

MEMORANDUM

- TO: The Chairperson and Trustees of the Greater Essex County District School Board
- FROM: E. Kelly Director of Education

S. Armstrong Superintendent of Business

SUBJECT: Community Planning and Partnerships - Report on Potential Spaces Available

AIM:

To inform the Board of potential unused spaces that could be available for cost recovery/lease in compliance with Policy and Regulation Community Planning and Partnerships P-BA-30 and R-BA-30.

In compliance with the policy and regulation, the Board must annually hold a public meeting and notify certain organizations and groups of any unused space suitable for third party use, on a cost recovery basis, that is expected to be available for a number of years. The criteria for availability are that a school has, for two years or more, been operating at 60% or less of on the ground capacity and/or has 200 or more unused pupil places.

DISCUSSION:

A Community Planning and Partnership Meeting was held on November 22, 2019 at the Board office. Invitations were emailed to the list of entities in Attachment 1. The public meeting was advertised through the local media, an email was sent to the organizations listed in Attachment 1 and the inclusion of the information was posted on the Board's website. This information session provided municipalities and community partners an opportunity to review the list of schools with available space in which a community partnership could be considered, while also providing an overview of the current state of the Board with respect to surplus space, aging infrastructure and the Board's fiscal responsibility.

The presentations from this meeting and resources related to community partnerships can be found on the Board's website at www.publicboard.ca/Community/Community-Partnerships/Pages/Community-Partnerships/Pages/Community-Partnerships.aspx

The annual meeting for the 2020-2021 school year will be held in the fall of 2020 using a format that is conducive to any physical distancing requirements in place at that time.

Opportunities for partnership are reviewed by administration on an ongoing basis and organizations are contacted to further explore ideas.

Information about community partnerships remains on the Board's website and the community is encouraged to contact the Board to discuss any potential partnerships.



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Exclusions from the current list of available schools

The following schools have been excluded from this year's report of schools with available space as follows:

- General Amherst High School, Kingsville District High School, Western Secondary School and Giles Public School due to confirmed funding for replacement schools.
- W. F. Herman Academy due to specialized programs and the overcapacity in elementary which is taking up space in secondary.
- Westview Freedom Academy and Mason Centre due to specialized programs.

Available sites:

Schools currently available are noted in Attachment 2.

Existing Partnerships in Schools:

The Board already has a number of long-term agreements for space with a variety of organizations. Attachment 3 lists the current partnerships.

Impact of COVID 19 on Community Partnerships:

Due to the Ministerial order that all Ontario publicly funded schools be closed for the remainder of the school year, community use of schools was temporarily paused and child care centres were closed effective March 13, 2020. The resumption of community use of schools will be based on the Province's re-opening plan and guidance from the local public health authority. Child care centres are allowed to re-open on Friday, June 12, 2020 based on direction from the Province. The Board will work with child care partners to facilitate the safe opening of facilities within schools, and continues to communicate with its other community partners during this time.

Attachments:

- > 1 Community Planning and Partnership Meeting Invitees November 22, 2019
- > 2 Community Planning and Partnerships Policy Annual Report for 2020
- 3 Existing Facility Partnerships in Schools 2020



Attachment 1

COMMUNITY PLANNING AND PARTNERSHIPS MEETING INVITEES November 22, 2019

- Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board
- Conseil scolaire catholiques Providence
- Conseil scolaire Viamonde
- Collège Boréal d'arts appliqués et de technologie
- St. Clair College of Applied Arts & Technology
- University of Windsor
- Public Works and Government Services Canada Ontario Region
- Infrastructure Ontario Real Estate Developmental Planning
- The Corporation of the City of Windsor (2 contacts)
- The Corporation of the City of Windsor Consolidated Municipal Service Manager
- The Corporation of the Town of Amherstburg (3 contacts)
- The Corporation of the Town of Essex (3 contacts)
- The Corporation of the Town of Kingsville (2 contacts)
- The Corporation of the Town of Lakeshore (3 contacts)
- The Corporation of the Town of LaSalle (3 contacts)
- The Corporation of the Township of Pelee
- The Corporation of the Town of Learnington (3 contacts)
- The Corporation of the Town of Tecumseh (3 contacts)
- The County of Essex (2 contacts)
- City of Windsor Housing and Children's Services District Social Services Administration Board (DSSAB)
- Access County Community Support Services
- Canadian Mental Health Association Windsor/Essex County Branch
- Children First Essex County
- Erie-St. Clair Local Health Integration Network
- Hotel Dieu Grace Healthcare
- Hotel Dieu Grace Healthcare Regional Children's Centre
- The Inn of Windsor
- John McGivney Children's Centre
- Maryvale Adolescent and Family Services
- New Beginnings
- Windsor-Essex County Health Unit (2 contacts)
- United Way/Centraide Windsor-Essex County
- Métis Nation of Ontario
- Windsor-Essex Métis Nation of Ontario
- Chiefs of Ontario (2 Contacts)
- Ontario Federation of Ontario Indigenous Friendship Centres
- Can-Am Indian Friendship Centre of Windsor
- Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians
- Nishnawbe Aski Nation
- Grand Council Treaty #3
- Union of Ontario Indians



