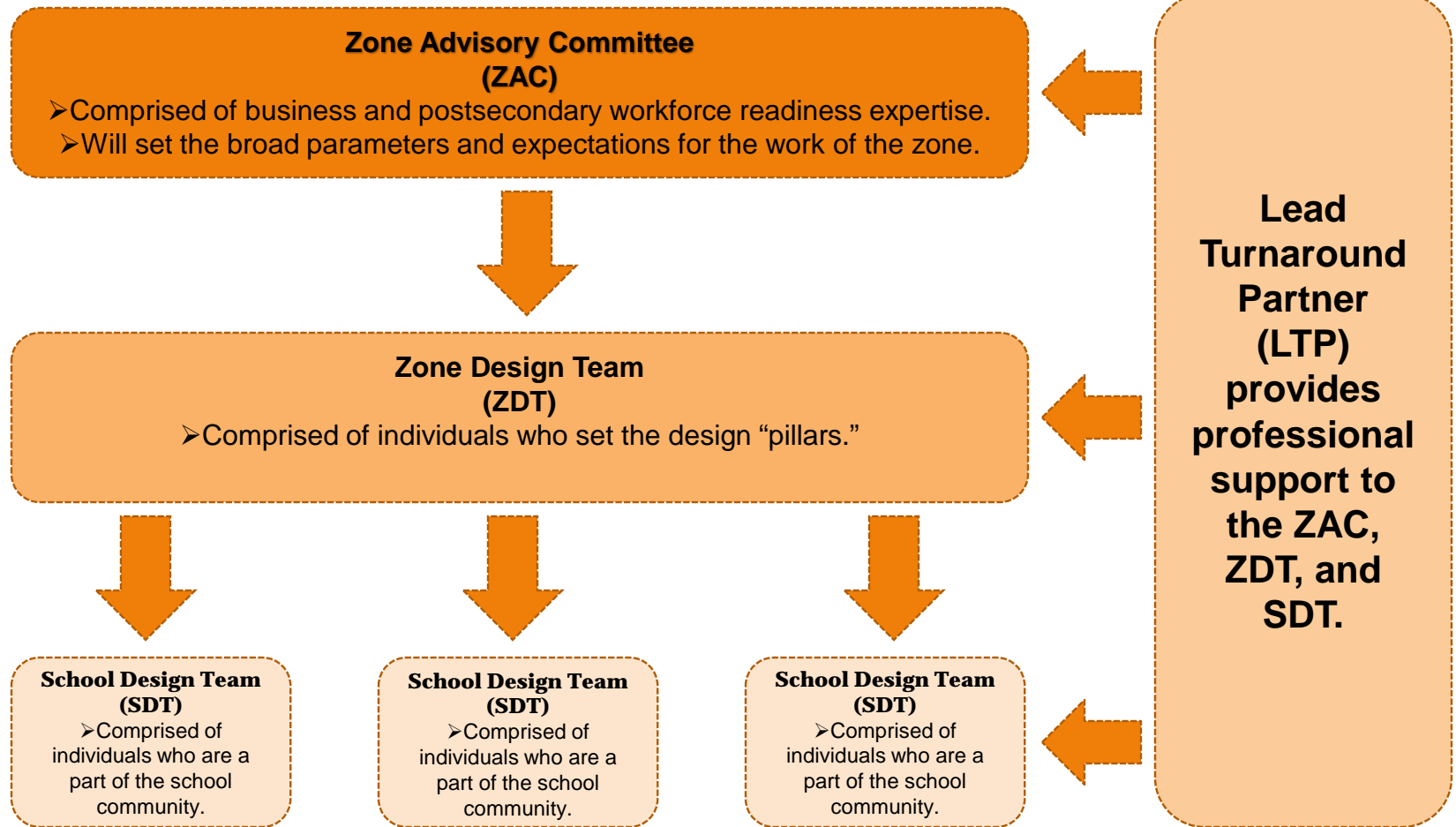


# Aurora Public Schools



**AURORA COMMUNITY-BASED  
TRANSFORMATION, INNOVATION AND  
OPPORTUNITY NETWORK  
“A.C.T.I.O.N. ZONES”**

# ACTION Zone Design Platform



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- **Lead Turnaround Partner (LTP)**
  - Engaged in Summer 2015 and their work will be ongoing.
    - ✦ **Group outcomes:**
      - The LTP will be responsible for the day-to-day logistics of coordinating the design work and will be expected to support the work of the design teams.
      - The LTP will be expected to bring national expertise that can complement the local content for Zone 1.

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- **Zone Advisory Committee (ZAC)**
  - This group will convene in Summer 2015 and will meet 4-6 times.
    - ✦ **Group outcomes:**
      - Set the vision of the innovation zone work by making sure the goals and priorities of APS 2020 Strategic Plan: Shaping the Future are at the center of the design platform.
      - Design the philosophical framework for the Zone.
      - Engage the broader Aurora community around leveraging resources that work towards improving educational outcomes for the Zone.

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- **Zone Design Team (ZDT)**
  - This group will convene in August and will include representation from each building as well as community representation.
    - ✦ **Group outcomes:**
      - Set the “design pillars” of the ACTION Zone.
      - Propose a variety of models and options for collaboration among Zone schools.

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- **School Design Team (SDT)**
  - This group will convene in August and will include stakeholders of the school community.
    - ✦ Group outcomes:
      - Facilitate the “design pillars” of the school community.
- **Recommendations of the SDT and ZDT will be presented to and evaluated by the ZAC.**

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- **Project timeline:**
  - School Year 2014-2015
    - ✦ Engage community stakeholders
    - ✦ Identify ZAC, ZDT and SDT
    - ✦ Identify project lead
    - ✦ Identify potential outside funding sources
    - ✦ Identification of ACTION Zone 1
    - ✦ Identify clear zone outcomes and priorities
  - School Year 2015-2016
    - ✦ Planning year for Zone 1
    - ✦ Innovation proposal presented to APS Board of Education and State Board of Education
    - ✦ Identification of need, priorities and location of Zone 2
    - ✦ Engage Zone 2 community

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- School Year 2016-2017
  - ✦ Implementation of Zone 1
  - ✦ If appropriate, planning year for Zone 2
- School Year 2017-2018
  - ✦ Implementation of Zone 2
  - ✦ Detailed implementation evaluation and review
  - ✦ Identification of need, priorities and location of Zone 3
  - ✦ Engage Zone 3 community
- School Year 2018-2019
  - ✦ If appropriate, planning year for Zone 3
- School Year 2019-2020
  - ✦ Implementation of Zone 3