

GREEN MEADOWS BUILDING PROJECT

March 2004

The Green Meadows Elementary School renovation and expansion project was begun in June 2003 with a symbolic ground breaking. The event was hosted by Principal Jeff Sullivan and the teachers, staff and students of Green Meadows.

This is a \$9.75 million project, the first major expansion of the facility in many years. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts has agreed to reimburse the Town for approximately 70% of the cost.

The project involves the addition of a new wing of classrooms, a new library and media center, as well as new pre-kindergarten classrooms. Substantially all of the existing building will be renovated. In addition, there are plans to replace the athletic fields that have been lost to the expansion.

The project is to be completed in three phases, with Phase 1 scheduled to be completed in April 2004. As of the date of this report, the project is on time and on budget. If you would like more information on the Green Meadows project, I invite you to log on to the School's web site at www.hwrsd.org/GreenMeadows.

I would like to thank all of the hard working members of the Building Committee, in particular Duane Mosier, for their dedication to this project. I would also like to thank Superintendent Paul Gagliarducci and Principal Jeff Sullivan for their professionalism and commitment to the School and Town of Hampden.

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