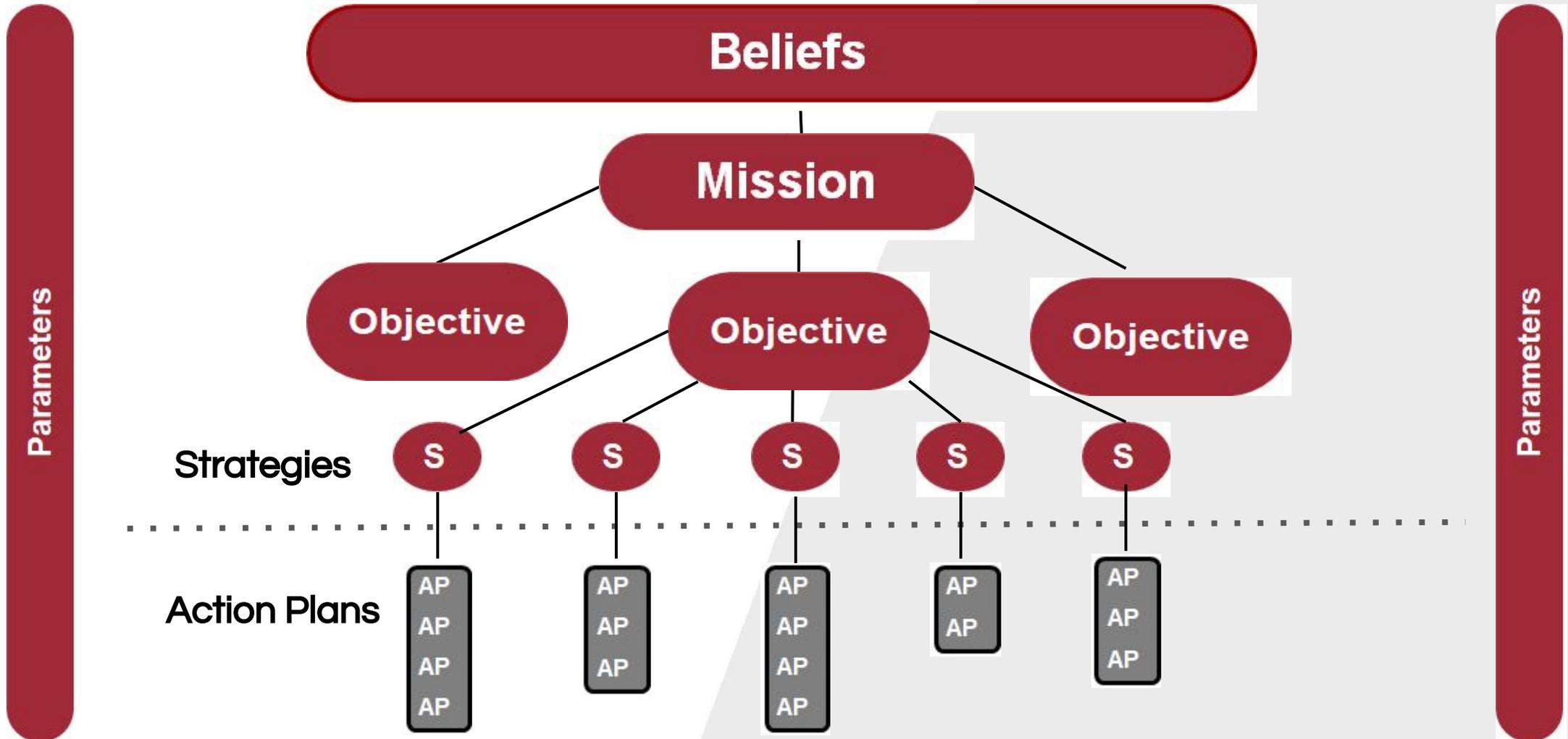
Where are we now?



Where do we want to go?



How are we getting there?





Reflecting on the Draft Framework

1. What **questions** do you have about the draft framework?
2. What about the draft framework **resonates** with you? Why?
3. What about the draft framework is raising **concerns / wonderings**? Why?
4. What **role would you like to play** in the next step of the process? (If you'd like to serve on an action team, please identify which team(s) interest you.)
5. What other **resources** (people, committees, data sets, etc.) should be consulted in the next phase of the strategic planning work?



