

Fischer-Hallman/Huron Elementary Schools Boundary Study

Working Group Meeting #3 October 24, 2017



- 1. Welcome/Introductions
- 2. Minutes Review/Approval
- 3. Boundary Feedback
- 4. Draft Objectives
- 5. Scenario Review
 - a) Seabrook/Fischer-Hallman roundabout

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- b) Scenario 4
- 6. Future Meeting Dates
- 7. Round table



Boundary Feedback

3 Pieces of correspondence received to date

- 2 from Huron Village community members
- 1 from concerned Gr. 4 student

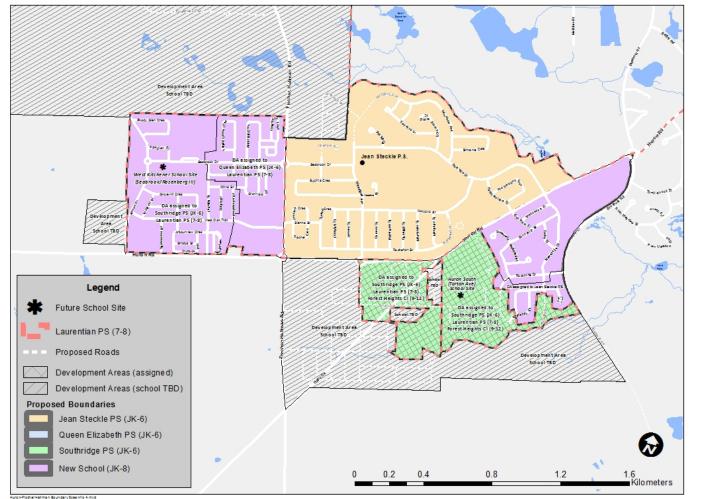
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Draft Objectives

- Establish school attendance boundary for new Elementary school
- Reduce enrolment at Jean Steckle PS
- Maximize the use of built permanent capacity/Minimize the need for temporary accommodation (portables)
- Minimize transitions where changes are proposed





Fischer-Hallman/Huron Boundary Study Area - Sceanrio 4

- New boundary created for Seabrook Dr. school consisting of Mattamy 'Wildflowers' subdivision
- Grade 7, 8 phased out of Jean Steckle PS to be accommodated at new Seabrook Dr. school, phased back in when enrolment pressure allows
- Area of Jean Steckle PS boundary South of Huron Rd. assigned to New School



School	Grades			Enrol	ment			Capacity
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New School	JK-8*	436	599	658	687	677	666	669
Total	2322	2464	2528	2556	2508	2473	2681	

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School/Grade breakdown

Jean Steckle PS – Regular Track

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	83	88	59	64	56	69	72	70	0	90	651
2020	79	90	60	59	61	64	57	71	0	0	541
2022	74	84	58	62	62	59	61	67	0	0	528
2024	73	77	54	58	59	60	61	61	0	0	503
2026	72	76	54	54	55	56	57	62	0	0	485
2028	70	74	53	53	54	51	52	57	0	0	464

Jean Steckle PS – French Immersion

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	0	0	31	36	38	23	0	0	0	0	128
2020	0	0	31	30	30	35	36	22	0	0	184
2022	0	0	28	30	30	29	29	34	0	0	180
2024	0	0	25	27	27	29	29	28	0	0	165
2026	0	0	24	24	24	26	26	28	0	0	153
2028	0	0	23	23	23	23	24	25	0	0	142



School/Grade breakdown

Queen Elizabeth PS – Regular Track

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
2018	31	31	27	26	23	32	30	47	247
2020	31	31	26	24	23	23	23	30	212
2022	31	31	26	24	22	22	23	22	201
2024	31	31	26	24	22	22	22	21	198
2026	31	31	26	24	22	22	22	21	198
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School/Grade breakdown

