

DATE	NAME	EMAIL	ELEMENTARY	MIDDLE	HIGH	OPTIONS	COMMENTS
01/14/2020	Sanjoy	Sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Thanks to the committee members for reading all of our comments. Looking at the staff utilization map it is very much possible for Springville, Sato and Jacob Wismer to attend Stoller together. In this map in the year 2021 both Stoller and Timberland is at 88% utilization of permanent capacity. Few committee members will say goal for 2025 is not met. To achieve goal of 2025, Summa program should be moved from Stoller to Meadow Park. This will keep Stoller at 99% of it's permanent capacity. Summa is an option program. It should not be prioritized over the neighborhood middle school.
01/14/2020	Ashwini	ashbait@outlook.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I would like to know if the following are being discussed at boundary adjustment committee meetings. I may have missed them, but don't remember these issues discussed and feel they are important.1) Equity - for all children in the district2) Economic, social, racial diversity within the district3) Children with special needs - not those in special needs classrooms but children on IEPs and 504s that are a part of every class.4) School staff and ability for them to absorb some of what the current maps recommendI would like to hear more constructive comments from board members on the above. And clarification please, the projected numbers being considered are 2021 correct? And not 2025? And projections are not sure numbers with high probability right? Because it seems to me that this was also brought up - staying on task and making sure what we are factoring in is important. If not, real discussions can get lost in noise.
01/14/2020	Mark Behbehani	markbhub-school@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		The main problem that I see with staff map feeder is that the feeders themselves are not terribly efficient having been updated piecemeal over the years with no clear long-term plan. The result of this is that not only does walkability take a big hit (Findley, Meadow Park, Conestoga) but there is no balance between growing and shrinking school districts. Take Stoller for instance. In staff map 1 they combine 2 rapidly growing and one stable district the results are not even close to meeting the objectives. Stoller starts out at 104% of permanent capacity and rapidly increases to 130% with no end in sight. At the same time, it combines stable and shrinking schools in Mountain View resulting in that school dropping below 700 students making it hard to offer a comprehensive MS program.I think from the beginning, the staff maps where not meant as a comprehensive solution, merely as a reference so you can see how the proposed maps compare to optimal solutions (balanced feeders ES-MS or MS-HS or capacity utilization). Using Staff feeder gives severe crowding at Stoller with no clear path out. The other maps have severe overcrowding at FO with no clear path either. Map 4 reversed might have a solution but would need to have JW FE and CM districts walking to schools across the street to be acceptable.If the committee is serious about eliminating splits, it should start with a map that comes closest to the goal with no splits and split the minimum necessary. With all the maps but 2 eliminated we are no closer to the solution that we were a month ago.

							<p>We live in Oakridge Estates, the subdivision across the street from Stoller Middle School, and our kids go to Findley Elementary School. I can walk up my street and I'm literally in front of Stoller. As a family, we drive in front of Stoller every day to either leave or go back home into our subdivision. If that is not our neighborhood school, then individuals are using the word incorrectly. Walkability to a school, one mile around the entire middle school, should be a consistent standard for every middle school in the Beaverton School District (North or South). This would maintain safety for the students, reduce costs for transportation, and reduce fast paced traffic through neighborhoods. Thereby, instead of using neighborhoods as highways for drop-offs and pick-ups, we continue to support residential families walking and investing in their neighborhood school through volunteering/donating. On the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report/Audit for 2018-2019, the actual expenditures listed a \$43,419,167 budget shortfall for the Beaverton School District. (https://www.beaverton.k12.or.us/departments/business-services/cafr). The BSD does not have money to use on the wrong resources, and we should not follow a fixed mindset that only one middle school is strong. We came from Bethany Elementary School, a wonderful community full of amazing teachers and families. For the few years we have been at Findley Elementary School, we have seen several families move from Findley Elementary School to Springville Elementary School. The socioeconomics can be similar. Unfortunately, the school facility planning in the Beaverton School District was not designed for kids to stay together from elementary to middle to high school. A middle school should have been planned near Westview High School as soon as Sato Elementary School was planned due to the immense growth of Springville and Sato Elementary Schools (released at the last meeting, the Projected 6-8th Grade Residents by Grid-Code SY 2021-2022 projected map.pdf; (box on lower right) By the year 2022, Sato will contribute 426 and Springville will bring 448 students to middle school. These 2 schools alone could use a middle school). Thus, this growth is too large for one middle school to accommodate. All middle schools feed into at least two high schools in the Beaverton School District. We must maintain the first goal to keep walkable neighborhoods in the middle school boundary and if the second goal is for schools to stay together, then that would suggest ALL of Findley Elementary School stay at Stoller Middle School since almost half is walkable to Stoller (released at the last BSD meeting, MS_Walking_Zones_Incl_Timberland_2019.pdf). Moving students who can walk sets up an extremely hazardous, wasteful precedent where students are bused from their WAKLABLE school when there is future new construction growth in the South, West, East, and/or North. If it is not possible to keep the entire Findley Elementary School at Stoller Middle School, please maintain walkable communities at least one mile around the middle schools for the safety of our students, schools, and communities as well as better use of our budget that is in shortfall.</p>
01/14/2020	Nita Chopra	ngchopra@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
01/14/2020	Beth Webber	bethmwebber@gmail.com	Raleigh Park Elem				<p>After listening to the last meeting it sounds like the Feeder map and the Utilization maps are of the most interest to the committee. I would note that the utilization map still splits Raleigh Park between two middle schools. Please use this opportunity to keep Raleigh Park together into one middle school. It appears that in the utilization map there would room to move Raleigh Park all to Cedar Park out of Whitford.</p>
01/14/2020	Mark Behbehani	markbhub-school@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>I would like to see a staff map with the minimum carbon footprint Boundary map.</p>
01/14/2020	Jay	jeys24@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>The feeder maps that are proposed and under review, that feeds SPV and Sato to SM along with JW. Both SPV and Sato are feeding to Westview HS, that leaves JW kids from SM going to Sunset leaves them with no familiar faces and friends. Please consider the new development data and proposed road constructions, There is a new road that connect Springville community directly to 185th.I request committee to have these points in deciding the boundary. It makes sense that SPV feeds to Fiveoaks.</p>

01/14/2020	Paul Alappat	paul.alappat@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				It seems like the majority of Jacob Wismer kids will end up going to Sunset HS based on the BSD maps. Given Findley also feeds into Sunset, it makes the most sense to have Jacob Wismer and Findley both go to Stoller MS. That way, those Jacob Wismer/Findley friendships formed in MS can carry forward to High School. Having Springville or Sato go to Stoller would be a mistake because kids in those elementary schools will all eventually feed into Westview HS. There is no point in Springville/Sato joining Jacob Wismer in MS only to see them separated when moving to HS. The HS feeding pattern will be a lot cleaner by sending Springville/Sato to a MS that will feed into Westview.
01/14/2020	Aishwarya Sreenivasan	aishsreeni@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear BSD and Committee members Thanks so much for your time and effort towards the boundary adjustments. I recently came across North Bethany Master plan. https://www.google.com/url?sa=#61;t&source=#61;web&rct=#61;j&url=#61;https://www.co.washington.or.us/LUT/Divisions/LongRangePlanning/PlanningPrograms/CommunityPlanning/upload/NoBe0226OpenHouseBoardsAll.pdf&ved=#61;2ahUKEwj7xaLU34PnAhVVrZ4KHQTbAVgQFjABegQIBxAH&usg=#61;AOvVaw0f4dr_zOUtPy6X2szwnss2I I want you to consider this and discuss this at the next meeting. This shows the BSD projections for Springville and SATO neighborhood aren't accurate and we expect more population explosion. Springville Elementary and SATO elementary together feeding into Stoller will not fix the problem of Stoller overcrowding. There are proposal more homes and apartments in both these neighborhoods. Also there is a proposed road A directly from North Springville neighborhood connecting to 185th. This is a direct route to five oaks middle school. We want these two aspects of North Bethany Master plan to be considered seriously in the next meeting. Thanks so much Aishwarya
01/14/2020	Lina	lg72cu@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Sunset		Springville is still growing, which will make Stoller over-crowded again soon. It is a waste of resources and everyone's time to settle for this option now, knowing that the same issue will arise soon.

							<p>Dear Committee Thank you again for being involved in this process and volunteering so much personal time for the boundary adjustments. We live less than 1/2 a mile away from Stoller middle school and my child walks to school everyday. I would like to emphasize a few things based on the data provided in the last meeting..1) Walkability --- the map released by BSD shows a large portion of the JW and Findley neighborhoods in the walkable zone. The newly constructed Westside trail puts a large portion of the Findley community in the walkable / bikeable zone -- on *new*, boardwalk trails across the green-space -- away from high traffic roads and provides a direct, traffic-free and safe commute to Stoller MS for a lot of kids. Taking this away and putting all those kids on buses is going in the wrong direction. It has been argued by some that walkability is a privilege -- this argument makes no sense (it effectively says we must put all kids on buses since not everyone can walk to school -- it is very backwards thinking). It has also been argued that kids don't walk to school in rainy/winter weather -- this is also not true -- one just needs to stand outside Stoller MS during school start/end times to see the large amount of kids that walk to school *everyday*.Walkability is a core value that we must all uphold as top priority - it is better for the kids, better for the environment, better at reducing transportation costs... The committee should take this opportunity for middle school adjustments that maintain and preserve walkability for Stoller and fix this for other areas that have this issue today. It was very heartening to see at the last meeting that there were a few committee members committed to prioritizing walkability -- I appreciate that very much and urge the committee to continue keeping this on the forefront.2) W.r.t to the staff maps provided, the feeder map and test-maps1, 4, all break Stoller capacity by 2025. To go through a difficult boundary adjustment process only to end up with a non-sustainable solution that puts Stoller more than 30% over-capacity in 2025 does not make sense. Any solution that keeps two high growth elementary schools (SPV and SATO) in Stoller MS will be unsustainable. Test maps 2 and 3 should be strongly considered as the starting point and adjusted as needed.3) There has been a lot of commentary about moving SUMMA out of Stoller as it is an options program and parents should be willing to go anywhere for an options program. However, the SUMMA students by neighborhood map clearly shows that a large portion (at least 1/3rd) of the Stoller SUMMA students come from areas that are walkable to Stoller. It doesn't make sense to move all these nearby kids out to accommodate high growth areas.I would like to urge the committee to come up with a solution that maintains walkability of students and does not end up with Stoller overcrowded in just 3+ years after the adjustment. ThanksSameer</p>
01/14/2020	Sameer Ruiwale	sameer_ruiwale@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							<p>This is a plea to BSD and the committee members to please keep the focus of the boundary adjustment in sight which is to reduce the number of students at Stoller. There have been a lot of proposals to remove Findley feeding into Stoller while keeping other growing communities like Springville and Sato at Stoller. Based on the growth data published by PSU, the reduction in numbers will not be achieved by removing Findley alone. The projected growth for Springville and Sato is quite high in the next few years and will not resolve this issue long term. BSD needs to take these statistics into account and not be swayed by emotional bias on part of some committee members. There have also been several proposals to split Findley elementary based on location. I would like to urge BSD to not allow this as it will directly impact the kids who are already at a vulnerable age going into middle school. It will take a big emotional toll on the kids who will get separated from their friends of 6 years and is not a healthy solution. A lot of research backed up with data and numbers has been submitted to BSD which provides a reasonable feeder pattern for Stoller. I would like to request that BSD takes the time to study this information before reaching any conclusions. This whole exercise has created a big divide Within the BSD district between neighboring communities and it is really heartbreaking. I hope that BSD and committee members will keep base their decision on actual numbers rather than sob stories.</p>
01/14/2020	Aditi Kulkarni	Aditi.s.kulkarni@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		

01/14/2020	geetha rao	geethagv@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	When people think of buying house they make decisions with careful consideration of mainly school, neighborhood and proximity to conveniences. And they bear any associated premium costs wrt to choosing that neighborhood. It makes all the sense to send our kids to a school right across the house because we have made our lifetime choice to stay there. And it does not make any logical sense to commute to some distant school for the kids in the neighborhood especially when they can see the school as they step out of the house. Proximity to school, must be very very important criteria when making boundary adjustments especially for those neighborhoods that are right across or next to the school.current themes posted on the website makes almost students travel! Think about traffic in prime time!!Not only it brings chaos to students morning commute but also its a big deal to manage for office-goers.Cant imagine cars lining up to traffic inside the neighborhood!- Resident of oakridge estates right across stoller
01/14/2020	Inuka Gunawardana	amorvincit@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please take distance and walk-ability as the primary factors in determining the boundaries. This would result in the saving of time and money . Given this it would make sense to include Findley in the Stoller boundary map.I live in the Oakridge Estate Community across the Street from Stoller. One of the proposed maps puts our community in the Timberline middle school. Bussing kids who live within a few minutes walks is illogical and make zero sense. I trust that BSD would make a decision that makes logical and monitory sense.
01/14/2020	Henry	henry2k@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS			One of the objective for this is to support Stoller MS 90% PERMANENT capacity. The enrollment to both Sato and Springville on north Bethany is expecting to grow exponentially in the years to come due to the nature of the new development in the area. We can't feed both Sato and SVE to Stoller and achieve 90% PERMANENT capacity. In a few years down the road, stroller MS will be over crowded again due to the enrollment growth nature of both schools and we will come back here to do this exercise again. The better approach will be feeding Sato (a growing school) to Stoller, and feeding SVE (the other growing school) to five oaks. This way will ensure balanced enrollment grow for both middle schools and ensure Stoller MS can maintain it's 90% capacity permanently! If we agree on this, it makes a lot of sense to feed 3 elementary schools (Sato, JW & Findley) closest to Stoller to Stoller MS. Many students from JW & Findley ES live literally across the street from Stoller, and can walk to Stoller. IT doesn't make sense to ignore the proximity of the feeding school, and bus more students than necessary. This creates more hazard and doesn't reflect BSD's values. Middle school is part of the communities it resides, MS also needs supports from the communities surrounded it. It's the right thing to make sure MS taking students from the community in its proximity. It makes sense & reflects BSD's value to feed both JW and Findley ES to stoller MS based on this principle.

							<p>I have a few comments based on the events of the last meeting:1. Walkability is very important. While some of the members of the committee may not feel this is important, it is very important to the public at large, to the government of OR (that is trying to minimize carbon foot print), to BSD that sends out periodic emails encouraging kids to walk and has a "walk to school day", to the kids who feel integrated with their community and get a healthy exercise, and to the environment at large that we want to pass on to our kids. Please continue to keep this as a requirement and please do not get rid of this.2. Start with the walkability map in the next meeting. Please use the walkability map as a starting point for creating the new map.3. Some kids like those from SPV, unfortunately don't have a chance to walk to any middle school. While this is unfortunate for them, please do not penalize the FIndley kids who can walk to their school. It is fine to give SPV another school that they can walk to, I would be all for it. However, just because they cannot walk, don't take it away from other kids who can. No one wins here. Springville needs to be bussed anyway, Do the right thing for the walking kids and Bus the springville students to either Five Oaks or Timberland.4. One part the did not make any sense was how the 4 maps were arbitrarily discarded at the end of the meeting. We would like to see more discussion of actual numbers and some consistensy in the proceedings of the meetins.</p>
01/14/2020	Kathyayani	every999@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							<p>Committee / SparksIt was quite upsetting looking at how the meetings are progressing until the end of it. There is no time limit on topics to be discussed and no decisions carried from past. My only concern is why committee is not able to decide on few basics like1) Portables : Are we completing taking out from all schools ? If not then they should be kept to absorb some of the growth until it is stable enough. 2) 2021/2025 : BSD has already thought thr their objectives and clearly say 2021. Don't you think BSD would not have though of using 2025 or 2030 data and it has to come from the two committee members hijacking the entire meeting agenda?3) Missed Objectives : Until now there was no talk on who feeds Timberline which is the primary Objective of these meetings. 4) Walkability : We are talking about Middle schools.. 3 or 4 ES schools feed into MS and there is no way walkability takes priority in drawing the lines. What happens to the other 3 JC criterias ? Don't you think splitting MS is much more damaging than walking (we have no idea how many really walk...we assume they walk) ? The same parents drop kids and cause even more traffic during drop offs. Hopefully sanity prevails in upcoming meetings. Else this would be the last one I plan to attend.</p>
01/14/2020	Aditi H	aditi.h@gmail.com	Bethany Elem				
							<p>Dear BSD committee, After many sessions of meetings, it didn't feel that we are moving close to having a final solution yet to address 1, feeding the new middle school Timberland 2. to resolve the Stoller middle school over crowding, with the maps from audience. this process is getting pretty heated. Last meeting on Jan 9th brought new ideas and better directions. Please continue and start with the new staff maps to move forward.Also, I want to point out that to have kids in North of Springville to commute from South and go to Fiveoak MS is not the right thing to do: this commute will be crossing the busiest intersection in Washington county and this will force those kids to spend extra long time on bus. Please provide equity in commute time for all the kids in BSD. Thanks, -Wei</p>
01/14/2020	Wei Wei	weiwei40@hotmail.com	Springville K-8				