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Facilities Planning

- Outcomes
 - Community learns about the components of facilities planning in Ankeny
 - Community learns about the current enrollment and growth data
 - Community has the opportunity to provide feedback to the district for future planning





Facilities Planning



- Primary Components
 - Maintenance of current facilities
 - Funding maintenance, renovation, and construction
 - Planning and designing new construction and renovation
 - Using data to inform future planning

Assessment of Current Facilities

- School Facility Audit
- Stakeholder Feedback
- Facility Planning Committee



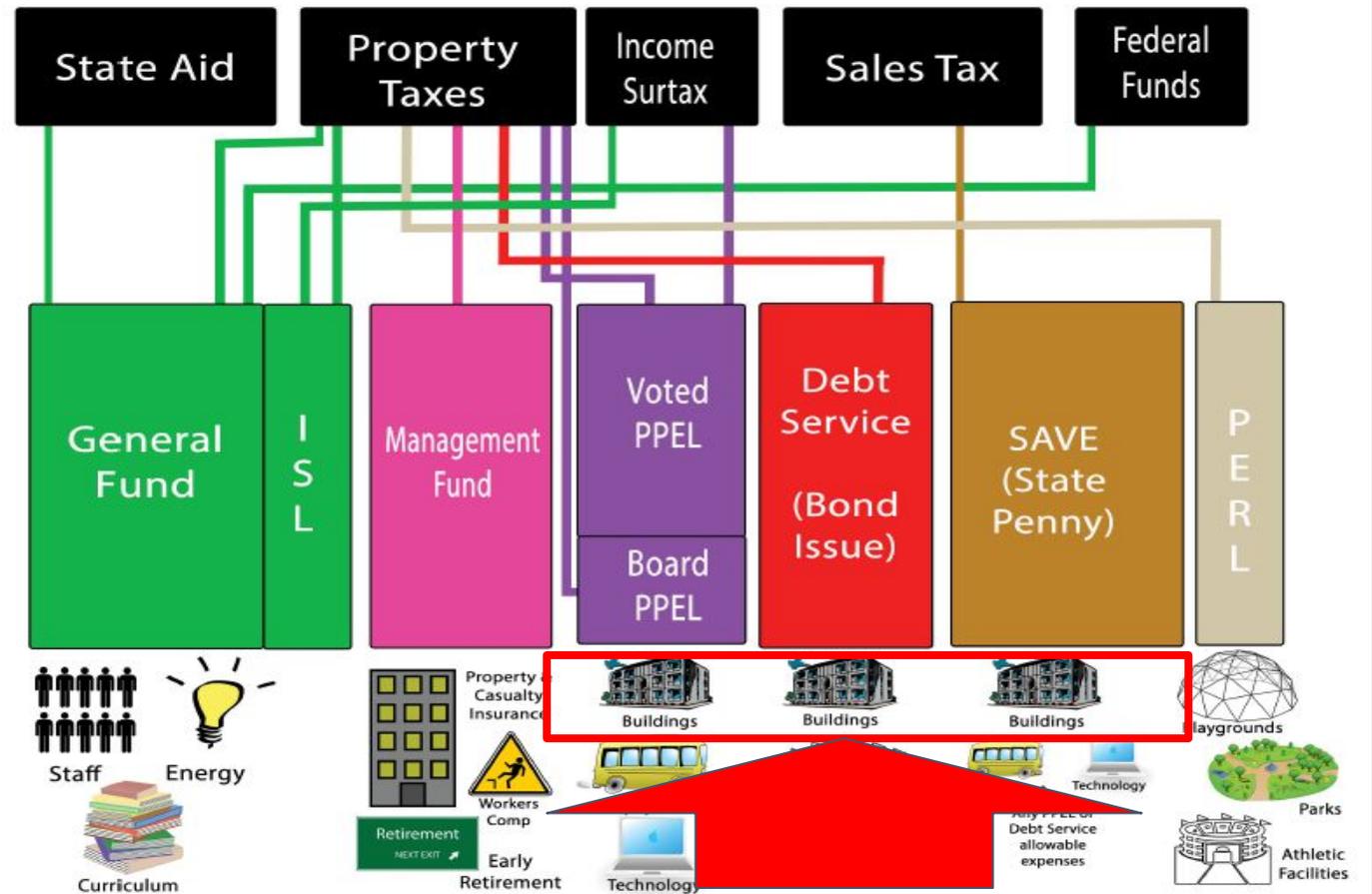


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At Your Table...

