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GROUNDBREAKING HELD FOR A NEW WING AND ADDITION AT GREELEYVILLE STEAM ACADEMY

On November 18th at 10:00 AM, Greeleyville STEAM Academy (GSA) held a groundbreaking ceremony to mark the beginning of a significant construction project. The Project-Based Learning Wing project will add a 5th-grade wing, classroom spaces, a gymnasium, a cafeteria, media space, and science labs. This project has been in development for several years and is expected to take approximately twelve (12) months to complete. The estimated cost is \$10 million, funded by the South Carolina State Department of Education. The existing building covers 36,268 square feet, while the new addition will add 22,038 square feet. FW Architects, Inc. of Florence, SC designed the new addition for Greeleyville STEAM Academy.

According to Ms. Jennifer Murray, Principal of GSA, "This is an exciting day for Greeleyville STEAM Academy's scholars, parents, and the community. We are thrilled to be a part of this process ensuring our boys and girls have access to state-of-the-art facilities." During the ceremony, remarks were made by Ms. Murray, Dr. Kelvin Wymbs, WCSD Superintendent, Senator Ronnie Sabb, Representative Roger Kirby, Mayor of Greeleyville, Mr. Jessie Parker, Mayor of Lane, Mr. Charlie Fulton, and School Board Chair, Ms. Marva Cannion.