							Dear Superintendent Grotting, Mr. Sparks and the Advisory Committee, We would like to make a plea for maintaining walkability for all the children across the district since I believe that this is something that really makes a big positive impact on our children[?]'s lives. Not only are the children being presented with healthier choices, they are also building stronger relationships in the community as they walk / bike home in groups. Children also learn to be independent and responsible by having to walk / bike home. We believe that by walking or biking through the community, the children are more familiar with their communities and feel safe and a stronger bond with everyone around. In addition to the above request for walkability for all children, we also would like you to strongly consider continuing to maintain the SUMMA program at Stoller given that a majority of the students live within walking distances from Stoller (based on the SUMMA students by grid code and walking maps published by the district at the Jan 9th committee meeting). We definitely have first-hand experience of the above noted reasons based on our family's experience in the past 2 ½ years of our daughter attending the Stoller SUMMA program. Over her years of attendance at Stoller SUMMA, she has walked majority of the days with a group of friends, rain or sleet or shine and is very grateful for being able to walk to / from school. We hope that our son who will be in Stoller SUMMA starting next year will also be given the opportunity to have this positive experience. Thank you for your time and support! Best regards, Mamta & Ravi Sahita
01/14/2020	Mamta & Ravi Sahita	msahita@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
01/14/2020	Peng Wang	z.p.wang@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				Test map 4 is against the criteria of neighborhood proximity and accessibility. No kids live immediately near Stoller and Timerland go to the school. This will increase schoolbus travel time and budget significantly.
01/14/2020	Debbie Chin	debbienihc@gmail.com	Fir Grove Elem	Mountain View MS	Aloha		A few years ago when the high school boundaries were adjusted, BSD noted that their schools were identified as comprehensive schools, not neighborhood schools. Due to other Policy JC factors, an area may not be assigned to the closest school. Proximity is only one Policy JC factor. Student body composition is another. The BSD has dense areas of poverty in some parts of the district, and very little poverty in others. Some schools have over 50 percent free and reduced lunch, and one only has about 10 percent. BSD is currently working toward what they call "Common Middle School Experience", by having each of its schools adopt similar class scheduling and number of electives a student can choose. It is a step in the right direction, but it doesn't go as far as the name implies. It is more like common programming, or common class scheduling. A student's "experience" will still be very different at the schools as long as the district has high poverty schools and low poverty schools. When over half of your student population is on free and reduced lunch, its effects become a distraction and hindrance to learning for all students. While the uneven distribution of poverty in the district makes it impossible to evenly balance the levels of free and reduced lunch between the schools, BSD has a responsibility to lessen the disparity. That might mean sacrificing proximity when making these boundary adjustments, or splitting feeders – not desirable, but it may need to be done. Logically. Emotionally I struggle with it the same as most other people. I live outside a 3 mile radius from my assigned school. I don't consider that school area my community. The grocery stores, doctor and dentist offices, barber, fitness center, etc. that my family frequents are all in a different part of town. Sometimes I resent being used for our lack of poverty, although I know it is for the greater good.

01/14/2020	Debbie Chin	debbienihc@gmail.com	Fir Grove Elem	Mountain View MS	Aloha		Kids are resilient. Complete feeders are desired, but it is not that bad to split a feeder. My son went to an elementary school that was not a feeder to his middle school. He did not have any problems adjusting to middle school. His middle school was a feeder to his high school, but he mostly made new friends in high school. When the high school boundaries were adjusted a few years ago, a coworker and his son were upset because Stoller MS was split to feed to two high schools. His son did not want to leave his friends and go to Sunset HS. They applied for an administrative transfer to Westview, but it was denied. Yesterday I asked my coworker how his son feels about Sunset now. He said his son is happy at Sunset, and that he made new friends quickly. He said it was fine after the first couple weeks.
01/14/2020	Irene Johansen	irenecw@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS			We live in Oakridge Estates neighborhood which is just across the street from Stoller middle school. We would really want our kids to attend Stoller MS, where they can just walk to school. They do not have to wake up super early just to wait for the bus to bring them to school. Cost effective + safety measure for kids to walk to school that is just across the street! This is also especially helpful during winter month with snow, no snow route arrangement needed, they can just walk home or walk to school when school opens late. I hope the committee and Beaverton School district reconsider the MS boundary decision by keeping Oakridge Estates neighborhood in Stoller MS.
01/14/2020	Meena Arunachalam	meena_aruna@yahoo.com					Hi Please make sure to keep us with Stoller middle school as we literally cross the road and are in Stoller in 2 mins from our neighborhood.
01/14/2020	Kanchana Eramudugoda	Eramudu@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		With the new boundary adjustments, it make sense to look at the walkable neighborhoods to Stoller. This will save cost, time and traffic in Laidlaw and Kaiser.

01/14/2020	Shubha	shubhasajeeth@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				<p>Dear BSD Committee, Thank you for your time and efforts in alleviating the overcrowding at Stoller. While many solutions are being proposed for this issue, I would like the committee to carefully consider options that provide long term solution than temporarily relieve overcrowding. The long term resolution to this issue can only be possible if we consider moving fast growing neighborhood out of Stoller middle. The two fastest growing neighborhoods are Sato (growing 67% from 334 to 559) and Springville (growing 50% from 361 to 543) together will bring 1102 students in 2021. This will leave Stoller overcrowded (above the total permanent capacity of 1081) with just SPV and Sato alone!! I propose considering EITHER SPV or SATO and NOT BOTH schools with Stoller. In keeping with the BSD objective of preserving walkability, I propose keeping JW and Findley that is at a walkable distance with Stoller along with either SPV or SATO. This will provide adequate population for Timberland and will also keep Findley that are close to Stoller with the same MS. As for the SUMMA argument, I would like to propose to keep SUMMA intact with Stoller as we are working with a limited budget and there is still uncertainty with considering a SUMMA at Timberland. There are currently busing arrangements for all SUMMA students currently with Stoller and any changes with the program will only add to the overall cost. If we can move schools from neighborhoods with ballooning population away from Stoller, we will automatically create room for SUMMA. Almost 90% of JW is at walking distance to Stoller and any proposal that requires JW out of Stoller is ludicrous. It will be unfair to ask JW to cross a middle school right in their vicinity and travel to one that is far from them only to accommodate schools that will overpopulate Stoller in a couple of years. In short, I urge the district to consider moving SPV and Springville to different MS so that no school gets overcrowded from these 2 elementary schools together. I strongly support keeping SUMMA at Stoller and JW in its entirety with walking distance Findley students at Stoller. This seems to be the most sensible option at this point if we are to meet the twin objective of reducing overcrowding at Stoller while populating Timberland along with preserving walkability.</p>
01/14/2020	B Xie	bt11xie@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>In the test map 1 which includes Springville in Stoller map in 2021, the Stoller is 1128 students, and in 2025, it increases to 1403 students. In the test map 2 that has Findley in Stoller, the Stoller has 1071 students and it is just about 60 students more in 2025, 1139 students. Please note that the permanent capacity is 1081 in Stoller MS. The BSD set 90% permanent capacity for this current adjustment in order to allow future development in North Bethany. Fortunately, the declining enrollment in Findley ES is a good and natural compensation for the Sato area development. Therefore, Findley stay in Stoller and Springville moving to another MS is a sustainable and long-term solution for Stoller.</p>
01/14/2020	purwadi purwosumarto	aset.tj@gmail.com					<p>Oakridge neighborhood is just a cross from Stoller, it does not make sense to move children in that neighborhood to new school. It is walking distance. Students from Findley need to be split. Some parents will not agree with this because the arguments are separated from friends. However, in reality, they will make new friends when they go to middle school and in fact they also split in High School anyway. In my experience with my children who do not go to BSD anymore, their close friends are people who walk together every morning and after school. Please walking distance is more important here. Thank you</p>

01/14/2020	Rashmi Mudiyanur	Rashmi.mudiyanur@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	<p>Dear BSD Committee,We appreciate you pulling in the community to make a decision that impacts all our kids and their future.Having read several comments posted on this site over the last few weeks. I would like to highlight why Findley should continue feeding to Stoller - 1. Walkability - It makes no sense to bus a whole community of students who can walk to school. Moving findley out also means putting a huge percent of its kids on bus at a increased cost, which can be easily avoided.2. Splitting elementary feeders - There are also proposals to split findley which absolutely is detrimental to kids since middle school transition as proven in research studies, is hard by itself and going through this experience with no friends will make this worse. Another most important aspect is, there is not much gain in numbers by splitting findley, hence NOT solving the over-crowding problem at all. So why are we putting kids and their growth at risk when there are no benefit by any means. PLEASE DROP ANY ELENENTARY SPLIT PROPOSALS!!!3. DATA - humble request to all committee members to please look at the data - please compare with Findley IN and Findley OUT numbers - the DATA SPEAKS FOR ITSELF. Removing findley out will not solve over-crowding issue at Stoller, PERIOD.4. MAX CAPACITY - this seems to have been misinterpreted by many folks, suggesting numbers with portables. Why are we even talking about portables when the community and district is spending a huge amount of time, money and resources to readjust the boundary - isnt the objective of this whole exercise is to bring stoller & 100 % capacity and committee should really consider whether the objective is with or without portables.We hope the BSD will consider all these factors in making a decision that works all.</p>
01/14/2020	cf chan	buyer126@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>By looking at the Middle School Boundary map options, we just DO NOT understand why removing Findley Elementary from Stoller Middle can help the situation? With Findley still IN Stoller, forecasting 1139 students, and clearly Findley Elementary is not the culprit in the Stoller overcrowded issues. Make NO SENSE to us why we are still considering removing Findley Elementary neighborhood which is a matured or non growing neighborhood. This will not solve the Stoller overcrowding problem.</p>
01/14/2020	Liesel Strayer	wmnugget@gmail.com	Vose Elem	Whitford MS			<p>I am writing to voice my opposition to the proposal to move the boundaries of Vose Elementary to both Cedar Park and Whitford Middle schools. This would compromise the dual language program that starts at Vose from K-5th grade, continues at Whitford from 6-8th grade and ultimately ends with a dual language certificate on the high school diploma. I have a 5th grader at Vose this year and an 8th grader at Whitford. Both of them have been in the dual language program at Vose since kindergarten. This has been an invaluable asset to their education and for the other dual language students, especially those who speak Spanish at home. My 8th grader has used this skill many times including serving as an interpreter for the speaker at the Vose neighborhood picnic last year.To lose this progression in the Beaverton School district would be a huge loss for the district and our community.</p>
01/14/2020	Dipto Guha Thakurta	dipto.guha.thakurta@gmail.com	Findley Elem				<p>I have two daughters attending Findley. We live in the Oakridge Estates neighborhood right across Laidlaw just south of Stoller MS. I strongly believe that the first criterion for Middle school should be "true" walk-ability to the school to save student's commute time and for the environment. I strongly urge you to keep the Oakridge neighborhood in Stoller middle school.</p>
01/14/2020	Sujata G Thakurta	sujata_2000b@yahoo.com	Findley Elem				<p>I have two daughters attending Findley. We live in the Oakridge Estates neighborhood right across Laidlaw just south of Stoller MS. I strongly believe that the first criterion for Middle school should be "true" walk-ability to the school to save student's commute time and for the environment. I strongly urge you to keep the Oakridge neighborhood in Stoller middle school.</p>

01/14/2020	Sanjoy Ganguly	sanjoy.ganguly@kp.org					Thank you very much for all the work and effort you are putting towards the MS boundary adjustment. I think the stuff feeder map is a good solution. I also urge the committee to please consider keeping the SUMMA program in Stoller. Stoller is within walking distance from our neighborhood and if shifted, transportation of my daughter will be a big inconvenience. I have a first hand experience on this for my son (a few years earlier) who got into Meadow Park SUMMA (didn't get in Stoller SUMMA). The BSD school bus used to take him from our neighborhood to 5 oaks MS where he had to wait literally alone for 20 - 25 mins for the next bus to take him to Meadow park (very early morning around 6 am i believe). It was so difficult and painful for a small boy plus the security concern (no one around during the wait in the dark winter hours) that we had to make alternate arrangement for him! I sincerely hope that my daughter will not be subjected through the same process! So pls keep SUMMA in Stoller which will help many such students. Thank you very much in advance.
01/14/2020	Thulasi	Thulasi.jp@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		1. Prioritize and promote walkability to our neighborhood school.2. Continue to maintain the well-established SUMMA program at Stoller.3. Have good feeding pattern for HS for JW, since our children get split into two HS - Sunset and Westview High Schools.
01/14/2020	Sharon	Li.xlian@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Jacob Wismer should stay with Stoller for so many reasons. 1) it is the nearest to Stoller. Many Family are in walking distance. This is good for reducing transportation budget. 2) Bethany has an increasing population, moving JW out simply won't solve the issue.I knew that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but ask that you find another solution that makes more sense.
01/14/2020	Priya Mani	heypriya@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		To the Advisory Committee, Superintendent Grotting, and Mr. Sparks, The latest maps and projected numbers provided by BSD supports keeping JW at Stoller, as a majority of the community falls in the walking zone, as shown by the walkability map. A significant population of SUMMA kids currently walk to Stoller as well, based on the SUMMA grid map. Overlay these maps one on the other, and moving either the SUMMA kids or JW itself becomes illogical, as both these populations are stable and are expected to remain so. To create school space for communities driven by buses into Stoller, should walking school kids now be put on (additional) buses? If the overcrowding at Stoller was not enough, now decisions made by the District will also speak for the crowding we see on our local roads, not to mention the adverse environmental impact. As a Jacob Wismer parent, I strongly urge you all to find a long-term solution. No matter how many Committee members have gone on record to say that 2 expanding populations cannot be sustained at Stoller, the maps currently on the discussion table chosen by Advisory Committee suggests that 2 growing school communities may together, continue to feed into Stoller. It makes me wonder if the Committee has looked closely at specific combinations of schools with ever growing numbers (2021 through 2025) and if they have a clear vision of what is to come... With the North Bethany expansion maps that are publicly available, it seems very clear that the expansion is projected to go beyond 2025, which would bring us/Stoller, right back to where we stand today, overcrowded!
01/14/2020	May	mrwang.npu@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Please provide equity in commute time and set up all kids for success. The horrible each way commute between Springville and five Oaks will mean decreased homework time, family time and extra curricular activities.

01/14/2020	Peter	Pzhang@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Please solve the problem between Stoller and the new school. If moving Springville to Five Oaks, it will make Five Oaks crowded. The best way is to move Findley and Summa out to the new school. Please follow the staff feeder and capacity maps, which are the best scientific way.
01/14/2020	Abhishek Jain	abjain10@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS		Respected committee members - thanks for considering all the comments/feedback in your decision making. We should start with acknowledging the problem at hand. BSD built a MS in the southeast of the city while there was exponential residential growth planned in north Bethany. This created a huge imbalance for the demand and supply of middle school education 4 years down the lane. While we try to resolve and settle this now, let us not recreate the same problem (of overcrowding and under-utilization) again 5 years down the lane. We should consider the options where we do not overwhelm 1 school system due to ongoing exponential residential area growth while under utilize others. While building a new MS for North Bethany will be the most lasting resolution, in absence of that, going by the projected numbers for 2025, it looks like test map 2 and 3 gives the most stable middle school population going from 2021 to 2025 for Stoller, FO and Timberland. It balances the growing Sato school area feed with diminishing JW/Findley area feed. Similarly for FO, it will balance growing SPV feed with diminishing feed from rest of the ES feeding to FO. Thanks again!
01/14/2020	Satoko Watt	satoko.watt@gmail.com	Springville K-8			Both staff maps show Summa at Stoller and Timberland. Can BSD have Summa sites at both schools? If this is possible, it would be very good . But I am worried about Stoller's capacity. We should compare travel time and distance to other SUMMA students in BSD. There is a precedent for children going to a distant SUMMA site because it is optional. It is wrong to force 500 other children to bus to a distant middle school just to keep an optional SUMMA program at Stoller. To resolve overcrowding at Stoller, relocation of SUMMA should be considered first. Please decide to move SUMMA out from Stoller before other considerations. If Findley moves to Timberland, then Findley SUMMA goes there too. Stoller SUMMA students should go to Timberland or Meadow or be redistributed as appropriate.
01/14/2020	Sandra Fernandes	San_sfr@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Please include the following in your decision making:* Proximity of the existing neighborhoods to the middle school.* With proximity comes school buses and travel times Further the school - more buses will be needed on the road for the same neighborhoods and increase in travel time to reach school.* Existing neighborhoods around Findley have lower enrollment as most of the families have kids that have phased out of elementary school. This data is seen in lower enrollments thru the years at Findley. This helps in resolving the overflow issue over the years.* Socio economic comparisons showing Findley is higher is incorrect as newer neighborhoods in North Bethany do have homes ranging from 500k to 900k with more homes coming in thru phased approach.Thank you for taking the time to read the comments.

