

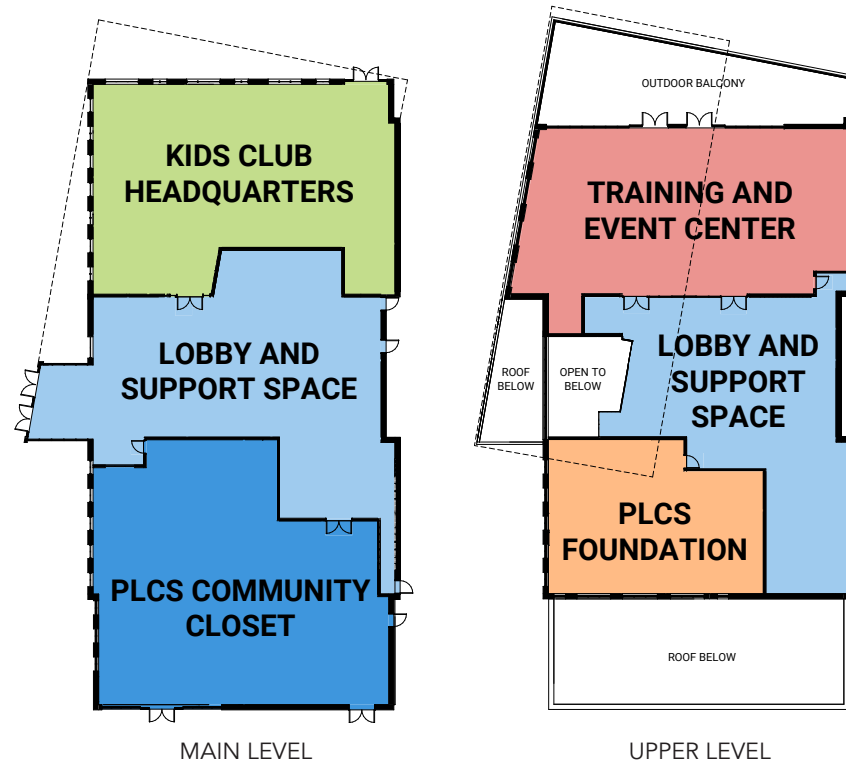


GROWING UP **GREATER**

Build a Better Future Together

Growing Up Greater is a three-year, \$10 million community fundraising campaign designed to strengthen connections between our schools and the community. Funds raised will support the construction of a modern, two-story Community Engagement Center on the PLCS Central Office campus.

Led by the PLCS Foundation, the campaign welcomes support from local businesses, foundations, educators, alumni, and friends who believe in the power of education and community.



Will you give generously to help PLCS kids grow up greater?

Naming and donor recognition opportunities are available throughout the Center. Leave a legacy of support with your generous gift. Thank you for helping to build a better future together!

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Papillion La Vista Community Schools
Foundation

Dear **PLCS Friends,**

Our schools are, and always have been, the heart of this community.

Strong community support has made this the ideal place for our kids to learn and grow up. But today, surges in population and student enrollment present new challenges: How do we preserve the deep community connections that built PLCS? How do we continue to give every child an opportunity to grow up even greater?

The PLCS Foundation is leading a bold initiative to address these challenges. It is a new concept that will show what's possible when a community comes together for kids and families. We're calling it the PLCS Community Engagement Center.