- Review the list of projects completed in the 2020-2021 school year
- Based on what has been presented, what questions do you have about the process of evaluating and maintaining current buildings?
- What value(s) would you want to be sure our facilities maintenance plans reflect about the District and the ACSD community?

1. General Obligation (G.O.) Bonds
2. Statewide Sales Tax aka SAVE Fund
3. Physical Plant and Equipment Levy (PPEL)



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General Obligation Bonds

- Voter Approved
- Debt Service levy limit \$4.05
- Current rate \$2.19
- Levy rate pays principal and interest on existing bonds
- Current G.O. Debt \$61.4 million





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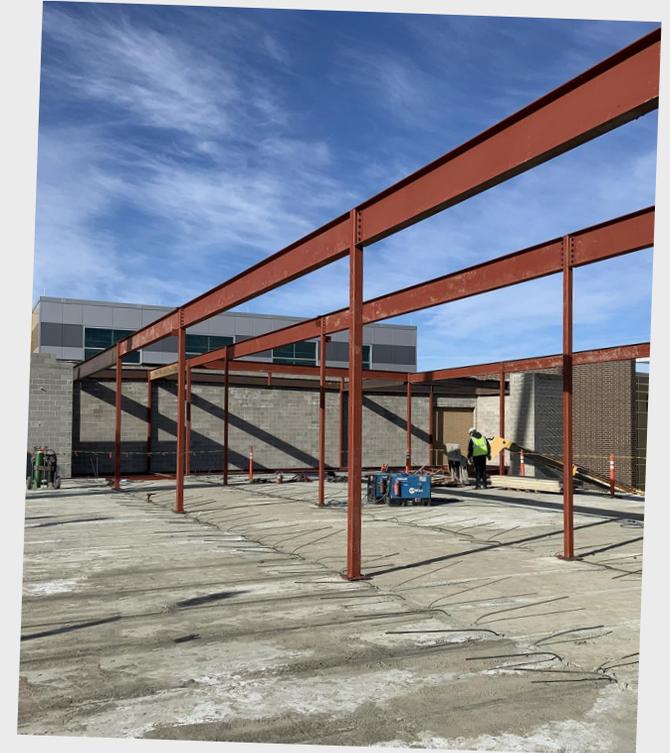
Statewide Sales Tax SAVE

- One-cent sales tax for school infrastructure
- Estimated FY21-22 revenue \$13.5 million
- Sunsets January 1, 2051
- Revenue Purpose Statement passed March 2021
- Bond in anticipation of future sales tax revenues
- Current SAVE Revenue Bond debt \$64.2 million



Physical Plant and Equipment Levy (PPEL)

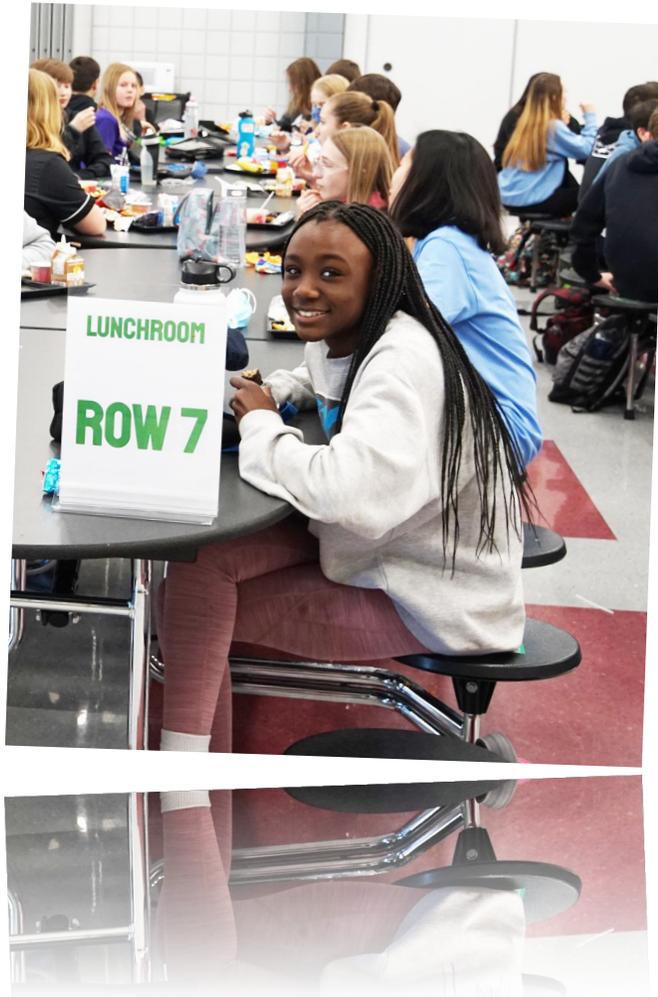
- Total Levy \$1.67
 - Voter approved portion \$1.34
 - Board approved portion \$.33
- Generates \$7.8 million annually
- Used for repair and maintenance of existing facilities and some new construction
- 10-year levy, renewal in 2023





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At Your Table...