Southridge PS – Regular Track

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
2018	50	52	24	32	29	28	26	41	281
2020	59	62	37	37	35	37	32	36	335
2022	64	66	41	41	42	36	32	41	363
2024	66	69	44	44	45	37	36	38	379
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Southridge PS – French Immersion*

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2022	0	0	34	32	31	29	24	16	165
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New School – Regular Track

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	48	48	51	40	43	32	36	42	97	0	436
2020	51	51	51	51	54	41	44	34	111	114	455
2022	51	51	51	51	51	49	52	41	103	105	471
2024	50	51	51	51	51	50	50	50	115	108	499
2026	49	49	50	51	51	50	50	50	112	110	501
2028	47	47	48	49	50	51	51	51	108	112	494

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2020	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	21	56
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	33	61
2026	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	27	55
2028	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	27	52

*Blue shaded grades represent progression of French Immersion program should a Gr. 1 French Immersion program begin at new school in 2019

[#] Students in French Immersion from new school 'south of Huron' assumed to remain at Jean Steckle PS



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 - Option for 2018 Gr. 6 students to finish at Southridge PS (with transportation), no siblings
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Jean Steckle PS

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Jean Steckle PS (S. of Huron Road community)

- 2018 JK- 7 students within 'South of Huron Rd. Community' to attend new school
 - 2018 Gr. 8 students within 'South of Huron Rd. Community' to attend Jean Steckle PS
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Draft Objectives - Scenario Evaluation

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Establish school attendance boundary for new Elementary school	• Yes.
Reduce enrolment at Jean Steckle PS	 Reduces peak enrolment at Jean Steckle PS by 255 students
Maximize the use of built permanent capacity/Minimize the need for temporary accommodation (portables)	 Reduces most portables at Jean Steckle PS. Leaves least surplus permanent capacity at new school than other options.



Draft Objectives - Scenario Evaluation Cont...

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*Other	 Program challenges – FI grade disconnect at new facility. Staff and resources.



Scenario 3, 4

Proposed Scenario Transitions – South of Huron Rd. Community

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Grade	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
JK	ALP	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
SK	ALP	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
1	ALP	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
2	ALP	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
3	ALP	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
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6	ALP	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
7	LAU	JST	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan	Tartan
8	LAU	LAU	JST	JST	JST	JST	Seabrook	Seabrook	Seabrook	Tartan



Number of Students S. of Huron Rd. attending Jean Steckle PS in 2017 who were attending Alpine PS in 2012

- Grades 4-6 15 students
- Grade 7 4 students



Important Dates

• Working Group # 4: November 7, 2017, 3:30-5:00 pm, Jean Steckle PS library

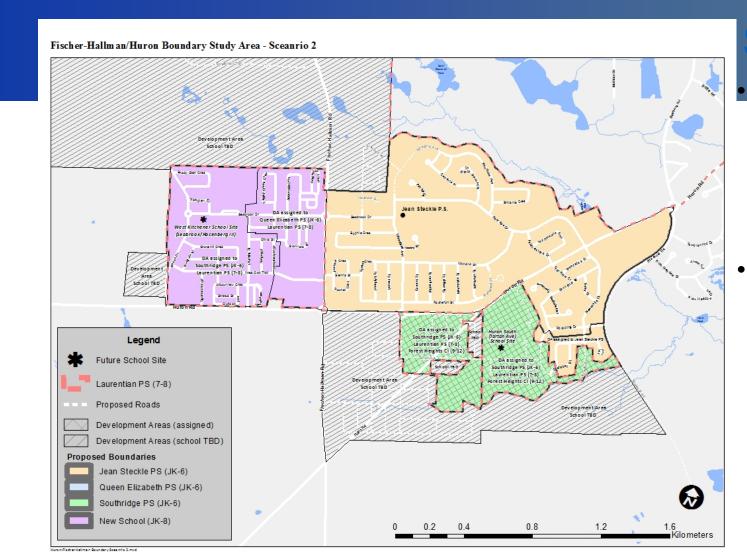
- Working Group # 5: November 21, 2017, 3:305:00 pm, Jean Steckle PS library
- Public Meeting #2: November 21, 2017, 7:00-8:30 pm, Jean Steckle PS Gymnasium