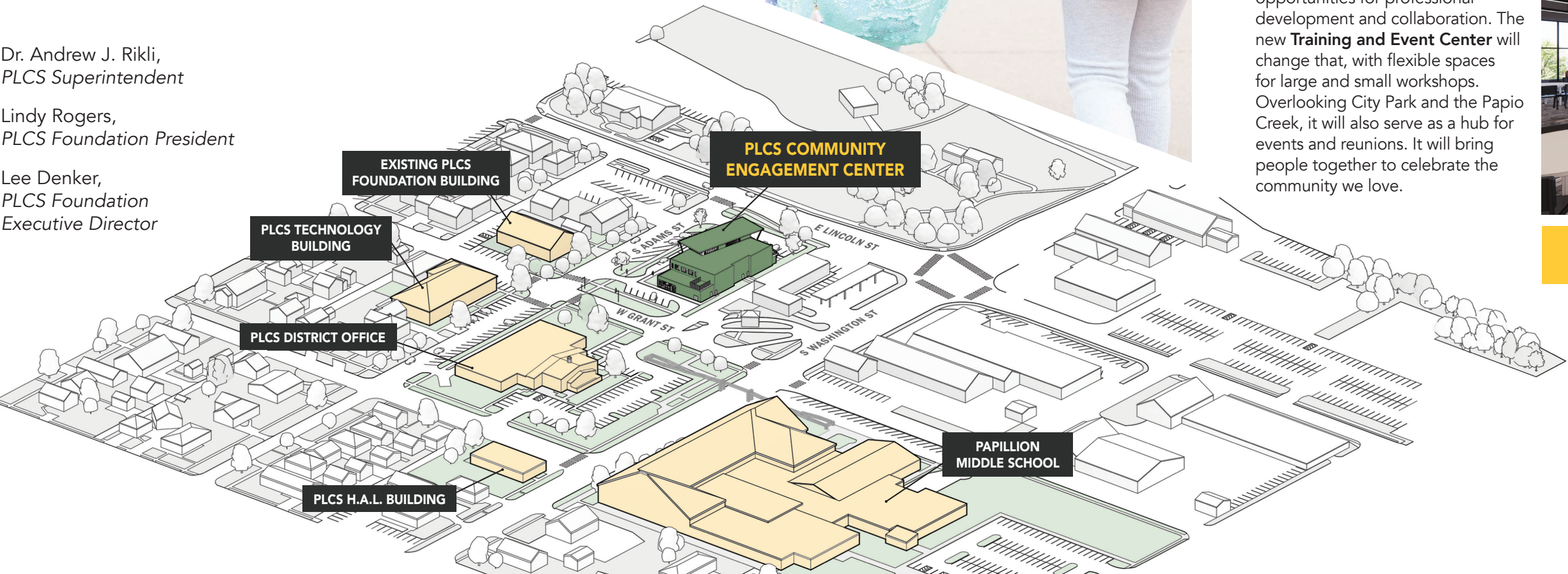
The PLCS Community Engagement Center represents more than a building project. It's a promise to our children, our families, and our community's future. And we ask you to join in this unique moment of opportunity.

With your help, students and families will benefit for generations to come. Thank you!

Dr. Andrew J. Rikli,
PLCS Superintendent

Lindy Rogers,
PLCS Foundation President

Lee Denker,
PLCS Foundation Executive Director



The **PLCS Community Engagement Center** will be conveniently located within the historic PLCS Central Office campus. It will feature state-of-the-art spaces designed to improve programs that enhance educational success.

Since 2021, the **PLCS Community Closet** has offered free clothing and hygiene products to families in need. It served 694 families in its first year and grew to nearly 1,000 in 2024. Rising demand highlights both growing need and its vital role. But with limited space, we're at a turning point. A larger, better-equipped facility will help more students access the essentials for success.



Centralized teacher training facilities are stretched to capacity—limiting opportunities for professional development and collaboration. The new **Training and Event Center** will change that, with flexible spaces for large and small workshops. Overlooking City Park and the Papio Creek, it will also serve as a hub for events and reunions. It will bring people together to celebrate the community we love.



Kids Club is a lifeline for working parents by providing safe, school-based childcare in all PLCS elementary schools. It serves 1,300 students annually with high-quality care while offering teens meaningful, paid jobs. With expanded headquarters and collaboration space, Kids Club will enhance operations to help more families.



Founded in 1986 by community volunteers, the **PLCS Foundation** is committed to supporting student needs beyond public funding. Our new headquarters will expand our impact, strengthen partnerships, and highlight PLCS's rich history through preserved artifacts.