							I would like to vote for keeping Jacob Wismer and half of findley in stoller while splitting springville and keeping the near half In stoller if my words matter as a resident, who never miss paying one dollar of tax. With builders keeping building more and more houses in springville area, it is unfair for Jacob Wismer and findley to take the outcome of moving out of stoller, especially for those who are within walking distance from stoller. Findley and Jacob area residents who are paying more tax Yearly due to higher house price. We bought the house in our area planning to send kids to stoller when they reach the age. After paying tax for years, now we have to move out of stoller so sprinville can feed in? I don't see how this makes sense in any way. To committee who make the final decision: please make the boundary adjustment Plan fair by keeping kids within walking distance In stoller. Thanks.
01/14/2020	Huiyan	Panhuiyan1983@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	
							I am very concerned about academic balancing when it comes to Rock Creek since we will be impacted most by this change from all schools that feed to Stoller. Based on these maps Sato, Springville and Jacob Wismer are staying at Stoller. Finley or part of it will be moved to new middle school surrounded by great schools such as bony slope and cedar mills so no suffering from academic standpoint plus brand new school.I think that regardless Rock Creek will suffer the most from this change.I think that if they remove Rock Creek from Stoller it is fair that at least we move with Bethany and Oak Hills to Meadow Park per staff feeder pattern map. This will make us feel more at home at the new school since will be moving with neighbor schools and will help from an academic balancing standpoint.This causes least disruption to other schools whileaddressing capacity issues and minimizing cascading impact to other schools.I think sending part of Rock Creek or Rock Creek to Five Oaks all alone from North 26 is not fair to that group of people. I don't live in the area that is designated to go to Five Oaks per capacity utilization map but I think it is still not fair to that part of Rock Creek to suffer the biggest impact from all communities going to Stoller. It is fair that Rock Creek moves with Bethany and Oak hills per staff feeder pattern map even though capacity utilization map works from my personal standpointIf Stoller capacity is not where it needs to be per staff feeder pattern map than we should rezone new developments in Springville and Sato to a different school besides Stoller per one of the committee member comments. This will keep Stoller numbers in track plus I am assuming that if there are no new developments enrollment numbers for existing Springville and Sato communities will eventually start to decrease due to population decline as reflected with other established communities. In this case, feeder pattern map will work long term. Again capacity utilization map is better for me personally, but don't think it's fair to the part of Rock Creek that will be going to Five Oaks all alone from North 26.I think that it is not fair to rezone new development to Stoller since they will be very far away and in this case at a time when we are displacing 30 year old neighborhoods that are closer to Stoller while home builders and landlords profit from new developments at the expense of established communities.
01/14/2020	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		

							Hello BSD committe ,please make decisions based on future and not based on the next 2 years.* 2025 Projections for North Bethany plan shows more population growth in both Springville and SATO with more apartments. This means that the same issue is going to arise in a couple of more years.* Can't accommodate 2 growing communities like Sato and springville and still avoid overcrowding. Sato is closer. So just having sato, JW and Findley in stoller makes sense* Salzman road is going to be straightened with a side walk which makes the findley communities walkable to stoller. Please click on this link for information.* https://www.co.washington.or.us/LUT/Divisions/LongRangePlanning/PlanningPrograms/CommunityPlanning/upload/NoBe0226OpenHouseBoardsAll.pdf * There is a trail built between stoller and findley making it more easier to walk for the kids. * Any proposal that compromises the Proximity and Walkability shouldn't be considered.
01/14/2020	Madhu	mamita5608@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							I am the parent of a senior at Westview, a freshman at Sunset, and a 5th grader at Oak Hills Elementary. We participated in the high school boundary process, where we strongly advocated to keep Oak Hills together, but obviously the resulting boundaries did not support this. My biggest concern at the time was that only a small portion of Oak Hills students feed from Meadow Park to Sunset. This concern has come to fruition this year as we work to support our freshman as she navigates life at a high school where she barely knows anyone. Most other parents of Oak Hill freshmen at Sunset describe similar struggles, but since the number of kids is so small relative to the size of these schools, you won't receive many letters regarding this.I had hoped that the new middle school process would alleviate this problem for our 5th grader, but instead, every one of the 6 test maps leave one part or the other of Oak Hills Elementary in this position. In the scenarios where we continue to feed to Meadow Park, the students east of Bethany still go to Sunset with few of their peers. (And the fact that most of the other schools that feed to Sunset will attend Timberland middle school only exacerbates this problem.) In the scenarios where we move to Timberland, the students west of Bethany would head to Westview without any other middle school peers. Neither of these scenarios are desirable for the students.Three ways to solve this problem:1) Split Oak Hills Elementary at Bethany, feeding those east of Bethany to Timberland, and west of Bethany to another middle school. While it is painful to suggest this option, the painful transition to high school with so few friends from middle school is even moreso. I have heard other parents suggest it is worse to to split up for the transition to middle school, but the number of parents who choose this separation by sending their students to option schools would suggest otherwise.2) Adjust the high school boundaries to keep Oak Hills together through ES, MS, HS. I'm not suggesting which one, but tweaking this boundary would resolve the problem for both sides of Bethany Blvd.3) Send Oak Hills to a middle school that includes other students that would go to both Sunset and Westview. I know this is currently Stoller (and I have no desire to wade into that complex, emotionally charged topic), but I don't think any middle schools fit this criteria on the 6 maps.I hope you will please consider making some changes that will make a big difference for a relatively small group of students.
01/14/2020	Cheryl McLaughlin	cmclaughlin33@gmail.com	Oak Hills Elem	Meadow Park MS	Sunset		

01/14/2020	Amber Zhang	woshizhangxiaoyan@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I looked at the 2025 data BSD released and realized how big SPV and Sato are.By 2025, SPV has 543 kids and Sato has 559, those two together 1102 is beyond the permanent capacity for any BSD middle school. The take is straightforward- SPV and Sato cannot feed into one school unless one of them or both are split. Since no one wants to split school, it's justly simple that there is no way for SPV feeding Stoller because the number doesn't work. We will have to adjust the south boundaries to ensure SPV can feed into FO. For example, can Rachel Carson get removed from FO? Elmonica EM is working on boundaries adjustment and that will decrease FO kids as well. I see more light on making FO numbers work rather than Stoller.
01/14/2020	Amber Ferschweiler	Amber.fer@frontier.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please keep Findley students in the Stoller boundary. My son has a relationship with other students and teachers in that community as well as being able to bond with other students walking to Stoller and I would hate to see him and his peers have to transition to a school that is outside of his walkable neighborhood and community.
01/14/2020	Kevin Lyons	kevinmlyons@gmail.com	McKay Elem	Conestoga MS			I appreciate the hard work being performed by the committee and appreciate the challenges they are trying to overcome. As a part of this process, I request that the committee strongly consider the walk-ability and distance to school for all students. I'm very concerned about the current proposal as it presents a plan that will require the children in the Englewood (south of Scholls Ferry between 217 and North Dakota/125th) to attend Whitford which is miles away from their homes, requiring travel down a highway (which doesn't have sidewalks the full distance) and crossing a freeway which makes it impossible for these children to safely walk or even bike to their school. Conestoga is much closer to their home (which is less than a mile for some) and within their community. I have a student at Conestoga and they regularly walk/ride to school and it is a safe experience for them. This would not be possible for our student if they attended Whitford. In addition, the presence of the freeway (217) between this neighborhood establishes a line between our neighborhood and Whitford's local neighborhood. This proposal pulls these children from their local neighbors, their sports teams, community center, local activities, etc. This proposal not only presents an unsafe proposal for our children, it divides our local community. Locality of these students should take precedence over any desire to keep schools together throughout their progression or for student numbers. It is okay for schools to divide in to different middle schools based on their neighborhood. Throughout life, we are forced to adapt to being introduced in new groups of people and new situations. This is a powerful lesson for our children and one that helps our children grow. Please do not force these children to attend schools outside of their local neighborhood.
01/14/2020	Sam Vilain	sambiz@gmx.com	Findley Elem				The Findley community cares deeply about education. It values the impact that its public schools have on its youth, and supports these schools in return.This is not the case everywhere in this country. When such a symbiosis exists between a community and its schools, it needs to be respected and prized. Only then can a school reach its full potential as a public good and a pillar of society. This is not just about drawing lines on a map; the social fabric is at stake.Please keep Findley as a feeder school to Stoller!

01/14/2020	Michelle Vilain	michelle.vilain@gmail.com	Findley Elem				Please do not split-feed Findley, and please keep it as a feeder school into Stoller!As I understand it, if one of the aims of redrawing district boundaries is to reduce overcrowding at Stoller, then it makes sense to maintain Jacob Wismer, Findley and Sato as elementary feeder schools. This would create a stable and sustainable student population for the middle school.As much as possible, the boundaries should be drawn to include elementary schools that are right next door to the middle school. This is both financially and environmentally responsible. Let's not bus students if we can avoid it!In addition, the district boundaries should be drawn in such a way that students are able to attend middle school with the friends that they made in elementary school. These supportive social relationships are a vital part of academic success!
01/14/2020	Erin Richards	Erinmrichards@gmail.com	Ridgewood Elem	Cedar Park MS	Beaverton		After reviewing the 4 maps that were put together based on community feedback, I can't help but wonder if any parents from Cedar Park were at the original meeting. In my opinion, every single map does a disservice to the students at Cedar Park because they do not meet the 800 mark that the district says is the minimum capacity for a quality middle school. I believe Cedar Park should be: it's current boundaries minus Bonney Slope & Terra Linda and adding in Raleigh Park. If you move Findley into the Timberline boundary along with Bonney Slope and Terra Linda that should alleviate Stoller's over crowding, populate the new school and still leave Cedar Park with a sizable student population. I obviously don't know how all of these numbers shake out exactly but it seems to make more sense than what I see currently suggested in the four theme maps.
01/14/2020	Baotong Xie	Xiechmc@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		No any school is entitled to feed to a specific school. But that Findley at Stoller is the right choice is based on the the enrollment data, transportation data, walkability/proximity, long term communities development. All of these reason make Findley , Jacob wismer and Sato staying in Stoller a sustainable, long term solution.I drove this Monday morning at the school open time (Monday 8:20) from the Springville K-8 to the Five oaks and it took 15 mins. 15 mins, even the traffic was slow in a few of signals and waited a while several times. It is not my first time to drive this route, every time it takes less than 20mins. Some Springville parents have repeatedly claimed that it take 45 mins and emotionally said it takes the whole day. That is totally wrong. Their only goal is to feed into the Stoller. To achieve this, they claimed the commute takes 45 mins, they split the Findley ES. But the fact is commuting time actually is reasonable; splitting the Findley ES still have too large students number. They then to move out the whole Findley from the Stoller, but the students number still much higher. They then tried to split the Jacob wismer, claiming that the high school feeding pattern should be considered; and now is moving the Summa, to split the Sato.... The Springville is trying their best to find the excuse to stay in the Stoller, even it is a wrong data. Now they are talking about the portable structures will be still used after the adjustment, but it is already stated in BSD website that every students should study in permanent capacity, this is for students and staff safety and for fairness. is Telling a truth hard nowadays? I don't think so. The truth is the Springville parents don't like to go the the Five oaks, they are looking for any excuse to avoiding this. However, there is one easy, sustainable, reasonable solution for the stoller overcrowded situation: Findley, Jacob wismer plus Sato stay in Stoller: no need to move Summa, most students walk to school!

01/15/2020	C. Sotana	chyishiun@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Hi Dear committee members, I am in shock to see one of proposals is to bus all students in communities surrounding Stoller MS to a new MS in far distance to make room for students from Springville to attend Stoller MS. Why Springville students feel they have to attend to Stoller MS which is not even close to their community and why they feel they are so privileged that they can't move to FO MS and it's ok to kick other students living near Stoller MS out of Stoller MS to TL MS which is in far distance? The growing enrollment of Springville is one of the causes leading to Stoller MS overcrowding in the 1st place. Keeping Springville in Stoller MS will lead to the same overcrowding dilemma again in just a few years based on BSD's data. Committee members, we need a long term solution, not a bandaid!! Feeding Springville students to FO MS is the right thing to do. Please address the root causes and make the right decision.
01/15/2020	Durelle Singleton	Singletonmd7172@gmail.com	Vose Elem			ISB	My two oldest sons have attended Vose and greatly benefitted from the dual language Spanish option. They are now at ISB, and on-track to receive college credit for their proficiency in Spanish. My daughter currently attends Vose as well and is in the dual language program. We enrolled our students there knowing there were many benefits to the dual language program, including there being a k-12 program alignment between Vose and then to Whitford and then onto high school at Beaverton for some students and Southridge for other students. Although our boys ended up at ISB, many families can't or don't choose option schools like us. But they do deserve to continue with dual language k-12, so their children can achieve what the district promised when they enrolled, full biliteracy and bilingualism. Whitford, Beaverton and Southridge have worked very hard as administrators, staff and communities to build up their dual language programs over many, many years. They have hired staff, trained teachers and administrators,, changed schedules, aligned curriculum and assessments, built community, attended conferences, etc. It would be very, very challenging for any other school communities to add dual language programs, due to a shortage of qualified teachers, who have to not only speak Spanish fluently but also have licenses in what they will teach (Physics, Social Studies, Science, Math, etc). Plus just the sheer amount of effort and time it takes to put together an effective program in a middle or high school. Many parents have been told that research says it takes 7-10 years to fully acquire and learn a second language. If the boundaries for Vose and/or Barnes (who also has a dual language program) are being considered to be changed, it would be very damaging to over half of their students who are in the dual language programs. Plus Barnes is going to eventually have their whole school be dual language I believe. I know the district has been working hard to strengthen the middle school and high school dual language programs to increase effectiveness and enrollment, so any boundary changes to the middle and high schools for Vose and/or Barnes would destroy or water down their efforts. At least there should only be one middle school for Vose and one for Barnes so they can focus on strengthening the dual language program at each site. Just because our community is lower income overall doesn't mean that we should be used to even out enrollment for other communities, and therefore our diverse, mainly Spanish-speaking, English Language learners' education should suffer. We should all be working together to keep effective, research-based programs intact, not dismantle them. We say we want global and prepared students, and the dual language program prepares students for the world in ways few programs do. Please don't weaken or destroy it.
01/15/2020	Christine Clark	christineclark17@hotmail.com	McKay Elem				I have two children who attend McKay and who we expect to attend Conestoga Middle School. I have many concerns about the new boundary changing the middle school they will attend.

01/15/2020	Jagadevi Chikkalli	jagadevi.chikkalli@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>•Majority of Summa students are in JW,Findlay and Sato. • . Majority of students from these schools have proximity to school•Established summa program at Stoller, no need to open another Summa. so there wont be any movement of Summa teachers also. •SpringVille has very few Summa students. •SpringVille doesn't have any walkable students to Stoller. •They are already on bus. •They can either attend Five Oaks or Timberland, there is not much of difference in travel time.Distance from SpringVille to Five Oaks MS = 4.5 milesDistance from SpringVille toTimberland MS = 5.7 milesSo the difference is only 1.2 miles.</p>
01/15/2020	jonathan santizo	jonsantizo@gmail.com	Vose Elem	Whitford MS	Beaverton	ACMA	<p>MY name is Jonathan Santizo, I have 2 children enrolled in the Dual Language Program. I can not word what this has done for my children and my family.See I have an elderly mother that is slowly forgetting English and has retracted to her native language of Spanish.It was a challenge to teach my children Spanish at home due to many factors.The program has given them the gift of being multilingual, Changing the boundaries that could affect other children to have this opportunity is a disfavor to them.Knowing another language is extremely beneficial in many ways. Educational, cultural, it opens the brain to so much more.When making these decisions please listen to the communities. Tell us how we can help.Thank you</p>
01/15/2020	Karthik Ravi	ravi.karthik@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	<p>I would like request the BSD to keep springville students with stoller. If the springville students were to feed into Five Oaks, it would make the commute even longer and given the traffic students will spend more time commuting than to focus on school. Study shows that longer commutes induces fatigue and thus making the kids disinterested in school.</p>
01/15/2020	Lina	lg72cu@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>Findley elementary boundary stops at the doorstep of Stoller. Based on proximity, walkability and a stable population count, Findley is a natural feeder school for Stoller</p>
01/15/2020	Aditya Kukday	kukday@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			<p>Dear AC membersI wanted to address a particular chain of thought which trivializes the impact of long commute to Springville students to Five Oaks. It is very easy to always minimize the impact on others, specially when coupled with benefit to oneself. It is easy to say, "its only 5 more mins" for someone else's kid, when the truth is its not just 5 more mins, its more like 50 mins, and even if it were "just 5 mins", its not for someone else to say what the impact will be on my child. Its like a billionaire saying, its only \$5 Million. For someone living on median income, its more than earning of lifetime, not "just \$5 Million".Also, please be careful about mean, median, average distances. They are not the same measure. Median doesn't mean on average every kid is in bus route of 5 miles. Also, if the argument is that "median" bus route is 5 miles, hence Springville should go to Five Oaks, then ever single student needs to be bused 5 miles- including JW and Findley. Finally please consider the data - bus routes in rural areas of BSD are longer, but also faster since no traffic or traffic lights, no congestion and in those cases its essentially a life choice. Also 5 miles on 185th, is not the same as 5 miles on Roy Rogers road. I know because I commute from Bethany to Tualatin every day. I can drive 3 miles on Roy Rogers in the same time I drive 1 mile on 185th. So please don't fall into "median" distance fallacy.</p>
01/15/2020	Nimisha Srivastava	Nimmi30@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>Springville elementary should continue to meet Stoller because it is closed middle school.</p>

