

West Galt Elementary Schools Pupil Accommodation Review

(School Closure Review)

Notice of Upcoming Decision involving Blair Road, Dickson, Highland, St. Andrew's and Tait Street Public Schools

Committee of the Whole Meeting – Monday January 14, 2013, 7:00 pm Boardroom – Education Centre, 51 Ardelt Avenue, Kitchener

At the November 12, 2012 Committee of the Whole Meeting, Trustees directed staff to re-examine the recommendations presented regarding the West Galt Accommodation Review. This follow-up report and recommendations will be presented to the Board of Trustees on **Monday January 14, 2013**. A copy of the report will be posted on the Board's website on **Friday January 11, 2013** with the agenda for the Committee of the Whole Meeting. This report will provide a set of recommendations regarding the West Galt Accommodation Review for the Trustees to consider. Trustees may also consider the recommendations submitted by the Accommodation Review Committee (ARC) on June 18, 2012. Proposed changes may be implemented as early as September 2013.

Recommended Actions Under Consideration	ARC Scenario 23	Administration Scenario B1
1. Close Dickson P.S.	✓	✓
Construct a new JK-6 facility	✓	
3. Modify the boundary for Blair Road P.S.	✓	✓
4. Modify the boundary and add Gr. 6 to Highland P.S.	✓	✓
5. Modify the boundary for Tait Street P.S.	✓	√
6. Offer only Gr. 7 & Gr. 8 at St. Andrew's P.S.	✓	✓
7. Implement French Immersion at Tait Street P.S.	Suggested	√
8. Small addition at Tait Street P.S.		√

On January 14, 2013, the Board of Trustees has the option to vote on the recommendations presented before them. Members of the public have the opportunity to attend the meeting and/or register as a delegation if they wish to comment on the information presented in the report. To register as a delegation, please call Jayne Herring, Manager of Corporate Services at 519-570-0003, ext. 4336.

For more information about this review, please visit our website at **www.wrdsb.ca** and follow the link to the West Galt Accommodation Review or contact the Board's Planning Department at 519-570-0003, ext. 4419

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