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The EFC is a proud co-sponsor of Community School Facilities Webinar

September 15th



School construction and renovation provide unique opportunities for authentic community engagement and the advancement of community schools. Hear how the

Cincinnati Public Schools engaged families and residents to build an entire district of new schools that are the centers of their neighborhoods. Learn about Baltimore's strategy to leverage their new facilities plan to build schools that provide space for partners and community members to help their schools thrive. And hear about the latest trends in community and partner use for school facilities. [Read More](#)

The EFC is a proud co-sponsor of Mid-Atlantic Center for Children's Health and the Environment 12th Annual Conference

September 19th



This year's conference will focus on healthy buildings, with an emphasis on school and medical office buildings. Participants will receive an overview of elements of a healthy building and will choose between two breakout tracks: Greening the Medical Office and Creating a Healthy School Building. [Read More](#)



Bricks and Mortar: Community Schools as an Essential Facilities Strategy

by **Helen Janc Malone & Reuben Jacobson**

School buildings communicate important messages to our children, their families, the community, and the educators and personnel that work there. A school's physical appearance speaks to people about the value our society places on education and on the role of the school in the community. Too often, our urban school facilities send the wrong messages. [Read More](#)

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- Frederick W. Robertson