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New boundary established for Seabrook Dr. school

'Wildflowers'

subdivision

consisting of Mattamy

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New School	JK-8*	350	489	549	578	569	559	669	
Total		2320	2469	2540	2567	2523	2487	2635	

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School Grade Breakdown

Jean Steckle PS – Regular Track

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	96	101	73	69	68	80	88	87	0	65	728
2020	93	105	70	70	76	70	70	83	0	0	638
2022	88	99	69	73	73	70	77	73	0	0	623
2024	87	92	65	69	70	71	71	71	0	0	596
2026	86	91	65	66	67	66	68	72	0	0	581
2028	84	90	64	65	66	61	63	67	0	0	560

Jean Steckle PS – French Immersion

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	0	0	39	36	38	23	0	0	0	0	135
2020	0	0	35	35	38	35	36	22	0	0	201
2022	0	0	33	35	34	34	37	34	0	0	206
2024	0	0	30	31	32	34	33	33	0	0	192
2026	0	0	28	28	29	31	31	33	0	0	179
2028	0	0	27	27	28	28	28	30	0	0	167



School Grade Breakdown

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2018	35	35	29	35	31	21	20	24	97	0	326
2020	36	36	36	36	30	35	31	22	112	115	489
2022	36	36	36	36	36	35	29	35	104	108	491
2024	36	37	37	37	37	36	36	36	108	110	508
2026	35	36	36	37	37	36	36	36	108	108	504
2028	33	34	35	35	36	36	36	36	105	109	496

New School – French Immersion

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	22	58
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	34	70
2026	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	33	66
2028	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	33	63

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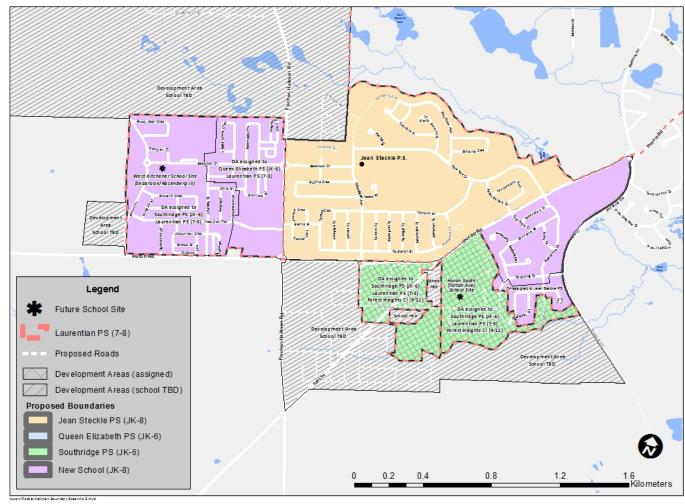
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Reduce enrolment at Jean Steckle PS	 Yes. Peak enrolment reduced at Jean Steckle PS by 194 students
Maximize the use of built permanent capacity/Minimize the need for temporary accommodation (portables)	 Reduces portables at Jean Steckle PS. Accommodates most students in permanent capacity than other options.
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Fischer-Hallman/Huron Boundary Study Area - Sceanrio 3



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2024	73	77	54	58	59	60	61	61	62	66	631
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2020	0	0	31	30	30	35	36	22	0	0	184
2022	0	0	28	30	30	29	29	34	35	21	236
2024	0	0	25	27	27	29	29	28	28	33	226
2026	0	0	24	24	24	26	26	28	27	27	208
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Projected Enrolment – Scenario 3

