

## Transition Advisory Committee Meeting

*Sherwood Secondary School*

November 21, 2023

5:00 p.m.

Virtual on MS Teams



The Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board acknowledges our presence on ancestral Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee Confederacy land as determined by the Dish with One Spoon treaty.

The intent of this agreement is for all nations sharing this territory to do so responsibly, respectfully and sustainably in perpetuity.

We respect the longstanding relationships with the local Indigenous communities, the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation and the Six Nations of the Grand River.

Angela Ayeni (Principal)

Alex Sillet, Kelly George-Dalgleish (teachers)

Eamon O'Donnel (community partner)

Ken Joslin (support staff)

Diyala Abdel-Aziz (student)

Sandi Horton, Stephanie Baschiera (School Council members)

Kathy Archer (Ward 6 Trustee)

Simon Goodacre (Chair – Superintendent of Student Achievement)

Jessica Montgomery (Administrative Support)

1. Guiding Principles
2. Project Update
3. Communication plan

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### Guiding Principles:

- Goal is to complete work on the quickest timelines possible
- Requires the ability to have necessary permits and occupancy
- Meet all Health & Safety requirements
- Ability to have the school have a full academic program

- Uncertainty of timeline does not allow for the planning of a midyear move
- Need to ensure the continuity of the academic program and school activities
- Target timeframe is to plan for a start at the permanent High Street site for September 2024



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- Most work is progressing well
- Financial outlay is still over \$1 million/month
- Estimate is an April occupancy for HWDSB
  - Ongoing work still possible in targeted areas
  - Substantial cleaning and other prep work
  - Still some uncertainty of key work
  - Work completion and timelines are constantly being reviewed



- Still working on permitting and approvals
- Timeline is still estimated for September 2024



- Theatre play – investigate Hill Park site
- Student tours/events - possibilities depending on work completion
- School Administrative support



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Next meeting:

Tuesday January 23, 2024 5:00pm

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- Slides from previous meetings
- Principal letters and updates
- Question and answers