- Based on what has been presented, what questions remain about the funding of maintenance, renovation, and construction projects?
- What format would be useful for additional learning? What additional information is needed?



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Construction and Renovation Design

- Role of Director of Construction
 - Projects are based on district data and long range planning
- Role of Architects and Engineers
 - Stakeholder input
- Role of Construction Manager or Contractor (outside ACSD)
- Current Construction Projects





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At Your Table...

- Review the construction project summaries
- Based on what has been presented, what questions do you have about the process of design for construction?
- What value(s) would you want to be sure our construction plans reflect about the District and the ACSD community?



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Future Planning

Considerations

- Enrollment and demographic data
- Academic programming
- Building Capacity
- Transportation
- Implications for boundaries, feeder systems, and grade configurations





At Your Table...

- Review the data and the questions provided by the demographer
- Based on what has been presented, what other factors should be considered?
- What are additional strategies that should be considered to receive input and feedback from the community?
- Reflecting upon your previous responses, what value(s) would you want to be sure our future facilities and boundary plans reflect about the District and the ACSD community?



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Reflection & Wrap Up

Strategic Plan Action Team Kick-Off

Week of December 6, 2021 - More Information to Come!

December Parent Advisory Council Meeting

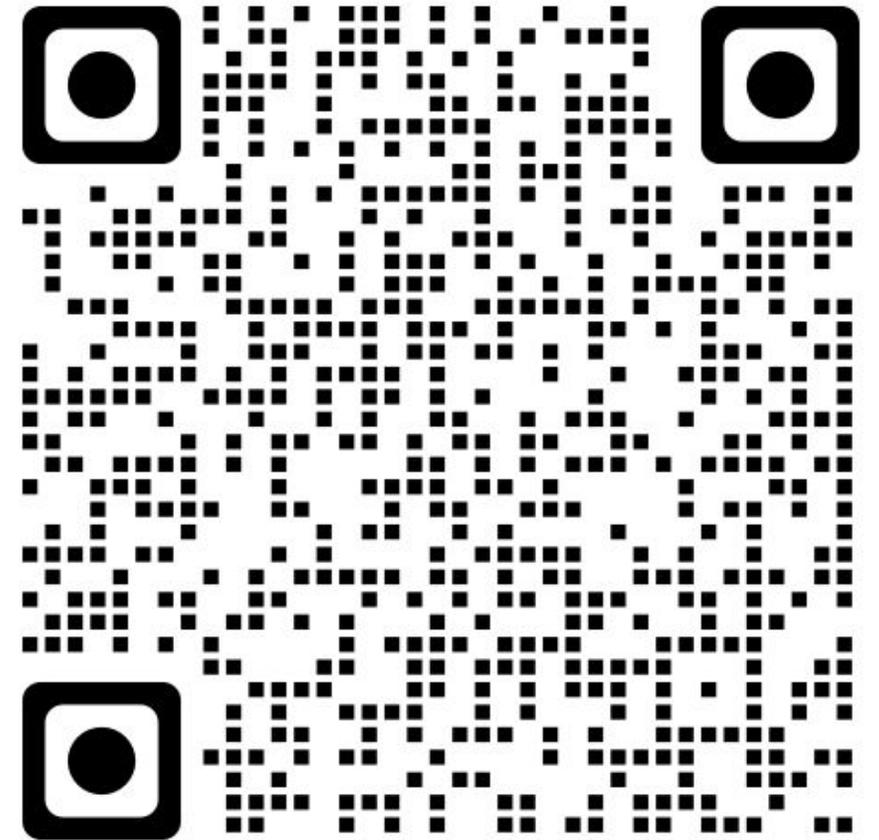
Thursday, December 9, 2021 - Canvas, Standards Referenced Grading



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Reflection & Wrap Up

Scan here to get involved with the strategic plan and to share your input about tonight's meeting.





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Thank you!

