

Halton District School Board

Milton SW #1 hs Boundary Review Committee

Thursday, February 13, 2020, 7:00-9:00 pm
Milton Learning Centre

Notes

Staff present:

Gord Truffen, David Boag, John Pennyfather, Andréa Grebenc, Heather Gerrits, Domenico Renzella, Michelle D'Aguiar, Mitchell Gundy, Joanna Oliver,

BRC members:

Allison Sitlani, Uyen Brockway, Krina Patel, Lara Cole, Jennifer Sibbitt, SueMaurice, Jennifer Black, April Bond, Dianne Storey, Blair Fleming, Lisa Laba, Dave Jolly, Robyn Irving, Sonia Nayar, Paige Pinder, Ed Miedzybrocki, Mark Tomecek, Stephen Hurley, Lisa Loucks, Kerrie McAlister, Vince Mancini, Niki Ferreira, Lianne Treanor, Louise Thewlis, Beth Duraiappah, Michelle Stockton, tanya Wilson, WendySmith, Shailene Papple, Stacey Skiba, Shari White, Imran Haq, Deb Hilton, Shabina Khan, Sabeen Aziz, Greg Ollerenshaw, Sandra Stewart-Fearndside, Fran Leith, Lettsie Phillips, Natasha LaKhan, Natasha Armstrong

Regrets:

Jacqueline Newton, Donna Danielli

1. Welcome to the Boundary Review Committee 7:03 pm
 - Trustee Oliver welcomes the BRC and goes over the layout of the meeting.
 - Trustee Oliver Honours the Land and Territory.
2. Purpose of a Boundary Review?
 - The mandate of this Boundary Review Committee is to review the current boundaries for Milton District High School, Craig Kielburger High School and Dr. Frank Hayden High School and establish a boundary for the new Milton High School.
3. Questions that came in:
 - What is the percentage/number of students residing in the Kilbride catchment that attend Milton DHS & how many attend Hayden on O/A.
4. Transportation Consideration
 - Proximity to schools (walking distances, safe school routes, natural boundaries).
 - Cost effectiveness of transportation.

- Transported and Non-Transported zones within current catchments
 - The following distances determine eligibility for home to school transportation:
 - Elementary 1.6 km
 - Secondary 3.2 km
5. Grandparenting
- Grandparenting is a decision to allow existing students of a specific grade(s) in a neighbourhood(s) or geographic area(s) to remain at their current school until they complete a particular grade at that school (e.g., grade 11 and 12). This usually occurs in situations where changes to school boundaries have taken place.
 - When not grandparented, change in boundaries would normally require affected students to change schools.
 - Students being grandparented are provided transportation subject to the HDSB transportation policies.
 - Siblings of students that have been grandparented will be directed (unless otherwise stated) to the designated school as per the new approved school boundary.
 - Students preferring not to be grandparented may apply for Optional Attendance as per the Board's Administrative Procedure. Historically, the Halton District School Board has made an effort to grandparent students in their graduating year.
6. Criteria for the BRC to consider when evaluating the options.
- Viability of Program
 - Proximity to schools
 - Portables and Portapaks
 - Balance of overall enrolment
 - Stable, long-term boundaries
 - Transportation
 - Fiscally Responsible
 - Student Experience
 - Other, if anything comes to mind.
7. Guiding Questions
- What options do you feel have promise?
 - What can you offer to make options better?
 - What options can you NOT live with? Why?
 - What did we miss (e.g., alternate options)?
8. New Options & Materials
- Progression rules (uptake to grade 9 FI)
 - This data shows what percentage goes to their feeder schools for FI.
 - Kilbride Data
 - Map displays grade 8s at Kilbride over 3 years.
 - The spreadsheet shows the number of students and where they attended for grade 9.

- Option 1b
 - The difference between option 1 and 1b is Escarpment View PS goes to Milton D.H.S.
 - Craig Kielburger SS
 - Anne J MacArthur PS (ENG and FI east of Ontario St, Reg Rd 25)
 - Hawthorne Village PS
 - Irma Coulson PS
 - Tiger Jeet Singh PS
 - Viola Desmond PS (FI program , ENG east of Sixteen Mile creek)
 - TBD Area
 - Milton DHS
 - Bruce Trail PS
 - Chris Hadfield PS
 - Martin Street PS (unified cohort)
 - Sam Sherratt PS
 - WI Dick PS
 - Escarpment View PS
 - P.L. Robertson PS (FI)
 - Anne J. MacArthur PS (FI west of Ontario St, Reg Rd 25)
 - Brookville PS (split cohort with Acton DHS)
 - Milton SW #1 hs
 - Anne J MacArthur PS (ENG, west of Ontario St, Reg Rd 25)
 - Boyne PS
 - P.L. Robertson PS (ENG)
 - Viola Desmond PS (ENG, west of 16 Mile Creek)
 - Kilbride PS (split cohort with Dr. Frank J Hayden SS)
- Option 7b
 - Kilbride remains unified and goes to Dr. Frank J Hayden SS.
 - Craig Kielburger SS
 - Bruce Trail PS
 - Chris Hadfield PS
 - Martin Street PS (ENG, east of Cedar Hedge Rd)
 - Hawthorne Village PS
 - Irma Coulson PS (ENG program)
 - Viola Desmond PS (ENG, east of 16 Mile Creek)
 - Milton DHS
 - Escarpment View PS
 - Martin St (Eng west of Ontario St, unified FI cohort)
 - Sam Sherratt PS
 - W.I. Dick PS
 - P.L. Robertson PS (FI Program)
 - Irma Coulson PS (FI program)
 - TBD Area (FI program)

- Tiger Jeet Singh PS (FI program)
- Viola Desmond PS (FI program)
- Brookville PS (split cohort with Acton DHS)
- Milton SW #1 hs
 - Anne J MacArthur PS
 - Boyne PS
 - P.L. Robertson PS (ENG)
 - Viola Desmond PS (ENG, west of 16 Mile Creek)
 - TBD Area (ENG program)

9. BRC breaks for group discussion 7:24 - 8:30

10. Result from discussion

- The BRC & BRSC has decided that Kilbride PS will be a unified cohort going to Dr. F. J. Hayden.
 - Current options that have it as a split cohort are now to be assumed that it is unified and going to Dr. F. J. Hayden
- Option Tweak: Option 1b, for FI and English keep all of Anne J. MacArthur together and send English to Milton SW #1 and FI to Milton District HS.
- Option Tweak: Option 5, Bruce Trail PS stays at CKSS. The Martin Street PS triangle to stay with Martin Street and sent to Milton District HS.
 - The Anne J. MacArthur PS pocket by Tiger Jeet Singh PS to stay with Anne J. MacArthur cohort.
- Question: Is there a difference between FI and ENG bussing costs?
 - There is no difference. Unless an option has more students being busses.

11. Communication

- Email us at miltonsw1@hdsb.ca
- Or visit the [website](#) for the review for the meeting notes and material provided.

12. Next Meeting

- February 27, 2020
- Meeting ends 8:43 pm