School Grade Breakdown

New School – Regular Track

Year	JK	SK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
2018	48	48	51	40	43	32	36	42	38	0	376
2020	51	51	51	51	54	41	44	34	38	44	455
2022	51	51	51	51	51	49	52	41	44	34	471
2024	50	51	51	51	51	50	50	50	53	42	499
2026	49	49	50	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	501
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Maximize the use of built permanent capacity/Minimize the need for temporary accommodation (portables)	 Reduces portables at Jean Steckle PS. Accommodates more students in permanent capacity than option 1.
Minimize transitions where changes are proposed	 Transitions for Queen Elizabeth, Southridge students to new school. Transitions for 'S of Huron Rd.' from Jean Steckle to new school (Seabrook) Transitions for 'S of Huron Rd.' from new school (Seabrook) to new school (Tartan).
*Other	





Proposed Boundary Study Timeline

2017 2018



Note: No boundary changes would be implemented prior to September 2018



Next Steps

- Confirm objectives
- Refine boundary scenarios based on objectives
- Evaluate scenarios against objectives
- Public/Community meetings



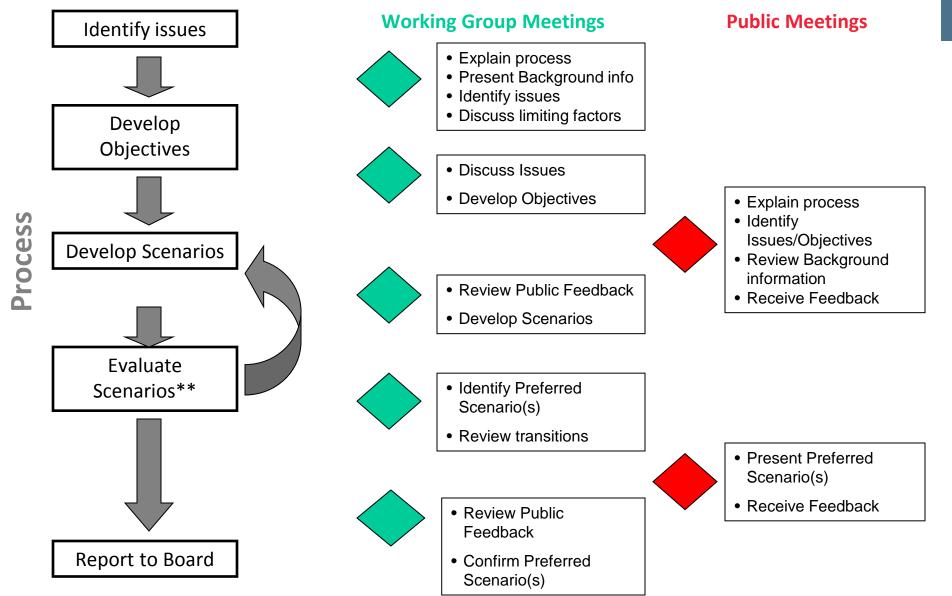
What is a Boundary Study?

The WRDSB considers a School Boundary Study when considering a change to one or more school attendance areas. There can be a number of reasons for a study:

- Changing the grade structure of an elementary school this would include changing an elementary school from a JK-6 format to a composite school with JK-8;
- Balancing enrolment and facilities one school may have too many students for its capacity and another may have too few;
- After municipalities approve new residential development, the area needs to be assigned to a school where capacity exists;
- Opening of a new school and establishing the new boundary and adjusting boundaries of the existing schools in the area



Boundary Study Process



**Scenario development and evaluation may go threagh multiple iterations as scenarios are evaluated , and new ideas result from the evaluation.

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What is role of the Working Group

members ?

The Working Group will:

- Identify and discuss issues and opportunities of the individual school communities and the broader community
- Set study objectives
- Develop boundary options (scenarios)
- Evaluate boundary options against study objectives
- Act as a liaison between the Working Group and the school communities



Working Group Membership

The Working Group consists of:

- Up to 2 parents from each school
- The Principal from each school
- Planning Staff
- The school area superintendent(s)









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