01/15/2020	Pauline	Uyenl@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I strongly recommend Springville to stay in Stoller and Findley to move to Timberland. Totally understand that Findley distance to Stoller is walkable but do the kids really want to walk in the rain, the cold, the wind, and sometimes in the dark alone? Is that really safe for them? Or is it safer for them to be with their neighborhood kids on a warm and out of the rain/wind bus for their better health and better social time before and after school? All kids should be treated equally and shared some travel distance busing. Thanks for reading and taking my opinion in consideration!
01/15/2020	Aarti	aaru1228@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Stoller middle school is closest middle school to Springville K-8 students .Many students bike or walk so physical proximity should be the priority.
01/15/2020	Kolla Chowdary	Kolla.cheerful@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I personally feel the springville kids should be allocated to stoller for the reason that springville is more closer to stoller than to any nearby middle schoolslike Five Oaks. During the peak hours of school pickup it takes an average of 30 mins for one way meaning 1 hour for two way per day. If all the middle school kids in my community have to travel it takes lot of working hours of the parents and long drive for the kids too. Hope the decision considers the commute time vs no. Of kids travelling. I believe Findley is way closer to other middle schools like Timberland than Springville
01/15/2020	Ravi	pr.ravi@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			I am writing this as a parent of two kids - one in Stoller and one in JWE. Please retain JWE in Stoller for the following reasons A. My son walks/bikes to Stoller most days and he escorts his younger sister who is still in JWE. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. It's quite common and I personally am aware of many older siblings at Stoller to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. B. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard. This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).C. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily. I had provided this input in the comments as well.D. Stoller is literally surrounded by JWE community. Our community has invested a great deal in our schools through volunteering and other activities. We believe and feel Stoller is our home school and our kids belong in there. Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary and please continue to maintain the well-established SUMMA program at Stoller.
01/15/2020	Marla Merriwether	marla.merriwether@yahoo.com	Cedar Mill Elem				I sent both of my daughters (6th and 8th grades currently) to st pius for middle school as Timberland was not open to us. My 2nd grade son is already dreaming of walking to and attending school at Timberland. He will be attending st pius if Map 4 is approved. Bus utilization and transportation time should also be considered. Map 4 makes no sense to the students of cedar mill elementary who can walk to Timberland. We want a neighborhood middle school.Thanks for listening.Marla Merriwether10834 NW Jordan Lane640-248-4086

01/15/2020	Leon Lim	6425mcgregor@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>I'm writing to advocate for keeping all existing Jacob Wismer communities at Stoller and keeping fully functioning SUMMA program at Stoller exclusively for neighborhoods that will feed Stoller MS after the boundary adjustment. Proximity of our neighborhood (Arbor Height) to both JW and Stoller means that our children can safely walk or bike to school and more importantly having a sense of neighborhood schools and communities. They have participated in many school's community activities such as Stoller 5K, Walk/Bike school. Not only does keeping JW students at their current neighborhood middle school (Stoller) encourages the sense of community and friendship, it helps with cost reduction having to bus students and create traffic congestion. As for SUMMA program. Stoller SUMMA program is NOT viewed as an Option School at the MS because the students and parents view as part of the school. Most of the SUMMA kids are from the same neighborhood and they have friends that are at non-summa at Stoller. Some of the non-students also benefit from the opportunity participate in SUMMA classes even though they are not in SUMMA. This opportunity is extremely valuable. By removing SUMMA out of Stoller and moving to another school like Timberland or Meadow Park, will remove all these benefits. Stoller will not be what it is today as a high achieving and balanced school. I have reviewed many proposals from committee members, Springville parents, Findley parents, Rock Creek parents, there is no PERFECT solution. This is simply because of two factors. One, Timberland is located away from the population growth area (North Bethany) and in an area surrounded by businesses instead of residential neighborhood. Two, North Bethany will continue to grow even beyond current urban growth boundary over the next 10-20 years. To solve the problem, we need to look at the time table of when another middle school can be built in the heart of North Bethany. Then we can use that information to make decision on how each element of various proposals can help work towards the eventuality of having a another MS in North Bethany. Ideally, knowing that there will be continue growth in north bethany and eventual new MS, we should look to keep more established neighborhood at their current MS. Options such as keeping Springville middle school operational while new MS is built, convert one of the ES to MS in North Bethany, splitting some ES feeder to different MS should be on the table. However, all these must be done based on the timetable of the new MS in North Bethany. Thank you for reviewing my feedback. Thanks Leon</p>
01/15/2020	Aruna	arunaravi11@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			<p>Hi I am submitting this comment as a parent of kids in Stoller and JWE. As a family and as a community member, we are in support of Map 3 since JW is adjacent to Stoller and a vast majority of kids live within a mile of walking distance from both these schools. If JW kids feed into any other middle school other than Stoller, it would mean busing an additional 395 kids out of JW neighborhoods, most of who can walk to Stoller. The high cost both environmental as well as dollars to shuttle our kids in school buses would come from our tax dollars - which we would rather see used for programs that grows our teachers and students Thanks.</p>

							I have concerns about the situation of the middle school boundary adjustment. I can't agree with the theme map that splits Rock creek elementary north of West Union Rd. First, it is hard to separate friendships that's established in elementary school. Second, as part of the rock creek elementary boundary that is east of 185th is a relatively small group but we have easy access to trail and easier commute to Stoller Middle School. Yes, Taking a right turn is much safer and easier in the morning. Adding extra traffic on West Union and 185th with people going to work is not ideal. Third, it will be less impact for Rock Creek to stay at Stoller. In my opinion, our community is established and will not have much growth. I sincerely ask BDS and Committee members to put yourself in other's shoe and consider that it is not ok for us to shift to Five Oaks because of the new development of North Bethany create overcrowding problem in Stoller. Therefore, I would strongly recommend SUMMA program and Findlay feeds to the new Timberland. However, if Rock Creek has to feed to Five Oaks or shift south across the highway 26. It would be better to have at least Bethany Elementary and Rock Creek stays together. The kids will feed to Westview together that will help with established friendships. I also believe create diversity and equality learning environment to all school is major goal as well. Rock Creek has that diversity that we really like and I think our kids deserved a school can bring their potential during middle school years.
01/15/2020	Jeff C	yc.jeff.cheng@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem				
01/15/2020	Vijaykumar Kadgi	vkadgi@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	My proposal : Jacob Wismer, Findley & Sato elementary school should feed Stoller middle school with SUMMA program kept at Stoller. The reasons for that 1. this solution prioritizes and promotes walkability to neighborhood school and at the same time does not add increased financial burden of extra buses if any other option is chosen. 2. Continue to maintain the well-established SUMMA program at Stoller based on the fact that majority of SUMMA students are from Jacob wismer & Findley. 3. It established good feeding pattern for High school. 4. This is good for short & long term solution for middle school capacity problem.
01/15/2020	Annie Wang	Anniewang236@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	For the school boundary planning, Prioritize and promote walkability to neighborhood school. It is not practical and wasting school district resources to sending students to somewhere far while they could walk to middle school just across the street from their house. On the other hand, it is extremely selfish to see some other community neighbors trying to push their kids into an already crowded middle school while they could literally bus the kids somewhere else (and those kids are already on bus anyway). Why they care so much to push themselves into Stoller? The root reason they dare not to say but it is so obvious and everyone else can tell is very clear: because Stoller is a better ranking school, they want their kids to go a better school, rather than a less desirable school although those 2 schools are in the similar proximity. Isn't that everyone's hope for kids to go better school and get better educated? If you are strong enough and you care your kids education, anywhere you go you can make that school great! Like we, through years of efforts of parents/teachers/kids, making our neighbor school a great and most desirable school! Springville community labors, you could do it too! ! !

01/15/2020	Piradee Tati	piradeet@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Please consider keeping Springville at Stoller MS. Pushing Springville to Five Oak makes no sense at all in term of distance, population allocation and fairness. It will also create outrage in our neighborhood since we mostly move into this area because of good schools. MS at Springville has been removed and now Stoller is our only choice for our children. In contrast, with new facilities and full resources, Timberland could easily become a promising great MS school in the future. So, I feel that we should focus on allocating students to Timberland and minimizing impact to the whole community rather than trying to push one another out of Stoller to a lower-rating school just because they don't want to go to the new school. Thank you.
01/15/2020	Sanjoy Ganguly	sanjoy.ganguly@kp.org	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			From the last meeting held in Cedar park I got the impression that Staff feeder map is the way to go along with the Stuff utilization map. Feeder map shows both Springville & Sato along with Jacob in Stoller. My thinking is that both Springville and Sato have the biggest developing happening N of Springville and having them together for Stoller will not solve the overcrowding situation at Stoller. For a long term solution, you could look into Springville feeding to Five oaks as this will keep the feed to Stoller relatively stable. Also SATO neighborhoods south of Springville Rd and almost all of Jacob Wismer are walkable to Stoller and keeping them (if not the entire SATO) in Stoller will be an environment friendly solution unlike the way its showing in the Utilization map. We strongly urge you to look into incorporating these changes in the feeder map and achieve a viable solution to the current issue. Thanks a lot in advance!
01/15/2020	Ashish Sapra	ashishsapra@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I am seeing comments from Springville and Sato parents that moving SUMMA out of Stoller would be fine for them. It is not fine, logical and right to move SUMMA out of Stoller for various reasons. First of all if both Springville and Sato don't care about SUMMA program then they should not propose where SUMMA needs to be. Keeping Sato, JW, some Springville, walkable Findley into Stoller will have less numbers including SUMMA without going overcapacity. Also, distance reasoning by Springville to Fiveoaks v/s Stoller doesn't make sense at all. So far, Springville had options school for 6-8 which was right at their door and they did not even fill 50% of it's capacity (from numbers posted in one of meeting material). Even at that time they used to pick Stoller over Springville. Why that's case? If distance is only matter for them, they could have choose Springville options school and not Stoller MS. It's just that they want to be in MS which is well established in rating. From numbers, moving at least half capacity of Springville to Fiveoaks is the only solution to reduce Stoller numbers. There are constructions all around Springville and not accounted even in 2025 projections will just blow Stoller capacity within 2 years if committee will decide to keep full Springville into Stoller. And if whole Springville decide to be unite then they all can either go Fiveoaks or Timberland (as Fiveoaks has capacity issue. Also, most of Findley but walk-able neighborhood should fill Timberland as well. This way both Springville and Findley will help a) reduce Stoller perm capacity and b) will fill Timberland.

01/15/2020	Priya Ganesh	rajkumar.priya@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Hello,Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.Thanks,Priya G
01/15/2020	Bakul	bakul.ratanpara@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Hello BSD team,I hear that there is talk of moving springville school middle schoolers to Five oaks from current stroller middle school,.we are working parent and we can not even think our child sending to five oak as its about 4.5 miles away from our home, no friends, hugh cultural difference among many hardship.Please do everything possible in your way to keep Springville middle schoolers at Stroller middle school.Alternatively why can not BSD work on making one of the school(springville and Sato) to delicately elementary school and others to full time middle school...you only need to add few more classroom infrastructure for that or make spirngville again full K8 school.....both of them are in close proximity and all kids north of springville has these 2 school as their primary elemenray and middle school...
01/15/2020	Deviusha Krishnamoorthy	deviushak@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				My son currently attends Jacob Wismer and would strongly advocate for all of JW 5th graders (including SUMMA) to attend Stoller MS whose backyard literally falls on Jacob Wismer elementary school and is in good walkable distance for kids attending JW.
01/15/2020	Karun R	karouthu@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Number of kids are going to Stoller from Springville (More)Number of kids are going to Stoller from Findley (less)Travel time to springville to fiveoaks (more)Travel time to Findley to Timerland (less)More(springville) kids have to travel more time every day if they were to go to five oaks, which certainly effect their academics and day.It's not fair to ask some kids take more stress to keep others(smaller number) happy. Kids are kids, I am not against if Beaverton school district can accommodate Findley walking distance kids to Stoller.
01/15/2020	Sarika Dukkupati	sarika.dukkupati@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Springville should be going to stoller as five oaks is too far for the students to come back and attend the following classes after 4.

01/15/2020	Anne Chong	annechong72@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Beaverton		Dear advisory committee, I am writing to provide inputs for your consideration. As this boundary adjustment was mainly prompted by the introduction of the new middle school - Timberland Middle School, which is built in the expensive location and north of Highway 26 to release the feeder pressure of middle school north of Highway 26. It was the original plan to have schools such as Findley, Bonny Slope, which is one or two miles of the Timberland to attend the new middle school. The advisory committee must not ask all other Elem. schools to change their middle schools to the new schools (eg. schools north of highway 26 to travel a long way across super busy highway 26 to attend middle school in the south of highway 26.) It doesn't make sense that the Beaverton school board would randomly pick a location to build the new school, then adjust boundary for all the schools randomly. I believe the board had a study in 2002 regarding the growth of north highway 26, and then purposefully picked the location in 2016 to build the new school for the Elem. schools in the north of highway 26. Why moving students in the south of highway 26 to the north, and moving students originally attending the middle school in the north long way down to the south to attend school there, which is different school from their brother and sisters. And then worse, moving them back to the north of highway 26 for the High school. If for some unthinkable reason, the advisory committee decides to ask a few schools in the north of highway 26 to have a long commute down to the middle school in the south of highway 26, I would like to know why we built Timberland in current location. 2ndly, from the distance-wise, schools such as Findley is much closer to the school such as Five Oak in the south of highway 26. The best option is to have the students north of highway 26 attending the Timberland that is built for them. If growth at North Bethany is predicted, then pick a correct location to build the new middle school or convert a relative new school (ex. Sato) to a new middle school.
01/15/2020	Wanyun Zheng	zhengwanyun@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Springville should go to Stoller. When considering the school boundry, safety should always be the top priority. I strongly oppose the proposal of having Springville move to five oaks because that would double the travel time on the school bus. When Findney parents are talking about their kids' "walking to school", our kids have to take the bus for over 20 mins to school? This is ridiculous to me. Angry, disappointed and worried Mom from Springville
01/15/2020	Rajeswari	Rajeswari.20689@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	HS2 / SST	We wish that stoller would be there for Jacob wismer .
01/15/2020	Dean Sritong	Dean.sritong@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Please consider keeping Springville elementary within the Boundaries of Stoller Middle school. I can speak for many parents in saying how much of an inconvenience and out of our way for our children to attend Five Oaks middle school if boundaries are redone. We purchased our home in the affluent Bethany neighborhood for my child to attend Springville and Stoller Middle school. Please consider keeping Springville elementary school within the same boundaries as Stoller Middle school.
01/15/2020	Madhuri Kasukurti	madhuri.kasukurthi@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				With the super tight budget that BSD has, i don't see a reason for it to move all the kids in Jacob wismer school boundary out of Stoller MS. Most of these kids are in the walking distance and wouldnt need to be bussed to Middle school.
01/15/2020	Rajesh	thalabhi10@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Hello Committee members,Staff feeder and Utilization maps makes more sense in terms of meeting the primary objectives of reducing Stoller over crowding and fill up Timberland. Most of the committe members are also showed interest in these maps during Jn 9th meeting.Please take these maps as starting point for the next meeting.Thanks.

1/15/2020	Soumya Sah	soumya.sah@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear Committee members,I am a JW parent and as per my point of view from following the committee meetings and being a long time resident here, it would be unwise to add both Springville and Sato school to Stoller. Both are growing communities with enough population to create their own middle school. The construction in these communities have not stabilized and some of the newer plans are for multi-family residential units.Also there needs to be more discussion on how the community is growing and how BSD can serve its needs in 2030 and beyond. If we don't address these concerns now, we will be back on the drawing board some years from now. Just one middle school for the rapidly growing population of North Bethany would not be enough. And it is not healthy for kids to be bused more than 30 minutes from home to school.Thanks for your time and work on this issue.
01/15/2020	Qing Lv	lvqing_tju@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				To BSD Boundary Adjustment Committee,My son goes to Jacob Wismer as a third grader currently, We love our neighborhood schools. And we always go to playground of JW and pass Stoller during our daily commute. Since long time ago, he know that he will go to stoller for middle school. In JW, different graders have buddies in Stoller. He is always very excited when his "stoller buddy" come to JW to have class with him. We live so close to stoller and don't need school bus to transport. He have several friends in our neighborhood and they are going to bike together to school when they reach middle school age. All these have been planned in their minds. Also for the "Summa" program, we have many talks about it and use it as an encouragement for him to learn and practice more math and reading at home.This boundary adjustment SHOULD be avoidable if the development of northern Bethany area is better planned. I don't know who/which committee had approved such huge amount of new construction of houses/condos without building a new middle school in northern Bethany (just as Sato was built specifically as a new elementary school for North Bethany). This was a huge mistake! We should not be punished for this mistake made by others and moved out of our neighboring middle school.If we were moved out, it will cost more for transportation and it will break the idea of "neighboring school". That should not happened. Summa should not be moved to other schools because(1) most SUMMA students are from JW, Findley and closeby neighborhood. Keep SUMMA in stoller will save transportation fees. (2) it involves moving teacher or training new teacher for SUMMA contents. That is an extra cost that can be avoided by keep SUMMA in stoller.Also, since North Bethany development is continuing. The Springville and Sato school will continue to grow. Therefore , it is not logical to put these two school both into Stoller. If so, in few years, Stoller will be crowded again. The growing community has young families and will likely to have more kids. While current JW / Findley communities are more likely saturated already. These way stoller will be stable.Therefore, for walkability, cost saving, keep the "neighborhood school" concept, we should keep JW in Stoller and keep SUMMA in Stoller.Thanks for reading my comments and give it consideration.Qing
01/15/2020	Sapna	Dixit_sapna@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	I vote for Stroller school as it is best option for for student of Springville K-8. For us distances for stroller is 2 miles and for five oaks middle school is more then 4.7 miles. I think for Kids safety its better to consider nearest school it will safe in all weather conditions.

