

Halton District School Board

Milton SW #11 & #12 ps Boundary Review Committee

Tuesday, May 18, 2021, 7:00-7:36 pm

Boundary Review Committee:

Sunita Panghaal, Tariq Saeed, Uyen Brockway, Mary Kadric, Abhishek Chandel, Ayesha Khan, Derek Grant, Garrett Lyall, Ed Miedzybrocki, Sumintra Ramkumar, Gurpreet Sohi, Nicole Trotter-Williams, Lisa Chisholm, Blair Fleming, Muhammad Choudhry, Ayesha Khan-Faruqui, Kerrie McAlister, Greg Ollerenshaw

Staff Present:

Michelle D'Aguiar, Mitchell Gundy, Frederick Thibeault, Gord Truffen, Jacqueline Newton, Heather Gerrits, Donna Danielli, Jeanne Gray

Meeting Notes:

Meeting Start at 7:01 pm

1. Superintendent Truffen welcomes back the committee.
2. Trustee Gray honours the land and territory.
3. Superintendent Truffen turns the presentation over to General Manager Frederick Thibeault to proceed with the presentation.
4. The Agenda of the meeting is explained.

PART 1

5. Ice Breaker
 - a. The BRC goes through the Icebreaker.
6. Housekeeping
 - a. Today's Goals
 - i. Review public feedback.
 - ii. Identify final options to present to BRSC.
 - iii. Discussion on next steps.

PART 2

7. The results of the public feedback are gone over with the BRC.
 - a. 5 total submissions from the public.
8. This is an area of new development. However, we were hoping for more.
9. The BRC reviews the written feedback and addresses any concerns that may have come from them.

- a. Nothing came up from the feedback that was of major concern or warranted a new or changed to an option.

PART 3

10. Final Review of Options

11. Option 2

- a. Two FI schools Milton 11 and 12.
- b. English
 - i. Milton SW #11ps dual track (English/FI)
 - ii. Milton SW #12ps dual track (English/FI)
 - iii. Milton SW#12ps will have a split grade English 8 cohort
 - iv. Rural area attends Viola Desmond PS
 - v. Hawthorne Village PS is a holding school for Milton SE #13ps
 - vi. Zone A phased into PL Robertson PS - Starting with JK-2
- c. French Immersion
 - i. Milton SW #11ps dual track (English/FI)
 - ii. Milton SW #12ps dual track (English/FI)
 - iii. Irma Coulson PS is a holding school for Milton SE #13ps
 - iv. Rural area attends Viola Desmond PS
 - v. Zone A is phased into P.L. Robertson PS - Starting with JK-2

12. Option 4

- a. English
 - i. Milton SW #11ps single track English
 - ii. Rural area attends Milton SW #11ps
 - iii. Milton SW #12ps dual track (English/FI)
 - iv. Milton SW #12ps is a holding school for Milton SE #13ps
 - v. Milton SW#12ps will have a split grade English 8 cohort
 - vi. Zone A phase to P.L. Robertson PS
- b. French Immersion
 - i. Viola Desmond FI catchment includes Milton SW #11ps
 - ii. Rural area attends Viola Desmond PS
 - iii. Milton SW #12ps dual track (English/FI)
 - iv. Milton SW #12ps is a holding school for Milton SE #13ps
 - v. Zone A phase to P.L. Robertson PS

13. Option 7c

- a. English
 - i. Milton SW #11ps single track English
 - ii. Rural area attends Viola Desmond PS
 - iii. Milton SW #12ps dual track (English/FI)
 - iv. Milton SW #12ps is a holding school for Milton SE #13ps
 - v. Zone A phase to P.L. Robertson PS - Starting with JK-2
 - vi. Zone F to Milton SW#12 ps and Anne J MacArthur PS
- b. French Immersion
 - i. Viola Desmond FI catchment includes Milton SW #11ps

- ii. Rural area attends Viola Desmond PS
- iii. Milton SW #12ps dual track (English/FI)
- iv. Milton SW #12ps is a holding school for Milton SE #13ps
- v. Zone A phase to P.L. Robertson PS
- vi. Zone F to Milton SW#12 PS and Anne J. MacArthur PS

PART 4

- 14. Group discussion. (See below for Jamboard slide)
 - a. What options do the BRC feel comfortable presenting to the BRSC?
 - b. BRC would like to take all 3 options forward.
- 15. The BRC uses Menti to see how the BRC are feeling about the 3 options.
 - a. All 3 options are close enough to take forward.

