

Summit Park Boundary Review Advisory Panel Meeting

Thursday, April 12, 2018

6:00 p.m.

Tapleystown Elementary School

MINUTES

Committee Members:

- Jeff Gillies, Superintendent, Student Achievement
 - Jeff Beattie, Ward 9 Trustee
 - Alex Johnston, Vice-Chair of HWDSB, Wards 11 & 12 Trustee
 - Ian Hopkins, Planning and Accommodation
 - Julie Anderson, Janet Lee Principal
 - Brandon Berketa, Billy Green Principal
 - Doug Dunford, Tapleystown Principal
 - Tanya Shaver, Executive Assistant
 - Trish Gibson, Billy Green
 - Sarah Langille, Billy Green
 - Jeff Gaudun, Janet Lee
 - Nicole Jones, Janet Lee
 - Cathy Abbott, Tapleystown
 - Diana Rodgers, Tapleystown
 - Susi Owen, Tapleystown
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Welcome

Jeff Gilles welcomed all. The mandate of the Advisory Panel was explained as the group to advise the Superintendent of Student Achievement of possible options after reviewing the guiding principles, receiving community input and providing local expertise.

This is the final meeting and from the Public Consultation Results as well the Advisory Committee's feedback and input, the recommendations will be incorporated into a final report to be presented to Board on May 28th. At this time, the trustees will take into consideration all the information presented and make a final decision.

Power Point Presentation

The Power Point Presentation from this meeting will be posted on the HWDSB website <http://www.hwdsb.on.ca/about/school-renewal/boundary-reviews/>

Power Point Includes:

- Agenda
 - Boundary Review Process
 - Review Options Presented at Public Consultation Meeting
 - Review Feedback from Public Consultation Meeting
 - Receive Advisory Panel Feedback
- Current Boundaries
- Historic Enrolment
- Summit Park Option 1
- Summit Park Option 2; Zones 1 & 2
- Summit Park Option 1; Zone 3
 - Short Term Enrolment
 - Short Term Response
 - Long Term Enrolment
- Option 2 – Delaying Billy Green Boundary Change
- Summit Park Option 3
 - Enrolment
- Public Consultation
- Preferred Option
- Public Consultation Feedback
- Public Consultation Review
- Advisory Panel Feedback – Pros and Cons
- Next Steps

Overview of Public Consultation Results

With 26 community members signed in for the Public Consultation Meeting on April 3rd at Billy Green School, the attendance was:

- Billy Green had 8 community members in attendance
- Janet Lee had 11 community members in attendance
- Tapleystown had 5 community members in attendance
- In attendance were 2 with no affiliation

The results were:

- Option #1 had 11 in favour
- Option #2 had 3 in favour
- Option #3 had 5 in favour
- Option #1 or 2 had 1 in favour
- No response from 1

Questions and Comments

If we do Option #3 it will change the demographics of Billy Green, therefore, making it more of an inner city school

Looking at Option #1 can the approval to grandparent students be included in the report?

- Not uncommon to grandparent students who are in their final year at a school (gr. 8)

Will enrolment be monitored?

- We will review on an annual basis
- Facilities does this already on a regular basis

Could this committee get information as to what the septic system can support at Tapleystown?

- Facilities Management Dept. reviewing capacity of septic system
- This information will be shared with the Tapleystown School Council as soon as available.

Can the committee see the report before it is presented to board?

- Will send to principals and in turn they will forward the report to committee members
- Report will be presented at Facilities & Finance Committee on May 9, 2018 then submitted for final approval at Board meeting on May 28, 2018. Both meetings are open to the public.

Closing

Last call for feedback from Advisory Committee

- No further feedback presented

Thanks was expressed from Jeff Gilles to all committee members for giving their time and feedback.