01/15/2020	B Walker	blair.walker@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Hello, I've reviewed the proposed boundary maps and would highly recommend that Springville students NOT feed into Five Oaks Middle School. To be honest, I can't believe such an option is even being considered. Due to traffic, the commute in the mornings and afternoons could approach a half hour or more each way. The traffic on 185th trying to cross Hwy 26 is a nightmare!! This would be an incredible burden on students and families. It would add many vehicles to the already congested traffic in those areas. I've tested various commute scenarios on Google Maps and it appears that Springville to Five Oaks would be, by far, the worst commute in the district.
01/15/2020	zoe	zoe0729@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear school boundary adjustment staff,The discussion in Jan 9th meeting was great. There are some good comments taking the logic, data and equity into account to this important process. I want to point out that the school boundary adjustment is not something between Springville and Findley. The goal is to feed the new school which costs 60+ billions of USD with reasonable community. This new school with advanced technology is a gift to the students around it. It does not make sense to waste the resource of the new school but have other school like Stoller overflow. In the same time, it does not make sense to move all the very north kids from springville to the very south Five Oaks to make Five Oaks overflow. Then ALL of the springville kids, 1000+ community need to be bused to school! We are not looking for walking to school since it is such a privilege. But it is the privilege that other are asking for even if it hurts the fairness, equity among all of the BSD kids. There is no good reason, no logic to keep Findley at Stoller just because some "sister school", some non-reasonable arguments. We shall make the decision by considering all the kids' wellness! Especially, Findley is nearer to Five Oaks than Springville. Why do they go to Five Oaks?
01/15/2020	emily borrego	eakbtb@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Westview		I live in the Springville area. I Have read all the information/data posted and the only logical option is to keep Springville feeding into Stoller. I have taken into account student enrollments, diversity, transportation, growth, distance, teacher/student ratios, need for new classrooms with too much growth at one school, and so much more to make a sound decision. Thank you for you time
01/15/2020	Aditi Pote	aditipote@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	I would like to request that Springville students continue to attend Stroller as the middle school.- Commute to Meadow park is significantly longer-our older siblings have studied at Stroller and we want our other children to benefit from Stiller experience too-better facilities are available at stoller-
01/15/2002	Maria	aranamary42@gmail.com	Vose Elem		Beaverton		Quisiera que todo siga como hasta ahora porque la escuela Vose y la escuela Whitford, hasta ahora han cumplido con todas las expectativas de aprendizaje, ayuda y colaboración dentro del parámetro escolar y fuera de él Y las dos cumplen un gran complemento para el futuro próximo inmediato de la juventud venidera y bilingüe y lo digo como madre de familia con un hijo graduado y tres hijas más, las que aún acuden a estas escuelas. Gracias. I would like everything to continue as it has been so far because Vose Elementary School and Whitford Middle School have met with all my expectations of learning, help and collaboration within the school parameter and outside of it. Both of them are great at forming the near future of the bilingual youth. I say it as a mother of a family with a graduate son and three daughters who still attend these schools. Thank you.

01/15/2020	fakhruddin Bohra	fakhruddin@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		It makes zero sense to move springville to any school but Stoller as that's the closest option to springville at 3. 2 miles and the next option is 5+ miles and that too in super crazy cornell/185th traffic which will easily take 45-60 min each way. That's is just ridiculous amount of time the kids have to stay in the bus. I hope common sense and logic prevails here.
01/15/2020	Arva Hussain	fbohra2@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		It makes zero sense to move springville to any school but Stoller as that's the closest option to springville at 3. 2 miles and the next option is 5+ miles and that too in super crazy cornell/185th traffic which will easily take 45-60 min each way. That's is just ridiculous amount of time the kids have to stay in the bus. I hope common sense and logic prevails here.
01/15/2020	Dharani Marrikunta	daddu123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear BSD Superintendent,Please consider springville elementary school commute and the stress that being added to kids life and i would like ask why the committee members are not making decisions based on all kids they are so biased if they still keep saying they are not biased why are they just talking or more worried about just the school that their kids will end up into. Why is BSD thinking they are not biased. I would highley recommend moving Findley to Timberline and keeping Springville with stoller.
01/15/2020	Bharadwaj Wuppalapati	Wbharad@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Springville families have been given the raw deal from overcrowding for years to having lost Springville middle school and now we are once again being pushe around for middle schools. This is unfair and we should not be pushed out of stoller. Bad should build new middle school to address this issue , as it is long overdue and in the meantime let Springville stay at stoller
01/15/2020	Sachin Lohar	sachin.lohar@gmail.com					To the committee:The reason we have this boundary adjustment meeting is we want to resolve overcrowded issue in stroller middle school and the New timberland middle school is the school to help resolve this issue. I don't understand why Findley parents don't want to go to brand new school which is closer to the new school. 5 Oaks Middle School is an older school design sandwiched in between residential neighborhoods to the south and west and dense business district to the east. The roads to access the school are narrow and the parking lot is small. There is no way to fit in 1000+ students and not expect severely congested side streets and parking problems for parents. The district needs to address these issues prior to moving students to this middle school. Newer middle schools such as Stroller and Timberland have more parking and more access roads. The roads are also wider and allow many traffic to go through. Committee should consider locating neighborhood children closer to these middle schools, not by sending springville kids to five oaks for solution.

01/15/2020	Lu	Chenlu7869@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	<p>To the committee:The reason we have this boundary adjustment meeting is we want to resolve overcrowded issue in stroller middle school and the New timberland middle school is the school to help resolve this issue. I don[?]t understand why Findley parents don[?]t want to go to brand new school which is closer to the new school. 5 Oaks Middle School is an older school design sandwiched in between residential neighborhoods to the south and west and dense business district to the east. The roads to access the school are narrow and the parking lot is small. There is no way to fit in 1000&#43; students and not expect severely congested side streets and parking problems for parents. The district needs to address these issues prior to moving students to this middle school. Newer middle schools such as Stroller and Timberland have more parking and more access roads. The roads are also wider and allow many traffic to go through. Committee should consider locating neighborhood children closer to these middle schools, not by sending springville kids to five oaks for solution.</p>
01/15/2020	jianqiao/huang	huangjianqiao@gmail.com		Stoller MS		<p>We have been going circles. 1. Walkability is NOT a criterria. The criterias are published, so please read it. And please don't confuse "proximity and accessibility" with walkability. "proximity and accessibility" should be applied to entire BSD and not one school.2. It is not a question on which school should leave. If Springville goes to Five Oaks, how to deal with Five Oaks over capacity? If Findley doesn't go to Timberland, how to fill Timberland? Please propose valid plans before wasting everyone's time. Obviously, if you shuffle everything around, the numbers will finally works to get Springville into Five Oaks, then just look at how many schools need to change in order to keep Findley at Stroller. I am curious how BSD is going to defend it. There is not even one single valid plan to move Springville so far, but clearly the plan is valid to move Findley. 3. Timberland is a great school. Without Findley it is going to be a great school. With Findley it is going to be a even better school. Some people are going to regret they don't want to go to Timberland in a few years.BSD, please stop this mess asap.</p>
01/15/2020	Adrienne Shannon	adriennenshannon@gmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem			<p>Hello, my daughter attends cedar mill elementary and I want to voice my opinion about the middle school boundary being proposed. I think it makes most geographical sense to have cedar mill feed into the new timberland middle school, we live about 1 mile from that school. My older daughter is a 7th grader at ACMA (currently at timberland) and it's amazing because we can walk when the weather allows. This location allows for the neighborhood kids to walk to and from school, providing exercise and fresh air and encourages bonding between neighborhood kids. Please keep kids in the most logical school locations. There is so much new construction, maybe another school needs to be proposed. But continuing to go to cedar park isn't the best option for this neighborhood or our future students. We shouldn't have to pass another middle school to go to one further. That just doesn't make sense.</p>

01/15/2020	James Kahn	browncouch144@gmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		I am writing to encourage the inclusion of Cedar Mill Elementary within the Timberland middle school boundaries. Inclusion of Cedar Mill Elementary fits within the criteria provided by the School Board: 1) Current and future availability of space at school: Proposed maps that feed Cedar Mill Elementary students into Cedar Park fill Cedar Park Middle School to capacity or greater while leaving substantial room in Timberland Middle School. Having Cedar Mill students attend Timberland MS will help balance enrollment between those schools. 2) Feeder Patterns: Students in the Cedar Mill Elementary boundary will attend Sunset High school. Having these students attend Timberland MS increases the cohesion of the student body as well as simplifies feeder patterns by reducing split-feeders MS->HS. 3) Neighborhood proximity and accessibility: Current Cedar Mill Elementary boundaries include the Timberland MS. Many current students at Cedar Mill Elementary live within the walking boundary of Timberland. Having students who could otherwise walk ride a bus or be driven to a middle school is wasteful of district transportation dollars and polluting to our environment.
01/15/2020	Greeshma Pisharody	greeshma.pisharody@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Both Jacob Wismer elementary and Stoller middle school are walking distance to us since we live in the same community as the schools. We have been very fortunate to have such excellent schools around where we live. So it was quite shocking and disheartening to see a proposal of a boundary change that doesn't feed the JW students into Stoller middle school. A few issues stand out with this discussion/proposal: 1. many of the students who feed into Stoller middle school and its SUMMA program are mostly students from the neighboring communities and have definitely contributed to making this program a stellar success! 2. the additional conveyance and traffic increase in the neighborhood to drive the students to other schools will significantly increase which will add to existing Stoller/JW traffic with school buses, cars etc. This is very avoidable by retaining the JW students into Stoller. Environmental and neighborhood traffic impact will be huge which will add to the existing strain during school drop off/pick up times. Also students of JW will miss the opportunity to attend, participate, and contribute to the Stoller SUMMA program which will be a disadvantage for the JW students when they feed into Sunset or West View High schools. Hence, we request you to reconsider this boundary adjustment and retain JW students to feed into Stoller middle school. Thanks!
01/15/2020	Karen	john.karen.roberts@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I understand that this whole process is very emotional for all of us, but just for a moment let's consider the basics: feed Timberland, relieve Stoller. These are the objectives set forth by the district. If we start with relieving Stoller (as this seems to be where the majority of the conversation lies) we must start by considering which middle schools are the next closest schools to potentially alleviate the burden on Stoller. This leaves us with Timberland (the filling of which is our other objective), Meadow Park, and Five Oaks. Continuing with this linear approach, the next step is to determine which schools currently attending Stoller are closest to these other middle school options. By sending Rock Creek to Five Oaks and Findley to Timberland we are able to eliminate the two current Stoller feeders that are closest to other middle schools without transferring the overcrowding issue. This should be the basic starting point of all discussions. Only after instituting these basic principles should we begin to look at the capacity of Stoller to determine what further action might be necessary to bring us closer to the objective (such as relocating SUMMA, sending all of Findley to Timberland vs having the walkable portion at Stoller, etc).

01/15/2020	Praveen	pmosalik@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		School allotment should be based on the best interests of the kids (distance and safety being paramount). Let's ensure that each Elementary is assigned to a Middle School that's within a 2.5 miles radius. This will ensure that the selection is made objectively and without using criterion that should have no bearing on school allocation (possibility of home price fluctuations, etc.). Based on distance between Elementary and Middle Schools, it makes the most sense to assign: Findley and Bonny Slope to Timberland MS (< 2.5miles) Springville, Sato and Jacob Wismer to Stoller MS (< 2.5miles) It makes no sense to assign Springville/Sato/JW to Five Oaks MS (~5 miles away) or to Timberland MS (~6 miles). It's critical to make the right call for the most important constituents - the kids - and to keep their safety and convenience (distance) as the most important deciding factor.
01/15/2020	Priya	buddymsg99@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear Boundary Adjustment committee, I have gone through the conversations in last couple of meetings. Why Timberland school was build on south side and asking the other corner people of Springville kids to travel long to Fiveoaks etc. The committee should think of all the kids and not in favor of one. When Findley kids can't travel 2+ miles how springville kids travel 5+ miles? There is more possibility for kids to improve their mental and physical ability if they have time to play after school hours. Traveling in bus for long hours causes so many issues for kids. We adults are getting tired after traveling from work to home in heavy traffic. High school pattern also works well if Findley is moved to Timberland. I request the committee to think and take a wise decision on this issue
01/15/2020	Kelly Ward	kellyward12@hotmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem	Cedar Park MS			I would like to voice my concerns specific to Committee Test Map 4. This option does not create a community for Timberland students and residents. Students that live walking/biking distance to Timberland will take a 30-60 minute bus ride to Cedar Park. Instead students that live closer to Stoller and miles away from Timberland will be bussed in to attend the school. This increases the transportation budget & a toll on students and families. We have lived across the street from our elementary school for the past 12 years. We have felt a part of this community from day one before our students even attended the school. Our children have never taken the bus. They walk to school daily, walk to after school events, and walk to play on the playground. We never use the parking lot, which is a great thing given the overflowing parking lots every day at pick up. I don't see the benefit of living across from a school that could serve your children, but then have them take a 60 minute bus to a different school miles away. Middle school goes late enough in the day making after school activities a challenge and a long bus ride just makes that even more difficult. Looking at the Areas of Poverty and Demographic reports presented at the meeting, the area in and around Timberland can provide a diversity similar to other middle schools and potentially better than the proposed Timberland area suggested in Map 4. I feel that ALL of the other maps would be a better solution and Map 4 should NOT be considered an option. Thank you for considering my input.
01/15/2020	Nina hickey	Njameson@gmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem				I'm a parent of a Cedar Mill ES student. Test map 4 which excludes Cedar Mill ES from Timberland is not the option we want for our community. . Timberland was built in this area to serve its community. It doesn't make logistical sense to not allow the area near Timberland to access it as their middle school. It's an unnecessary drain on transportation resources to bus others who aren't in the area to the school. This option also further loads cedar park ms, creating another overcrowding situation in an even older building.

01/15/2020	Purushottam Mandal	mandal_purushottam@yahoo.com		Stoller MS			I would request the committee members to think of not moving Springville school to Five Oaks. Kids would have a longer travel including the morning traffic volume while crossing over 26. Moreover, we should let student enjoy their time in study and other activities rather spending in Bus commute Thanks Purushottam Mandal
01/15/2020	Selva	pselva@hotmail.com	Springville K-8				I was wondering if the committee considered keeping students attending SUMMA program in stroller and workout a plan for "General Ed" to Timberland?
01/15/2020	Wenting Lu	luwenting20@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Please consider keeping JW in stoller boundary. First, Jacob Wismer literally surround stoller. All the JW kids are in the walking distance to stoller. Sending those kids to different school would means putting all those kids on bus, which requires additional buses, and extra cost from district. As a tax payer, I feel those money could be spent for other uses. Second, consider the additional traffic created by all these additional school buses. Bethany area is known for bad traffic, now we want to add more? Comparing to JW, other school that is either physically closer to other middle schools, or have direct access to major roads. More specifically, Rock creek was in five oaks zone years before, it was rezoned to fill stoller. Now unfortunately it is the time to revoke back, or go to meadow park. Findley is the closest to Timberland. Third, consider residential capacity. JW is a stable community. It won't interrupt the capacity for Stoller. On the contrary, SPV and SATO are both growing communities, which would means another round of adjustment in a short time frame. That would be such a shame for all the chaotic it generated. BSD really needs to reach out to the higher level for another middle school, which reduces travel for all the kids in North bethany area.
01/15/2020	Heena Aggarwal	Heena_924@yahoo.com	Springville K-8				For the well being of all the students from Springville I insist on that stroller should be the middle school. Please be considerate towards the kids and their future. Request to not push our kids out of the boundary.
01/15/2020	Lawrence Jiang	lawrencejiang2000@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		One of the major purpose for the Beaverton Middle School Boundary adjustment is because the overcrowded at Stoller Middle school, which major caused by the increasing population at Springville Elementary and Sato Elementary. If any suggestion wants to keep both elementary schools at Stoller Middle schools, the same issue will happen again at not far future. And also another ground rule for the school distribution should be considering about the walk distance, which means no reason you need to go to another school by school bus without to the one within 1.5 miles. Follow the basic rules is the foundation for the families to accept the final results. Thanks!
01/15/2020	Linda Trombley	lmsmith_2001@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Simply stated, walking to school for my 6th grader is important. We teach our children to care for the environment and to connect to the outdoors more. To have them bused to another location when a school is a short walk away sends the wrong message. That we don't stand by our environmental teachings and that we don't really have to act on what is being taught. The time my Son walks to and from school helps him transition to the day ahead and reflect on the day of school he has just finished. Rain or sun, walking in weather and being outdoors is a part of living in this climate. It is good for him to have this time and I think we need to do as we say when we teach our children to create less pollution by walking or biking where we can. Please, consider the quality of life and values we want to instill in our students by walking the walk, not just talking the talk. Linda Trombley

