Work Activity #2

Instructions: You have $100 to earmark toward facilities in the Iowa City Community School District. Your table must come to a consensus on how best to allocate these funds towards the needs and issues facing the district. Please fill out the table below, indicating the amount of your allocation according to the discussion at your table. You are not required to set aside an earmark for each item, but you must spend all $100.

_____ NEIGHBORHOOD SCHOOLS - A school that serves the area around its location. Students and parents can walk or drive to school without leaving boundaries for school.

_____ SAFE SCHOOLS - Buildings and classrooms equipped with safety and security features.

_____ AIR-CONDITIONING - All schools fully air-conditioned.

_____ INFRASTRUCTURE UPGRADES - Replace outdated plumbing, HVAC, electrical, and roofs.

_____ IMPROVE ENERGY EFFICIENCY - Building envelopes and systems improved to lower energy costs.

_____ MULTI-PURPOSE SPACES - Equity of gym and multi-purpose space, cafeteria, kitchen, and serving area size.

_____ ATHLETIC FACILITIES - Equivalency with other districts.

_____ ADEQUATE SITE SIZE - Each facility has adequate space for playgrounds, parking, and athletic facilities.

_____ CONSTRUCT FACILITIES - Additions, renovations, and new facilities to accommodate enrollment growth.

_____ ACCESSIBILITY - Ensure all facilities are accessible to individuals with physical disabilities.

_____ MODULAR/TEMPORARY CLASSROOMS - Eliminate modular/temporary classrooms.

_____ CLASS SIZE - Adequate facilities supporting a proper student-teacher ratio.

_____ OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCIES - Right-size buildings to enhance operational efficiencies.

_____ CLASSROOM UPGRADES - Upgrades to classrooms to enhance educational delivery.

_____ OTHER - Please explain: __________________________________________________________

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