Attachment 1

- Community Support Centre of Essex County
- Essex County Library
- Windsor Library
- Children's Aid Society Windsor-Essex
- Belle River On the Lake Business Improvement Area



Attachment 2

COMMUNITY PLANNING AND PARTNERSHIPS POLICY - ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2020 -

Possible available schools with space as of 2019/20 and projected 2020/21

School	Panel	2020/21 School Capacity	2019/20 Available Spaces	2020/21 Available Spaces	Currently Accessible?
Centennial Central	Elementary	371 spaces	209 spaces	162 spaces	Yes
Belle River DHS	Secondary	1,086 spaces	305 spaces	271 spaces	Limited 1 st floor
Riverside SS	Secondary	1,302 spaces	494 spaces	398 spaces	Yes



EXISTING FACILITY PARTNERSHIPS IN SCHOOLS – 2019 / 2020

Below is list of partnerships in 2019

Day Care/Before and After School - Current

School	Facility Partner	
Anderdon PS	Anderdon Child Care	
Centennial Central PS	Audrey's Clubhouse Latchkey & Early Learning Centre	
Margaret D. Bennie PS		
Coronation PS	Delta Chi Beta Early Childhood Centre (Windsor) Inc.	
Hetherington PS		
Queen Victoria PS		
West Gate Public School PS		
William G. Davis PS-opening September		
Kingsville PS	Discovery School-Based Child Care Program of Kingsville Inc.	
Jack Miner PS		
Queen Elizabeth PS		
Gosfield North PS		
Lakeshore Discovery School	Lakeshore Township Community Daycare Centre	
A.V. Graham PS	Latchkey Day Care & Learning Centre	
East Mersea PS		
McWilliam PS		
Parkview PS		
Prince Andrew PS		
Sandwich West PS		
Bellewood PS	Montessori School of Windsor	
David Maxwell PS	Ska-Na Family Learning Centre	
Essex PS	Story Book Early Learning Centre	
Hugh Beaton PS	Sundowners Day Care and Resource Centre	
John Campbell PS		
Dr. David Suzuki		
Dougall PS		
Forest Glade Primary Learning Centre		
General Brock PS		
Glenwood PS		
King Edward PS		
LaSalle PS		



Other Partnerships:

School	Facility Partner
All Schools	WE Tech Alliance
Amherstburg PS	The Town of Amherstburg
Anderdon PS	
General Amherstburg HS	
Western SS	
General Brock PS	Windsor Police Services
	Sandwich Public Library
Maxwell PS	St. Clair College
Essex District HS & Essex Centre for Arts, Aquatics and Recreation	Town of Essex
Essex District HS	Essex Food Bank
Kennedy Collegiate Institute – Windsor Stadium	Alpha Kai Omega Fraternity
Kingsville District HS	Migration Community Hall Kingsville
Pelee Island PS	Pelee Public Library (old school building)
Prince Edward PS	Ontario Student Nutrition Program (office space)
Sandwich Secondary School Track	The Town of LaSalle
West Gate PS	Bridgeview Library (separate building on school site)



Attachment 3

School	Facility Partner
Northwood PS	Sundowners Day Care and Resource Centre
Princess Elizabeth PS	
Roseland PS	
Talbot Trail PS	
Tecumseh Vista Academy	
Ford City PS-opening September	The Toybox Early Childhood Education Centre
Giles Campus French Immersion PS	
Herman Academy Elementary	
Malden PS	
Amherstburg PS	YMCA of Windsor & Essex County
Belle River PS	
Central PS	
Colchester North PS	
D. M. Eagle PS	
Eastwood PS	
Gore Hill PS	
Harrow PS	
Marlborough PS	
Southwood PS	

Access County Community Support Services

Margaret D. Bennie PS

EarlyON Child and Family Centres

- Amherstburg PS
- > F.W. Begley PS
- General Brock PS
- Dougall PS
- > Harrow PS
- John Campbell PS
- Lakeshore Discovery School
- Margaret D. Bennie PS
- Princess Elizabeth PS
- Queen Elizabeth PS
- > Roseville PS
- > Talbot Trail PS
- > West Gate PS



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- > Amherstburg PS
- Lakeshore Discovery School
- Margaret D. Bennie PS
- Princess Elizabeth PS
- ➢ Talbot Trail PS

The YMCA Kids' Club

- ➢ Dougall PS
- ► F.W. Begley PS
- Marlborough PS
- Prince Edward PS
- Roseville PS
- ➢ Wm. G. Davis PS