01/15/2020	Amity Overall-Laib	amityoveralllaib@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	STAFF FEEDER VS UTILIZATION MAPThe same population numbers can be achieved for Stoller by using the Staff Feeder System map instead of the Utilization of Capacity map. If all of SUMMA is moved to Timberland or elsewhere, there is space in Stoller for all of Springville, all of Sato, and all of Jacob Wismer. The student population would be the same as the Utilization map - 956 students in 2021 (88% permanent capacity, 69% total capacity) and 1231 students in 2025 (114% permanent capacity, 90% total capacity) without the issues of the Utilization map (splitting Sato and Rock Creek elementary schools, removing walkable areas from Meadow Park and Stoller, locating Meadow Park at the extreme southern end of its boundary, and splitting Meadow Park into 3 high schools). Using the feeder map and keeping all of Springville, Sato, and Jacob Wismer at Stoller (and removing all of SUMMA) will create the ideal population numbers for Stoller. In addition, this preserves low income areas in Stoller (represented by the lower half of Sato and the apartments on 185th within Springville). The committee and district should prioritize neighborhood students attending their schools and student diversity when comparing these two options.
01/15/2020	Amity Overall-Laib	amityoveralllaib@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	IN RELATION TO SPLITTING SATO AND MOVING SOUTH SATO OUT OF STOLLERI do not live in the south Sato area; however, I have friends with students that do, and this specific area has been impacted with multiple boundary changes. This area has been impacted more than others with boundary changes. Data shows that all of Springville, Sato, and Jacob Wismer can remain at Stoller while meeting both objectives if SUMMA students are moved to Timberland (or elsewhere). Please use the Staff Feeder System map and subtract the SUMMA students from Stoller to see that the resulting population is equal to that of the Utilization of Capacity map (i.e. the "ideal" population numbers for Stoller). Neighborhood students need to be the priority in this adjustment and options programs should be considered secondarily and moved to where space remains. In the Feeder map, both Timberland and Meadow Park would have additional space for SUMMA students north of 26.
01/15/2020	Don Dornblaser	don@dornblaser.com	Bonny Slope Elem	Cedar Park MS		If map 4 is adopted, you've completely lost perspective on neighborhoods and are breaking the trust you have with parents and voters. It needs to be immediately withdrawn from consideration.Here's the sniff test... if a kid lives literally and directly across the street from the school and can't go to that school, it's unquestionably a bad boundary map. Sure, there are lots of considerations that go into boundary-making, but if you've gerrymandered the map so badly that you end up with map 4, something in your process is severely flawed.As a Bonny Slope parent, I feel completely unrepresented on the boundary committee. You should have had a representative from each elementary school, or you should have formed a committee of independent fair arbiters who do not have kids in BSD or own property in the district. Now that so many students (except ours) have used our neighborhood middle school over the past 4 years, they have fallen in love with it and are seemingly using this unrepresentative process to claim it for their own. To bus 100% of the kids out of a neighborhood so that some other neighborhood can have the school is unconscionable. I want every kid in every neighborhood to have an awesome school, and consistently vote yes on ballot measures. I've knocked on doors for BSD to help get these passed. If families do not want their kids to go to Five Oaks or Cedar Park and it's logically their neighborhood school, this needs a closer look and an immediate action plan for improvement (facilities, security, leadership, whatever is needed).I very much hope that map 4 can be completely withdrawn from consideration. It's unacceptable.

01/15/2020	Ryan Manwiller	rydama@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			We are very close walking distance to Jacob Wismer and Stoller. It would be a shame if we were forced to stop walking and drive to school, adding to the traffic.Thank youRyan
01/15/2020	J M	jamesm@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			In my view, any student who is located with-in a walking distance and not eligible to use BSD transportation options of his/her school, should continue to go to that school. It would not be a viable solution to move them to different school and waste tax payers money on providing transportation.
01/15/2020	Anurag Anand	itsanurag@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	For Springville Elementary kids only reasonable option is to go to Stoller Middle School. All other middle schools are too far and resulting commute will be too long. Also, considering feeder pattern all schools feeding to a middle school should go to same high school. Therefore Findley Elementary is the only outlier which currently goes to Stoller middle and then goes to Sunset high school. So, moving Findley to Timberland middle school makes the most sense. This will also minimize disruption to the middle schools south of highway 26.
01/15/2020	Bhanu Pogula	bpogula@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	Five Oaks middle school is farther for Springville school than Stoller middle. It is irrational to send out students to Five Oaks and keep them on the road for longer. This is against natural justice to students.Please continue Stoller middle for Springville students.ThanksBhanu
01/15/2020	Cindy Mansle	Cmansle@aol.com	McKay Elem		Westview		Is there any way that Stoller could be a strictly Westview feeder school and Timberland could be a Sunset school? So Stoller would be Springville, Sato and maybe JW could go back to being a Westview School? Or Rock Creek could stay at Stoller and JW could go to Timberland? Then Timberland would have Findley, West TV, Cedar Mill and one more school?
01/15/2020	Vijay	vijay.m@outlook.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Timberland middle school was created to reduce the load on Stoller. So areas near Timberland including Findley should go to new middle school.Moving Findley and SUMMA to Timberland will definitely reduce the load on Stoller. Also this will cause the least disruption to students from other schools.Any suggestion to move Springville and Rockcreek to Five Oaks sounds unresonable. This will only increase the load on Five Oaks. Also consider the additional distance and time Springville students need to travel. Already the traffic is worse now leading to US26. Imagine the additional load in traffic with all students from Springville and Rockcreek going to five oaks, with additional buses along that route, buses making multiple stops in between...halting or making the traffic again worse. It would take more then 45 mins for a Springville student to reach Five oaks. We have some Findley members commenting on the walkability, bus issue if Findley moves from Stoller to Timberland. Well if that is a concern, then the travel for Springville students to Five oaks is much much greater concern than that.
01/15/2020	Madhusudhan Rangarajan	mrangar@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	a LOGICAL approach to meeting Objective 1: Fill Timberland, and Objective 2: Reduce Stoller to 90% of PC in 2021.1. Fill Timberland with nearest elementary schools first2. Move options programs from nearby schools to Timberland (Summa from Stoller to Timberland)3. Optimize Stoller to 90% by moving schools from Stoller to Timberland which is very close to Stoller4. Avoid system-wide disruptions just to satisfy local agendasAC members - Please look out for ALL BSD kids. That is your duty and that is what you signed up for.

01/15/2020	Rahul	rahulrds@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I have seen many comments from findley parents to keep them in Stoller saying that it's just walkable for them to Stoller. But it's not at all true. Most of the students are commuting by bus. So it does not matter if findley can feed to stoller or timberlands , as both are roughly of same distance. Also moving findley to timber land makes more homogeneous distribution for each elementary schools with respect to distance to corresponding middle school and diversity. Strongly oppose the idea of moving Springville to five Oaks, as it's really far and our kids will only have time for commute .
01/15/2020	Leda Mareth	ledamareth@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear Mr. Sparks, thank you for taking the time to speak to the Rock Creek elementary school community. I was wondering if there was interest and inclination to look at correcting overall feeding patterns next year. The middle school adjustment proposal should be done by summertime but will not be put into affect until fall 2021. That means there is a whole school year to make small adjustments to the overall boundary map to "correct" areas and fix feeding patterns. Since there are no immediate plans to build additional schools, these fixes could stay in place for the immediate future.
01/15/2020	Regina Noonan	gumby795@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				It is my strong opinion that Bonny Slope students should attend Timberline Middle School. It is the obvious choice due to its close proximity to the school. Bussing them to Cedar Park or elsewhere when Timberline is so close seems like a waste of resources and poor planning. thank you for your consideration.
01/15/2020	Huang ShanShan	yellowcoral@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear Sir, Madam,As a parent of children at Jacob Wismer we are very concerned to hear about the Potential boundary changes. 90% of children can walk to Jacob Wismer as well as Stoller and this should be a priority to maintain consistency for children who can walk to school. Any potential BSD solution cannot be to create more chaos by moving every child to a new school and adding countless busses to the roads.Furthermore the area of Springville continues to see rapid growth and is just not sustainable to fit into Stoller Middle either now or long-term. Stoller should be focused on the community it supports (Jacob Wismer; Findlay; Sato) with potential some addition of Springville if allocation allows. By adding the entire Springville district the school will continue to struggle with the burden of overcrowding which has been on-going for year. Regards,ShanShan
01/15/2020	Jeff Curtis	bendlake12@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		This is a not a hard task if everyone just use common sense and consider the whole community when we try to fill the new Timberland middle school. The elementary schools physically near Timberland should feed to Timberland! Bonny Slope and Findley should feed Timberland.
01/15/2020	Kristin Dodge	itsmekbd@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				I hope the first priority is keeping elementary schools feeding to the same middle school. Splitting up kids before middle school is very difficult. Also, I think kids should be going to the closest school possible, especially if the majority of kids would have a safe ability to walk or bike to school. For Bonny Slope, this is clearly the Timberland location. Cedar Park is more than twice as far as does not have any safe way for kids in the Bonny Slope boundary to get to the school. With sidewalks on 113th and 119th as well as safe crosswalks, Timberland would provide this access.

01/15/2020	arun k	arun_koroth@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Findley students going to Timberland will cause the least disruption to all schools. Of course some might say their students have to take school bus rather than walking but that is nothing compared to if Springville and Rockcreek students have to travel to Five Oaks. if Springville students have to go to Five oaks, it would be the longest distance a middle school student has to travel. In addition, consider the traffic in Springville road, leading to 185th, US26. Already the traffic is worse now leading to US26. Imagine the additional load in traffic with all students from Springville and Rockcreek going to five oaks, with additional buses along that route, buses making multiple stops in between...halting or making the traffic again worse. It would take more then 45 mins for a springville student to reach Five oaks.Findley is closer to Five oaks compared to Springville..so ideally Findley should be first in line to be considered for Five oaks.Timberland middle school was created to reduce the load on Stoller. So areas near Timberland including Findley should go to new middle school.Any map OR committee member suggesting Springville students to travel such a long distance on the other side of US26 and beyond sounds unresonable and absurd.
01/15/2020	Ava Palmquist	avapalmquist@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				I have a 4th grade student at Bonny Slope and want to express my concern with any option that would send students from Bonny Slope to a Middle School that is not the new Timberland School. The fact that this is even in question shows a major disconnect between the district and its neighborhoods. Has the new school been used to house students from around the district for so long, it is up for grabs by anyone who lobbies hard enough, or any human-less algorithm? Timberland is a NEIGHBORHOOD school and the families with children who live in its immediate vicinity have been waiting for a long time for their kids to attend. Any situation where kids are being bussed past their local school to attend another school farther away, is deeply flawed. If middle school students in other adjacent districts need to be bussed farther from their own neighborhood schools in order to have equitable access to academics, technology and facilities, you have not properly allotted for improvements district-wide. No one benefits when children are numbers in a formula. As someone who has voted to give BSD every dollar possible at every chance available, having my child sent to a school farther away than Timberland is not an acceptable option.
01/15/2020	James Taylor	Jamesrtaylorpe@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Middle school boundary changes should first and foremost be safest option. Shortest transit time for students overall. It should also be decided based on the long term. Timberland is in NW of district. It should be filled from NW schools. Stoller is N NE and should be filled from NE district elementary schools. Etc. small changes within the overlap areas can be adjusted to equalize socio-economic to some extent. School ratings will change. Your job managing the district is to provide the best possible educational opportunities for all children in your district. Safety is non-negotiable and should be primary concern in all zoning decisions.
01/15/2020	Susie	Lishaofannull@outlook.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Our neighborhood (Oakridge) is just across the Laidlaw street of Stoller. It totally does not make sense if our neighborhood will be moved out of Stoller!

							STAFF FEEDER VS UTILIZATION MAPThe same population numbers can be achieved for Stoller by using the Staff Feeder System map instead of the Utilization of Capacity map. If all of SUMMA is moved to Timberland or elsewhere, there is space in Stoller for all of Springville, all of Sato, and all of Jacob Wismer. The student population would be the same as the Utilization map - 956 students in 2021 (88% permanent capacity, 69% total capacity) and 1231 students in 2025 (114% permanent capacity, 90% total capacity) without the issues of the Utilization map (splitting Sato and Rock Creek elementary schools, removing walkable areas from Meadow Park and Stoller, locating Meadow Park at the extreme southern end of its boundary, and splitting Meadow Park into 3 high schools). Using the feeder map and keeping all of Springville, Sato, and Jacob Wismer at Stoller (and removing all of SUMMA) will create the ideal population numbers for Stoller. In addition, this preserves low income areas in Stoller (represented by the lower half of Sato and the apartments on 185th within Springville). The committee and district should prioritize neighborhood students attending their schools and student diversity when comparing these two options. Another concern I have is that moving springville kids to five oaks is one of the furthest commutes in the district. With that being said it makes it hard for these students to be able to participate in after school activities. Not everyone has a parent that is available to drive them to and from the school.
01/15/2020	Misty Reynoso	Wilson_gurl@hotmail.com	Springville K-8				
							Our daughter Makaleigh currently goes to Bonny Slope elementary, and our son Evan will in 2 years. We moved into the Bauer Crest neighborhood two years ago, one of the primary reasons was the school district for our children. We wanted our children to attend Bonny Slope, and afterward the new middle school Timberland based on current boundary predictions. Reading about possible changes to district boundaries, we would be very sad and frustrated if the school district changed and our children went to Cedar Park Middle school instead. Given the proximity of Timberland to us, it would not make sense for our children to travel further to get to middle school if the boundary was changed. It would make no sense for the school bus to drive past Timberland, and drive an extra 10–12 minutes down the road to get to a different school. Timberlands proximity to the homes that feed into Bonny Slope should lead this as a direct school. Our home specifically is in Bauer Crest estates off Saltzman road. For our families specific location, both Timberland and Stoller are less than 1.5 miles from our house, while Cedar Park is nearly double that. Unfortunately I will not be able to attend tomorrow nights meeting. However I very firmly vote for people who live in the Bauer Crest communities, off Saltzman road, to go to Timberland middle school. Thank you, Alex DeHaan503-475-5431
01/15/2020	Alex DeHaan	dehaan.alex@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				
							Timberland middle school was created to reduce the load on Stoller. So areas near Timberland including Findley should go to new middle school. Moving Findley and SUMMA to Timberland will definitely reduce the load on Stoller. Also this will cause the least disruption to students from other schools. Any suggestion to move Springville and Rockcreek to Five Oaks sounds unreasonable. This will only increase the load on Five Oaks. Also consider the additional distance and time Springville students need to travel. Already the traffic is worse now leading to US26. Imagine the additional load in traffic with all students from Springville and Rockcreek going to five oaks, with additional buses along that route, buses making multiple stops in between...halting or making the traffic again worse. It would take more then 45 mins for a Springville student to reach Five oaks. We have some Findley members commenting on the walkability, bus issue if Findley moves from Stoller to Timberland. Well if that is a concern, then the travel for Springville students to Five oaks is much much greater concern than that.
01/15/2020	vijay	vijayanarun@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		

01/15/2020	Preeju	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Our kids are not just a number on the map.... they are little humans who need me and you to make the right choice for them....to set them all up for success rather than putting them through unnecessary hardships..... Our brand new empty school allows us to relieve Stoller without having Springville kids to travel from north bethany to Stoller every single day - which is more than what any kid travels to their comprehensive middle school today in BSD. Dear AC members, these kids are putting their depending on you to do the right thing.
01/15/2020	Amanda Schefter	amanda.schefter@yahoo.com	Bonny Slope Elem				We moved to this neighborhood for the schools, and we assumed our children would go to the new middle school, Timberland. It is very close to our house and our daily commute, whereas Cedar Park is miles away and on the other side of the freeway- not convenient.
01/15/2020	Katie Kammer	Kammerkatie@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				I am writing to voice my family's opinion that Bonny Slope students should be sent to Timberline Middle School. The proximity of Timberline is very important to people in our school boundary. Many Bonny Slope parents would like to be able to allow their children to walk and bike to school. This is demonstrated by the fact that we had a 96% participation rate in international walk to school day as noted by Leah Biado-Luis, the district's Safe Routes to School coordinator. By sending our students to Timberline, which is much closer to our homes, we can encourage this kind of pedestrian commuting that is good for the health of our children, our community, and the environment. Additionally, if our students go to Timberline, it will cut down on traffic that will already be made worse at cedar hills Blvd and Hwy 26 with the new Lifetime Fitness development that is going in soon. If we do not need to travel south of Hwy 26 to deliver our children to middle school, that sill also cut down on congestion and reduce traffic related safety issues. Most of the homes that feed into Bonny Slope are on hills that become inaccessible by car if there is inclement weather. But if our children can walk to Timberline, that become less of an issue than if we had to transport them to Cedar Park. They will therefore miss less days of instruction because they can make it to school despite ice. Personally, a walkable community is very important to me. I have been trying to cut down on the use of my car for environmental reasons and my employer allows me to work from home two days a week to help in this effort. By sending Bonny Slope students to Cedar Park as opposed to Timberline, the district would be causing more traffic, more car-based pollution. This contradicts other efforts the District has been making to try to make environmentally friendly choices - for instance the composting program in food services or the more eco friend food packaging. For these reason, among others, I am adamantly opposed to any plan that sends Bonny Slope students to Cedar Park which is much further away when it has Timberline, a much more ecologically, community-friendly alternative available.
01/15/2020	Chethan Srinivasa	schethan@gmail.com					Dear BSD,From the last meeting I liked the staff feeder map which is more focussed with filling the new school Timberland with the community surrounding it. Its good to have the middle school feeder aligned with the high school feeder, with that said Findley can go to Timberland now and then follow to sunset, so that we can assure the kids have a long term connections with their buddies. If required move SUMA program to Timberland to make room in Stroller. Any new homes coming up in north bethany should not be attached to stroller to avoid overcrowding. Walkability is not a factor that was considered to construct a BSD school so we need not consider that factor now. More over people who claim walkability are misleading the committee by showing imaginary numbers. I guess BSD staff must be laughing behind at their false data of walkability.

