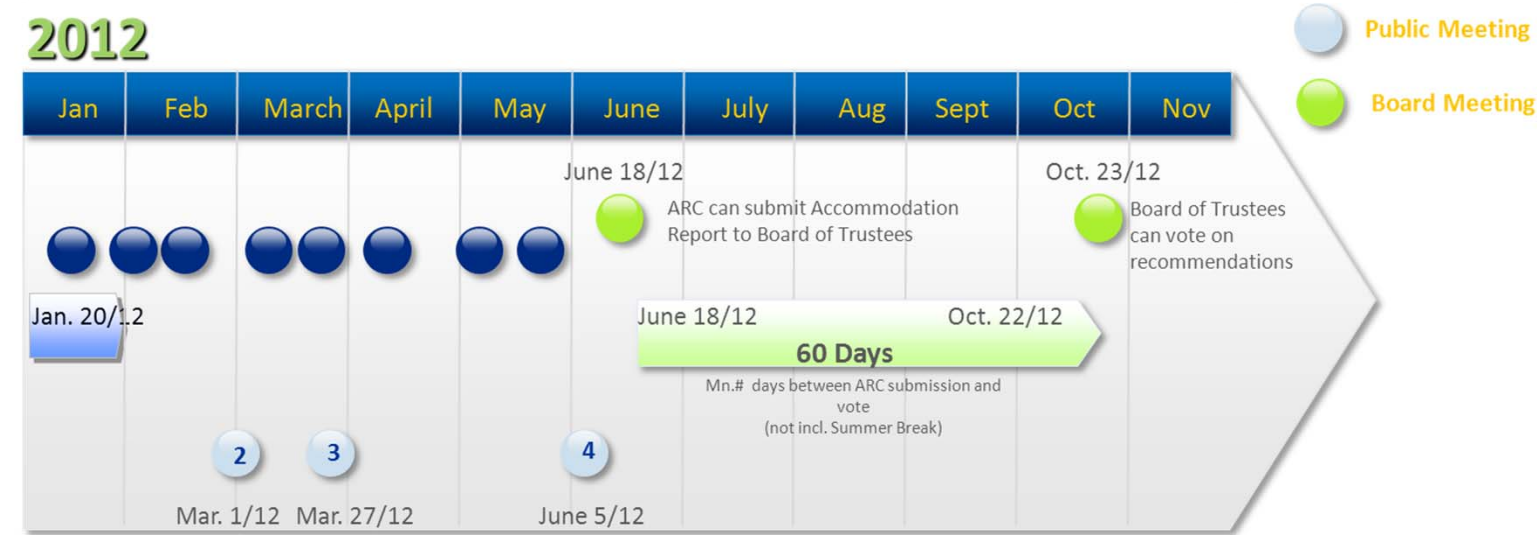
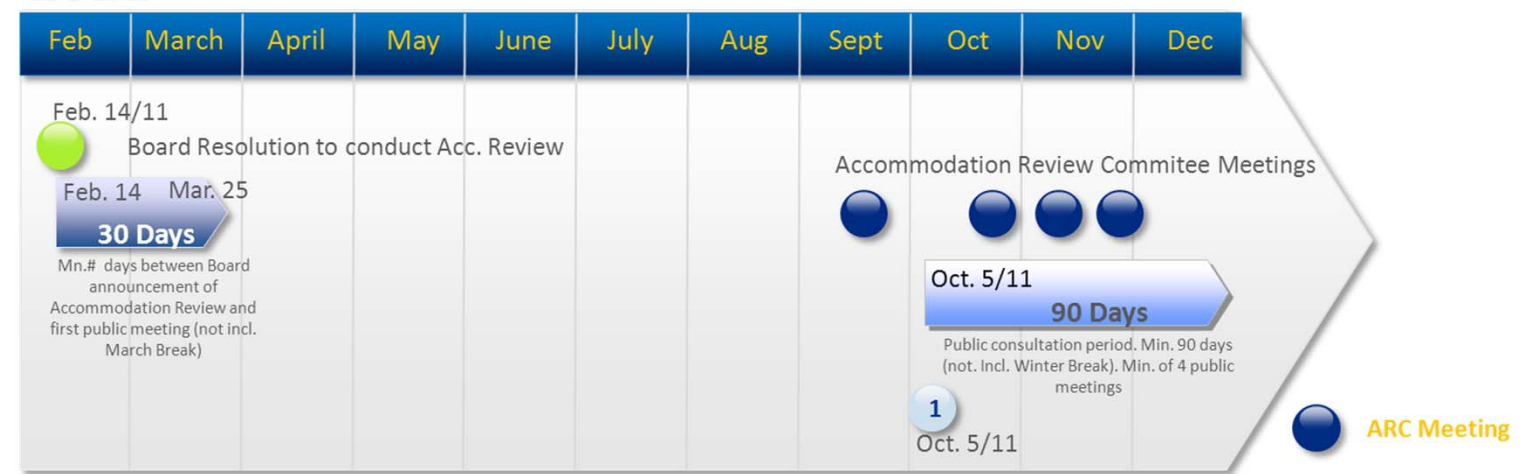


Next Steps (Tentative timeline of upcoming meetings)

As per Ministry of Education Pupil Accommodation Review Guidelines and WRDSB Policy 4000, the following dates have been targeted for completion of the West Galt Elementary Schools Accommodation Review.

Accommodation Review Process – Minimum Timeframe 2011



Timing of changes?

As a result of Board Policy, no changes may take place prior to September 2013. If the vote results in school construction, the earliest date for construction to be completed is September 2015; therefore implementation of Scenario 23 could not take place until the 2015/16 school year.

Members of the public are welcome to attend any Committee of the Whole or Board Meeting. You may register as a delegation by calling the Manager of Corporate Services (519-570-0003 ext. 4336) during business hours. Please follow the process outlined on the Board’s website.

ARC Accommodation Report Submission

TENTATIVE: Monday June 18, 2012, 7:00 pm
WRDSB Board Room, 51 Ardelt Ave, Kitchener

The Accommodation Review Committee (ARC) submits its Accommodation Report and recommendations to the Waterloo Region District School Board trustees. This presentation will be at a Committee of the Whole or Board Meeting. Members of the public are welcome to attend or to register as delegates to speak to the ARC’s report and recommendations.

The ARC Accommodation Report will be presented for information only at this meeting. Trustees may ask questions of clarification; however, no vote or decision will be made at this meeting.

60-day waiting period

WRDSB Policy 4000 states: “After the submission of the ARC Accommodation Report, there must be no less than sixty (60) calendar days notice prior to the meeting where the Board of Trustees will vote on the recommendations. Summer vacation, Christmas break and Spring break, including adjacent weekends, must not be considered part of the 30, 60 or 90 calendar day periods.” Therefore, the earliest the Board may hold a meeting to consider recommendations regarding the future of elementary schools in the West Galt Review Area would be after October 23, 2012.

Vote Date

TENTATIVE: October 23, 2012 (Committee of the Whole Meeting)
TENTATIVE: October 30, 2012 (Board Meeting – Approval of Committee of the Whole Minutes)

After the 60-day waiting period, the Board of Trustees will make the final decision on the Pupil Accommodation Review based on the ARC recommendations and WRDSB Administration (staff) recommendations.

Once confirmed, these dates will be advertised on the Board’s website, in the newspaper and through the schools in the review area.