PART 5

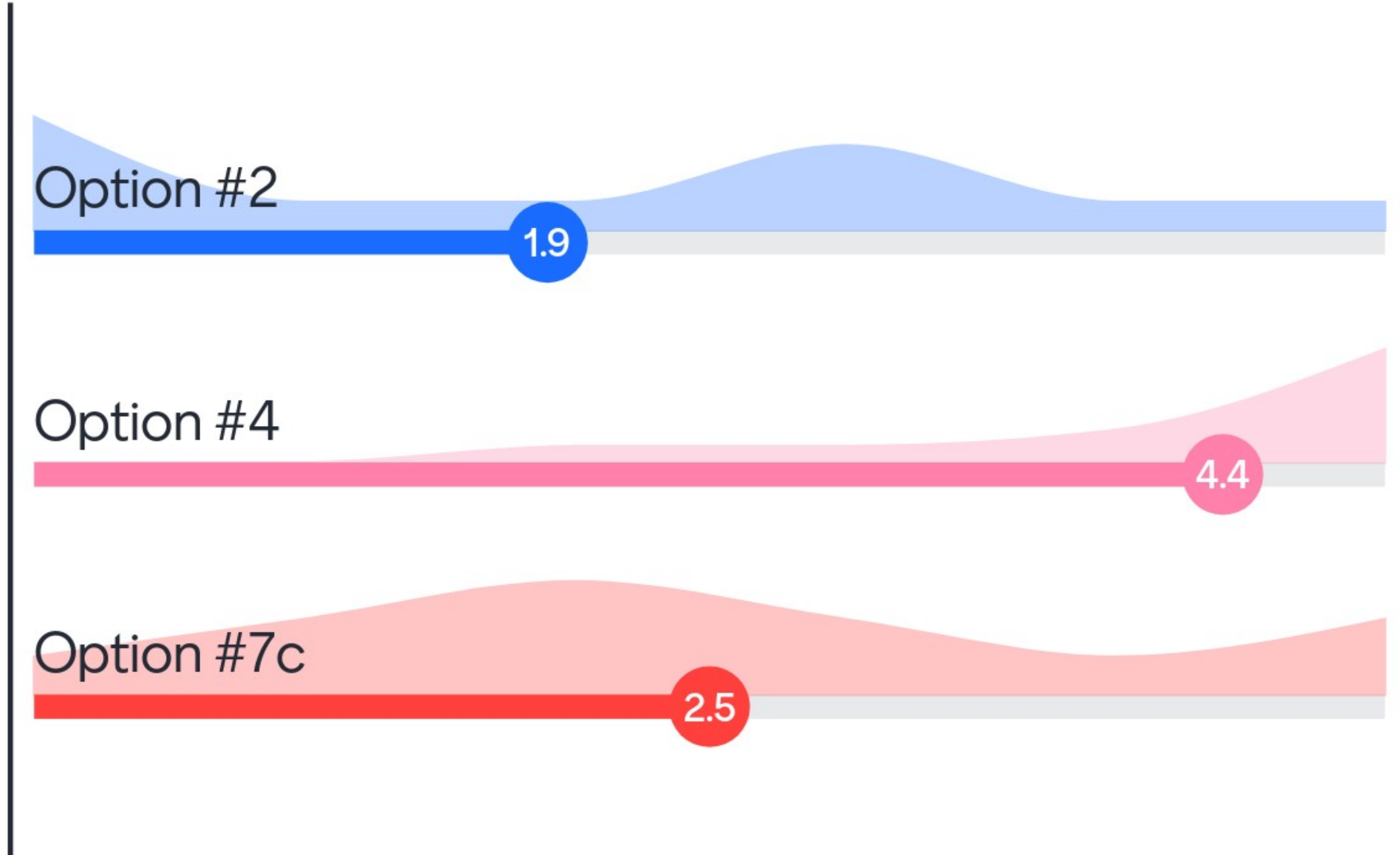
- 16. What's next:
 - a. Notification of Proposed option to affected community
 - i. Notification of the final options will be sent out to the impacted communities.
 - b. Board Meeting
 - i. The BRSC will write the Board Report with the Director's recommended option and present it to the Board of Trustees.
 - ii. June 2: For information.
 - 1. The BRC will be sent a copy of the report.
 - iii. June 16: For decision.
 - iv. Both June 2 and June 16 will give the community an opportunity to delegate
 - c. Questions?
 - i. If you have questions, submit to milton11_12review@hdsb.ca
- 17. On behalf of the BRSC, Superintendent Truffen thanks the BRC members for their time and work in this process.
- 18. The Trustees each give their thanks to the members of the BRC.

The meeting ends at 7:36 pm

Plans for long weekend?



Which options do we present to the BRSC



Boundary Review Process - Final Thoughts, Steps, and Action

Was there any Option expressed by the community as being preferred? No

Do we keep all three or shortlist a couple?

Community meeting not highly attended - Silent voice - residents either really happy or the residents aren't there yet. Hard to measure

Going forward with all three is better, getting rid of just one tips the scale - one vs. one

Virtual was successful, definitely areas to improve, but opportunity to improve in future reviews a built upon it.

Feedback on online vs. in-person. Hybrid?

Benefits for the BRC members in virtual settings. will include in report.

I agree with a hybrid or fully online BRC option going forward. (100% echoed by another member)

I found the Online BRC fairly seamless and I also think a hybrid version would be something to consider going forward

Hybrid would definitely give us best of both worlds

of the process going forward, it would be nice to have equal parent participation.

(Pink comments entered via chat)