01/15/2020	Sara Luo	yl19982012@gmail.com		Stoller MS			Middle school boundary should be adjusted by Middle School Walk-to-School Area map. We live at Bannister Creek community. Our kids walk to Stoller MS every school day. I saw some of MS Boundary Adjustment plans will take our kids to Timberland MS by school bus. It will cause a huge waste of our BSD transportation. Please consider the Walk-to-school Area map and let kids walk to school. They do NOT need the school bus!
01/15/2020	Nazihah Shaikh	Nazo4@yahoo.com	Bonny Slope Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		Test Map 4 makes no sense. My middle schooler goes to cedar park and its an absolute nightmare getting to school. We have to cross 26 and all its traffic just to get to school. Her middle school should not be further than the high school she would be attending. At least not THAT far.
01/15/2020	Zhenlin Luo	zhenlinluo@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I lived at OakRidge which is the community across street Stoller. I got attention for 4 test maps. Actually there have no perfect solution for everyone. But we need to consider what is the most factors. From my point of view, firstly we should keep the students keep feeding into one school for >10 years to keep consistent, it is really awkward if our kids keep changing the school. Look at the permanent capacity from ES to MS to HS is the key. If I am not wrong, feeding spv into stoller will break this rule definitely because SPV community is growing too fast to make stoller overcrowded very soon (even not consider other ES to Stoller). Secondly, we should consider the average commute time for all the community. The best way is to put MS in the center of district so the average commute time for every student is fair and acceptable. In the test map1, driving from my home to New MS will take ~40 min round-trip in business time from north edge of district to south edge. Whereas, everyday there have many cars parking in my community to pick up their kids from stoller. Apparently it is unfair and illogical. Overall I would vote Test 3 map.
01/15/2020	Dimitris Kammer	dkammer@mac.com	Bonny Slope Elem				Bonny Slope Elementary kids should go to Timberland for middle school. Of all the choices, Timberland makes the most sense as it is the closest middle school, distance-wise, to Bonny Slope.
01/15/2020	Jiafan Wang	jifanw@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS			Please maintain the Bannister Creek (BC community) within the region of Stoller Middle School. Instead of taking the school bus to another middle school, the kids could just take a walk or be dropped by their parents to Stoller MS. However, if Bannister Creek is being adjusted to another MS region, additional school bus resources needs to be applied to all the kids living in BC. This is a tremendous waste of educational resources, while other families who really need them are not satisfied. So, please maintain the Bannister Creek community within the region of Stoller Middle School, and this is the optimal solutions for the families, schools, and especially, our kids.
01/15/2020	Preeju	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		My previous comments had some errors while typingso here Is the correct oneOur kids are not just a number on the map.... they are little humans who need me and you to make the right choice for them....to set them all up for success rather than putting them through unnecessary hardships..... Our brand new empty school allows us to relieve Stoller without having Springville kids to travel from north bethany to Five Oaks every single day - which is more than what any kid travels to their comprehensive middle school today in BSD. Dear AC members, these kids are depending on you to do the right thing.

							Thank you Advisory Committee for your time: I sent a post Jan. 14th and wanted to clarify in case my comment was not clear. Previously stated, we live in Oakridge Estates; I walk up our street and I'm staring at front of Stoller Middle School. Given BSD's own Board Policy JC listing, neighborhood proximity and accessibility, I don't understand how this would not be our neighborhood school. Many Findley families are commenting like they are Findley's representative, speaking for all of us. They are only speaking from their perspective. Many families we have spoken to agree with the following points: a. All middle schools should maintain walking students at least one mile within the radius of the school. It's a standard I believe all families would agree if they lived within a mile of the school.b. Keeping this standard reduces transportation costs, better use of the school's reduced budget, and reduces traffic. In addition, it advocates for exercise and independence for our students.c. It is not damaging to split elementary schools. We were from Bethany Elementary School, a wonderful community, and joined Findley Elementary School. The District has to offset growth in the North. Middle school is the shortest in education (elementary (6 years), middle (3 years), and high school (4 years)). Strong friends will survive even if at different schools and weak friends will dissolve in the same school. Many of our neighbors and kids are MORE concerned about the exhaustion of being on a bus to a school 5+ miles away (when they could have walked across the street) instead of making new friends. Please respect this walking standard of at least one mile radius of the middle schools. Most of the Oakridge Estates neighbors we have spoken to are shocked the district would bus kids that are walkable. One neighbor stated,[?]if everyone would take the emotion out, it's logical that neighborhoods across the street from Stoller Middle School should stay. Please take into account BSD's own Board Policy JC lists neighborhood proximity and accessibility.
01/16/2020	Nita Chopra	ngchopra@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							Based on all the documentation and conversation thus far, I am perplexed as to 1) why it's a conversation that BSE is no longer slated to go to Timberland and 2) when this changed? When we moved into our home this was a selling point and all along both my kids were supposed to attend. Because of all the remodels and having to use Timberland as a temporary home for several schools, my son is going to completely miss out. My saving grace was that at least my daughter was going to be able to attend there. When we look at history with inclement weather, proximity, etc it's most logical that BSE attend Timberland.
01/16/2020	Denise Puntney	Denise.Puntney@nike.com	Bonny Slope Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		
							Hi,What was the reason behind building timberline MS at the current location? What was the expectation about what ES schools will be feeding into it?I expect BSD not to bus 500+ students across the most busy intersection in the county. It is not only time consuming but dangerous too for the kids. Also not every kid is/will be bussed. If parents choose, which they will, to make a car trip then it will worsen the traffic situation on 185th and us26 intersection. So even if current commute times look reasonable, they will worsen quite a bit when many more parents drop their kids.Thanks,Saurabh
01/16/2020	Saurabh Jain	100rabh@gmail.com		Stoller MS			
01/16/2020	Vivian ly	vivianly75@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I am in the Oakridge Estate and I want my kids to go to their neighborhood school. Please keep the same as it's for the past few years. Thank you!

01/16/2020	Thulasi Alapakam	Thulasi.jp@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Hello ,We are inclined towards the test map-3 due to following reasons. 1. Increases walkability to Stoller MS while not adversely impacting the commute times to other schools in the district, thus making it the most cost-effective solution for Stoller overcrowding problem. 2. Continues to maintain the well-established and thriving SUMMA program at Stoller. A significant portion of existing SUMMA population also come within walking boundaries of Stoller MS, avoiding the counter-productive need for transportation for these children.3. Offers a good balance/overlap between Stoller students feeding into both Sunset and Westview High Schools.4. Brings into Stoller-Sato (growing), Jacob Wismer (flat), and Findley (declining) elementary schools leading to stable utilization numbers both in 2021/2025 and beyond- a Stoller scenario better than any of the other proposals on the table.Thanks!
01/16/2020	Cliff Zhang	haibin.zhang@live.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear BSD, Both of my daughters attend Findley, and we live in the Oakridge Estates. The house is about 3 minute walk from Stoller MS -- and we are all looking forward for them to enjoy the great education there. We have great concerns to the potential plans of moving the district out of Stoller which means instead the kids would be going to school 5 miles away. It's not only a time consuming proposition as early morning traffic is horrible for that 5 miles of school bus - it is also an impact to the environment, and a blow to the budget. Please don't move Findley and Oakridge out of the Stoller district.Thanks,Cliff
01/16/2020	Stephanie Johnson	Cstephaniejohnson@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem		Sunset		My vote would be to have Bonny Slope go into Timberland! It seems crazy to have Bonny Slope (which is the closest) go past Timberland to get to Cedar Park. Children and parents can't walk or ride their bikes to school. My junior went to Cedar Park, which is a good school but it was a major hassle for Bonny Slope parents to get to their kids during bad weather conditions. Scheduling to get to appointments especially with siblings having to get to other places around the same time and parents work schedules. We were looking forward to having our Bonny Slope 4th grader attend Timberland Due to its proximity.
01/16/2020	Patricia Lavallee	pj.97211@gmail.com	Vose Elem				Hello I am a parent of a Kindergartener at Vose Elementary. The immersion program is amazing and all the administration, teachers and PTO work very hard to build a strong community. I have heard that the boundary adjustment could potentially disrupt dual language path from elementary to middle school for some of our Vose students. That does not seem fair for those families that entered the program knowing that the immersion journey was a long term commitment (as learning a second language is) ... and believing that their children had the option to continue through their neighborhood middle school. This also affects our whole Vose community greatly, even those who are not in the immersion program. The solution cannot be found by offering more Spanish classes in more middle schools or moving program from one school to another. We ask you to please consider not splitting up the Vose community. Thank you for your time and consideration!

							Hi:We live in Oakridge Estates neighborhood (Just across the street from Stoller Middle School, south side of Laidlaw).As hundreds of other kids in our Oakridge neighborhood, our kid have been walking to Stoller Middle school with their peers and we are very HAPPY that they are ENJOYING it, HAPPY building FRIENDSHIPS as well as EXERCISING during their walk to school. Our younger kids who are currently in elementary school anxiously waiting to start their Middle School at Stoller MS in coming years. We understand that, by looking the existing boundary map, committee members might take an easy/shortcut decision by just drawing the line across Laidlaw Rd (from Bethany blvd to Saltzman Rd). Please consider close proximity of our Oakridge Estates neighborhood and Stoller MS (just across the street from Laidlaw). It would be the WORST decision to send kids from neighborhood Across the Street and Next to Stoller MS to another new MS 5 miles across. If it's an Option School and family decided to send their kids to Option School, then it's up to them (as they consider kids livelihood, walking, bus, drive, time, etc.)Please check map and consider the green space and "Bronson Creek", separating Oakridge Estates + adjacent neighborhood and Findley area (corner of NW Laidlaw Rd and NW Saltzman Rd) and Thompson area (corner of West Union and NW Thompson). That's another option to draw the line (along Bronson Creek).We believed the decision in the past is BAD (to cut off Oakridge Estates neighborhood from Jacob Wismer and sending kids from this neighborhood to Findley Middle School). Please learn from past mistake. Sending hundreds of kids from this neighborhood to new middle school would be even WORST.If you don't believe, please take a visit to the corner of NW Skycrest Pkwy and NW Laidlaw Rd to see all the kids working to Stoller Middle school in the morning. Thank you for your consideration.-Sidney Lam
01/16/2020	Sidney Lam	sidneyplam@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							Most recently, I have seen a push from the Findley community suggesting that maintaining Findley as a whole is more important that preserving a walkable commute for students around Stoller. It is illogical to preserve Findley's 5th grade classes intact at the cost of 1) increasing our carbon footprint on an already taxed environment, 2) denying students who can walk to school an opportunity to practice a healthy life choice in commuting, and 3) placing students who could otherwise walk to Stoller at increased risk of injury with a bus commute. BSD honorably and responsibly has established a Safe Routes to School program promoting and encouraging safe walking and biking to school. It is a recognized fact that walking or biking as a commute provides countless benefits to a child's health and well-being in addition to the environmental responsibility we have as stewards of the Earth.Absolutely keep communities with walkable commutes based at Stoller.
01/16/2020	Melissa Tom	melissatom45@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							As you continue considering the options for middle school boundary adjustments, I'd like to voice my support as a Jacob Wismer (JW) parent for Map 3 since JW is adjacent to Stoller and a vast majority of kids live within a mile of walking distance from both these schools. If JW kids feed into any other middle school other than Stoller as is suggested in Test Map 4, it would mean busing an additional 395 kids out of JW neighborhoods, most of who can walk to Stoller. The high cost both environmental as well as dollars to shuttle our kids in school buses would come from our tax dollars - which we would rather see used for programs that grows our teachers and students than bussing kids which in the case of Jacob Wismer does not make sense. Committee Test Map-4 results in virtually every student in BSD getting bused. It is simply illogical, and creates higher costs and logistical disasters at school and traffic chaos during peak hours. I believe that Committee Test Map 3 comes closest to meeting the districts objective and maintains a better ecosystem for the kids. Thank you.
01/16/2020	Steven Netter	steven.netter@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem			HS2 / SST	

							While I am using a letter that you have likely seen before, I only do so because it very succinctly makes all the points I would want to make. As a concerned parent, I want to convey my thoughts in the most receivable way. So here it is.Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options). 1.Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard. >>It is ridiculous really that my kids would be bused to a school when they could very easily walk 6 minutes to Stoller. 2.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.>> This is a bandaid put on the wrong place. My neighborhood, Bethany View Estates, is an established neighborhood right next to Stoller. You will not see increased student population coming from here, it is a steady feed into Stoller. The new neighborhoods, not the old ones, need a new solution.3.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. Sincerely,~Ratika Hansen
01/16/2020	Ratika Hansen	ratika.hansen@intel.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				
							Thanks to the committee members for their hard work. There is a lot of talk about the "unreasonable" time that it will take Springville kids to travel to Five Oaks MS. Please ask BSD for the transportation data. TODAY – there are buses from Springville area to Westview HS – 11 minutesTODAY – there are buses from Five Oaks area to Westview HS – 12 minutesHow is this commute unreasonable, BSD said the median is 5 miles, 22 minutes for MS students? We should maximize and encourage walkability for Findley/Sato/JW kids that can walk to Stoller.
01/16/2020	Y lopez	lopezyive@gmail.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		

							Dear Mr. Grotting, Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary (and Arbor View neighborhood in particular) inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:1. Currently Jacob Wismer (and Arbor View neighborhood in particular) students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. 2. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. These are both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.3. Currently Jacob Wismer feed only one middle school - Stoller. This fits perfectly in the practice of keeping students together as long as possible. Please, do not divide them into two middle schools as it might leave students without vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.4. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily. We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.Thank you,Nadezhda Ten & Vyacheslav Klochkov.
01/16/2020	Nadezhda Ten	nadezhda.a.ten@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			
							There are many different scenarios in play on middle school boundaries. Everyone has an opinion. It is a difficult. We are writing specifically for our Stoller Middle School and our neighborhood that is across the street. Some scenarios have our neighborhood getting bused to a middle school 5 miles away. That is crazy when the school is literally across the street!Please always keep in mind that any neighborhoods within safe walking distance to a elementary /middle /High school should stay at that school. Period. Safe walking distance to a school is the #1 consideration for school placement. When you are looking for new locations...you don't pick a spot that is furthest away from the students, right? You look for a sight that would be easiest for students to get to by walking! Busing is only necessary if they are too far away.Walking students to school are beneficial to a school district for many reasons...the main reasons:1) saves money2) reduce dependency of school bus and drivers3) reduce the liability of the school district and drivers4) reduce the negative impact on the environment (less gas, less exhaust, less buses needed, etc.)5) reduce the stress and issues for school and parents during inclement weather conditions6) increases the student health with walking activity7) increases the property value of houses in proximity, which in turn raises property taxes, which in turn go to the schools. (this is a key feature that homeowners look for)It is not a requirement to keep the kids together when they move from elementary school to middle school. That is a nice to have option, but offers no savings as listed above. If the issue for our particular situation is keeping the Findley kids together...please don't let that outweigh the benefits mentioned above about keeping the neighborhoods within safe walking distance at a particular school.thank you for your attention.
01/16/2020	Tanya Haas	tdixhaas@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		

01/16/2020	Tanya Haas	tdixhaas@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Change Springville to Middle school 6-8. Reverse decision to turn into K-5 school. Current demographic data has BSD student population growth at near flat for the next 10 years. Therefore, the capacity issue is with middle schools no elementary schools. The current decision to move Springville to K-5 is what has set off this issue of Stoller getting over capacity. And that had a domino effect into Timberland zoning. Hence why there is so much emotion on this topic! Please consider turning Springville to middle school and run the data again. You will find that Stoller is no longer an issue and Timberland will have a more natural boundary that makes sense to everyone. thanks
01/16/2020	Maria Mateus	alegriam1@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	I would like to summarize my input as simple as possible. We have seen different maps/scenarios and at this point I don't see a perfect one. There is a need for 2 new middle schools, one in the NW and the other on the SW. But for now there isn't a solution that is going to keep us all happy so we need to find one option that better focuses on students' well-being. Timberline will most likely become a great Middle School with the advantage of having brand new facilities and equipment. My recommendation based on the maps and the data presented is to use the Feeder Map but make the following adjustments to it: - Keep the Findley community across from Stoller going to Stoller (either by splitting Findley or maybe sending them to Jacob Wismer) - The rest of Findley should go to Timberline - Move Stoller SUMMA to Timberline The results would be: DISTRICTWIDE: It will generate necessary changes across the district at once which will solve overcrowding issues until new schools can be built. LONG TERM SOLUTION: None of the Middle Schools will be at 100% capacity or above now or in 2025. Other options consider capacity for one school affecting negatively capacity numbers for other schools nor or in the near future. WALKABILITY: Findley students who are within walking distance to Stoller will remain at that school. They will reunite with the rest of Findley students in High School. DISTANCE: Findley families leaving within walking distance to Findley are only about 2.5 miles to Timberline which means only about a 10 min drive. That's about half the time and distance it would take for Springville families to get to Five Oaks. COMMUNITY: Rock Creek, Bethany and Oak Hills will go to Meadow Park keeping their community together. TRAFFIC AND COST: Springville will not have to bus over 100 hundred students across Highway 26. Which is very important considering those buses would have to go through traffic from PCC, Westview and Rock Creek on top of regular traffic. OPTION: SUMMA is optional for families so they can decide if they want to join that program and send their students to Timberline.
01/16/2020	Michael Cormack	mikecormack2002@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		my family lives directly across the street from Stoller Middle School (Oakridge Estates). Recently, I learned that BSD is considering to bus the Oakridge kids in my neighborhood to another school, about 2 miles away. It's very challenging to understand the logic behind this proposal. I hope and pray that common sense will prevail and our neighborhood kids can continue to walk to school!
01/16/2020	Ashley He	ach238@cornell.edu	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		As residents of Oakridge Estates, we implore the Beaverton School District to keep students in our neighborhood community within Stoller MS boundaries. As Stoller is located less than half a mile away from our neighborhood, it makes sense for kids to continue walking to their middle school and it saves both the parent and school time and resources on bussing and other transportation options. Additionally, Oakridge Estates parents have historically been very involved in school volunteer work, and if the boundaries were changed the school district would have to consider that loss as well.

01/16/2020	Steven Brown	Stevenwilliambrown1@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>Dear Sir/MadamI am contacting you to express may concern and dismay that the Beaverton School Board is proposing to modify the boundary of the Stoller Middle School to exclude the student who reside in Oakridge Estates Neighborhood (Skycrest Dr, Meadowridge Dr., Falconridge Dr., Spruceridge Dr., Oakpoint Way, Lakeview Dr, Tradewind, etc). I would like to go on record that I vehemently oppose the proposed boundary change to exclude Oakridge Estates from the Stoller MS boundary. The Oakridge Estate neighborhood is across the street (Laidlaw) from the Stoller MS. Currently Middle School students walk or ride their bikes to the school as the travel distance is less than a quarter mile and less than a 5 minute walk from door to door. Students living in Oakridge Neighborhood only have to cross one street (Laidlaw) which has designated crosswalks with volunteer crosswalk guards during school commute times. The proposed revision to the current boundary would require bussing the students from Oakridge Estates to Timberland MS. Timberland MS is over 4 miles away and would entail a minimum 20 minute school bus ride. Walking or riding a bike from Oakridge Estates neighborhood to the proposed Timberland MS would be a grave safety risk to students as it would require them to cross multiple high traffic roads and walk/ride on roads that do not have sidewalks or dedicated bike lanes.Bussing students to school is contrary to local, state and national efforts to increase student walking/bike riding to school. (Safe Routes to Schools). The goal of Safe Routes to School is to improve the health and safety of students through daily exercise. From a Global Warming perspective bussing students makes no sense as it will result in substantial carbon emissions from the busses as opposed to the zero CO2 emission when students have the option to walk to school.In addition to the safety issues, it should be noted that since the opening of Stoller MS, parents of students who reside in Oakridge Estates have been extremely active in supporting Stoller MS activities. Oakridge Estate parents are very active participants in Stoller MS PTA and have also provided financial support to school activities as well. Residents of Oakridge Estates have a strong sense that the academic success of Stoller MS is due in part to their active engagement in the growth and operation of the school. Removing Oakridge Estates from the Stoller boundary has the unwanted effect of creating a sense of betrayal by the Beaverton School Board in that it would prohibit students residing in Oakridge Estates from attending a school the neighborhood help to create.In summary, I want to reiterate that I am opposed to the proposed school boundary change which would exclude the Oakridge Estates middle school students from attending Stoller MS.SincerelySteve Brown</p>
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							I think blanket feeding of ES school to MS is very bad idea.We are in Oakridge Estates neighborhood which is right across the street from Stoller MS. Kids from this neighborhood are walking to Stoller MS everyday. It is NOT acceptable to draw the Boundary and Exclude neighborhood from across the street and sending middle school students to the new MS 5+ miles on the other end of the boundary. If families chose Option School from miles away, they can accept consequences of time, efforts, etc. It's the reason that we didn't choose ISB or other Options school for our kids.Drawing school boundary should consider:- Residents/School proximity that will impact students time, livelihood, community, resources, financial impact and working parents.The district should NOT continue jamming middle students North Bethany and Springville areas (where there are continued growth in housing development, new residents, etc.) to Stoller MS. Given continue growth in the North Bethany & Springville area, District should start considering making Springville K8 as a regular Middle School. If Springville K8 is a good option, then most of the middle school students in North Bethany and Springville should have attended that school, rather than going to Stoller MS miles away.PLEASE take into account for GROWTH in HOUSING Development in the North Bethany, Springville and Rock Creek areas.Overcrowding @ Stoller MS have been an issue for years and will continue to be a problem for years to come if the district is not look at growth in the Springville and North Bethany areas. Designate Springville as the regular ES/MS school should be considered.Thank you.
01/16/2020	Sidney Lam	sidneyplam@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
							To the BSD,I would like to support Findley and Oakridge Estates to stay within Stoller MS boundaries. The reasonsare: 1) Walkability: Currently, 47% of kids from Findley community are walking to Stoller, including my children. The bus service has stopped in some Findley communities (south of Bronson Creek) that were previouslybussed to Stoller because of the THPRD trail (westside trail) that currently connects these communities to Stoller. Given the walkability improvement projects to happen in the coming 2 years around the Findley community, splitting Findley based on current status is not logical. 2) Split feeding: Splitting elementary schools is detrimental to kids' emotional health while transitioning into middle school. Various schools this time from south BSD (Nancy Ryles, Hiteon, Cooper Mountain, Raleigh Park schools) where split feeding is already in place have been sharing their experiences and repeatedly asking for no split feeding. Comments from these parents quoting this, is available in the BSD MS boundary change website. There are proposals that use Bronson Creek to split Findley. Today, kids from south and north of Bronson Creek walk to Stoller using the THPRD trail. It is illogical to propose splitting along Bronson Creek. There are proposals floating around in social media to combine walking portions of Findley into Jacob Wismer and sending the rest of Findley to Timberland. The percentage of kids walking from Findley is HUGE and there is no room in Jacob Wismer for this merge. 3) As Stoller is located less than half a mile away from our neighborhood, it makes sense for kids to continue walking to their middle school and it saves both the parent and school time and resources on bussing and other transportation options. We implore the Beaverton School District to keep Findley and Oakridge Estates residents within Stoller MS boundaries.Thank you.
01/15/2020	Lucy Zhang	lucyyizhang888@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		

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01/16/2020	Britney He	britney.k.he@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		
							To the BSD,I would like to support Findley and Oakridge Estates to stay within Stoller MS boundaries. The reasonsare: 1) Walkability: Currently, 47% of kids from Findley community are walking to Stoller, including my children. The bus service has stopped in some Findley communities (south of Bronson Creek) that were previouslybussed to Stoller because of the THPRD trail (westside trail) that currently connects these communities to Stoller. Given the walkability improvement projects to happen in the coming 2 years around the Findley community, splitting Findley based on current status is not logical. 2) Split feeding: Splitting elementary schools is detrimental to kids' emotional health while transitioning into middle school. Various schools this time from south BSD (Nancy Ryles, Hiteon, Cooper Mountain, Raleigh Park schools) where split feeding is already in place have been sharing their experiences and repeatedly asking for no split feeding. Comments from these parents quoting this, is available in the BSD MS boundary change website. There are proposals that use Bronson Creek to split Findley. Today, kids from south and north of Bronson Creek walk to Stoller using the THPRD trail. It is illogical to propose splitting along Bronson Creek. There are proposals floating around in social media to combine walking portions of Findley into Jacob Wismer and sending the rest of Findley to Timberland. The percentage of kids walking from Findley is HUGE and there is no room in Jacob Wismer for this merge. 3) As Stoller is located less than half a mile away from our neighborhood, it makes sense for kids to continue walking to their middle school and it saves both the parent and school time and resources on bussing and other transportation options. We implore the Beaverton School District to keep Findley and Oakridge Estates residents within Stoller MS boundaries.Thank you.
01/16/2020	John	johnhe888@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		
							I hope the committee consider more about the long-term capacity of schools. Both the Sato elementary area and Springville elementary area are the most fast growing area in BSD. Therefore, I think these two elementary schools should not feed into the same middle school as it will make that middle school over-capacity easily in a few years. Please consider making these two schools feed to different middle schools or splitting both school boundaries.
01/16/2020	Chenlu Wang	frombluesummer@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				
							Please make kids living within walking area stay in the current school boundary. It's a waste of our tax money and time if the committee decide to busing kids who are able to walk to school in current boundary map. It's not environmental friendly either.
01/16/2020	Zhijian Zhang	goddyz@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				
							The Test Map 3 is meeting the critical needs of Schools District and well aligned with my social views. This helps to address transportation , walkability and not impacting the current situation much.
01/16/2020	Ramesh Krishnan	Rameshkumarkrishnan@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	

01/16/2020	JAYAPRAKASH SHANMUGAM	JAYAPRAKASHNS@GMAIL.COM	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	<p>Dear committee members – As it was proposed in the last meeting, the test map3 is what most of the JW parents supported. In this comment, I would like to propose some additional changes to that plan. The goals of the BSD are two fold: Reduce the overcrowding in Stoller and fill the upcoming Timberland:– This requires some students to move out of Stoller and be sent to Timberland. Please consider the students who can walk to the school are not impacted for both SUMMA and non–SUMMA. Portion of Findley that lives closer to the Timberland and the bussed community to Stoller is the ideal candidate to achieve both these goals.– Secondly, the plan should at least hold good for the next few years. It is not possible to accommodate all the growing communities and still expect the Stoller not to be crowded as it is not clear how many households will be built in the next few years. However, moving some students from Stoller to Timberland makes some capacity underutilized in Stoller. This can be filled by moving the SUMMA from Springville to Stoller and/or moving certain communities from Springville to Stoller. This step will fill the Stoller to its full utilization and will also reduce the overcrowding that is shown in test map3 for the FiveOaks. These changes will have the feeder pattern shown as below: Findley → Stoller → Sunset Findley → Timberland → Sunset In both cases, when kids go to Sunset, they will have lot of familiar faces as they already spent lot of elementary time together. JW → Stoller → Sunset: No splits here Sato → Stoller → Sunset: No splits here SPV → Stoller → WestView SPV → FiveOaks → Westview For these kids, when they go to Westview they will have lot of familiar faces as they already spent lot of elementary time together.</p>
01/16/2020	Thulasi Alapakam	Thulasi.jp@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>Thanks for bringing back the Map3 for discussion. This Map is really promising this really supports most of the Walk-ability and Good Utilization %. Please consider Map3 which is beneficial for almost all.</p>
01/16/2020	Leon	inlmacam@gmail.com			Sunset		<p>Thank you for taking all the community inputs and try to create proposals that incorporate them. Test Map 3 seems to me to provide the most balanced approach that keep communities together, reduce busing cost and meet most of the utilization goals. Having said that, I still would like to see the timetable for another MS in north Bethany.</p>
01/16/2020	Pavani	mail2pavani527@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				<p>Thanks for taking time to consider JW parents inputs. As the JW school is walkable and next to Stoller all of the kids should be considered to same middle school . Considering most of the SUMMA kids are from JW, Findley , Sato area , the program should be continued in Stoller , so there need not be any extra busing required , if the program moves to a diff school. Hope BSD considers all the Kids and take appropriate decision suitable to future enhancements too.</p>

01/16/2020	Lynnsey Sitter	lynnseysitter@gmail.com	Findley Elem				I have skimmed through most of the public comments and left a few of my own over the last few weeks as well as read all the information provided by the district. There still seems to be a startling lack of information that SHOULD have been gathered and analyzed BEFORE this process was even started. I see that increasingly the issue of traffic on 185th is often raised in reference to certain proposals. Less frequently, I see some people raise the question of what happens if you take Findley (or even more absurdly Findley and Jacob Wismer) down Saltzman towards Timberland. Has anyone actually looked at any DATA regarding traffic and infrastructure ramifications of bussing kids (many of whom can easily walk to Stoller) from these schools down to Timberland? It seems like this decision would have a substantial impact on the area and requires more investigation.
01/16/2020	Savitha Srinivasa	savi.perur@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		We live in a community that is in a walkable distance from Stoller MS. My son currently attends 5th grade at Jacob Wismer ES. I am really upset on why/how we parents have to justify which school is closer to our community. BSD should have thought about the growing community in North Bethany before declaring a new school that is greater than 4miles in distance to the homes. We see that Stoller Middle school is already overcrowded and there is new Elementary School (Sato) feeding into Stoller. I would propose to make one of Springville or Sato as the Middle school or build a new Middle school in growing part of North Bethany, which can accomodate students from Sato/Springville elementary schools. I am shocked to learn that JacobWismer school being the the closest neighbor to Stoller Middle is in a threat of being uprooted from feeder schools to Stoller. SUMMA program is available in Stoller. Kids who are eligible for this program are vastly located in Bethany area. It would be a good idea to introduce SUMMA in the new Timberland Middle school and also retain the program in Stoller Middle. If there is not sufficient funding, we can have a fundraiser from the community to enrich these programs.
01/16/2020	Ryan Noonan	rsnoonan@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				Thank you for taking the time to have comments and hear feedback. As a parent of two kids in elementary school in the Beaverton school district I would really appreciate my kids going to the middle school that is closest to them. My kids currently attend Bonny slope and having them go to timberline makes the most sense, rather than bussing them all the way to cedar park.
01/16/2020	Soumya Sah	soumya.sah@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Looking at all the maps posted for 1/16 meeting, Committee Test map 3 shows the most potential at solving the overcrowding at Stoller and filling Timberland to capacity. It also keeps Stoller walk zones in the school and keeps a good balance of middle school to high school feeder for Stoller. This is also the map that Jacob Wismer community has recommended so we are happy to see it be considered.
01/16/2020	Jayita Banerjee	jayitarm@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Hi, Stoller boundary should include the whole of Jacob Wismer with SUMMA (you shouldn't punish a student with further commute when they are already overloaded with studies for SUMMA), since it will otherwise create unnecessary burden to buss students who are within walkable distance from school... it is a bad decision both financially and environmentally. Another point is, if the main agenda is avoiding overcrowding of Stoller, then keeping both fast growing communities like SATO and SPV in Stoller along with Jacob Wismer will never solve the problem. It will just delay the problem by couple of years at most. Please think for future before making a decision. It is not fair to put communities through these ordeal over and over again! BSD should really think about building a new MS at right location instead of trying to solve the unsolvable.

01/16/2020	Shilpa Sharma	sharma.shilpa18@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	All the members of the committee,I want to state that our city is considered us a bike city and plus we are trying to make emission free city. So moving Jacob Wismer to some other middle school will result in more travel time so more buses and more pollution. If we keep Jacob Wismer with Stoller the pollution will be less as it's very near to Jacob neighborhood so lot of people walk or bike to both the schools.All the other schools have to drive to stoller as it's far from their neighborhood.
01/16/2020	Jenine	jenine1212@yahoo.com	McKay Elem	Conestoga MS		I don't see how the desire to keep elementary students together into middle school should take precedence over geographic proximity to the neighborhood schools. We want our children to develop a sense of community and school pride. I think this is easily achieved when children attend schools in their neighborhoods. We live one mile from Conestoga and feel that it is our neighborhood school. We purchased our home knowing that eventually our children would be close to their middle school and high school. This wasn't the case for our elementary school, but we really felt it was important for middle and high school when our kids would be biking and eventually driving to school. If we are moved to Whitford, I feel that we would be losing the sense of community we've been trying to instill in our children. Students living near Whitford would likely feel the same about attending Conestoga. Regardless of the decision on boundaries, I strongly urge you to allow students to receive legacy status and remain at their neighborhood school throughout their three years. I was a middle school teacher for seven years and am very familiar with the student journey through middle school. It would be very detrimental to the social health of these students to begin middle school at one school and finish it at another. The middle school years are extremely challenging, and it is essential to maintain consistency during middle school including teachers, environment, rules, and friends to help foster a sense of school community. Parents want to feel like they are a part of the school as well, and I think that would be difficult to achieve if they are at a new school for potentially only one year. I've never heard of a district not allowing a grandfather or legacy clause for this very reason. At an absolute minimum, you should allow students to stay at their school if families provide their own transportation. In closing, I urge you to use the objectives you established to guide your decision rather than the emotions from the feedback you've received. Several of the options you've shared impact families a great distance from the new middle school and the severely overcrowded one. While change is necessary to accommodate the new school, I suggest you choose the solution that achieves the primary objective and minimizes disruption. It appears several of the options are going way beyond the primary objective and would cause a great deal of unnecessary disruption to families in the district. Thank you.
01/16/2020	Chandresh Mahawar	shalu.mahawar@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	My kids are looking forward to gontonstoller as all his friends are ,they are very excited to be part of the Summa program And being able to walk to school with their buddies . Please consider our choice of staying with stoller as we are in the walking distance for the school . To be able to have friends and retain friends in their life is very important for the kids , as we have no family in the country their friends are the very best thing day in and day out for them . We would love them to have this experience and grow up and be part of the community they have enjoyed so far .Being able to walk to school gives them the independence and confidence that's much needed for life . It's safe and nurturing for them . Thanks and regards

01/16/2020	Jay	jeys24@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		The Map 9, double counting the SUMMA kids numbers, in this map we should only consider the JW SUMMA kids, 162, not 329 in the email proposal that was submitted. This will increase the Utilization % more than 90%. The proposal says 2021 total capacity is 84% and 2025 is 107%. This should be validated Independently if committee is considering for future consideration.
01/16/2020	Tim Sippel	timnsippel@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I live in the Oakridge Estates neighborhood immediately south of Stoller Middle School. Looking at the middle school test maps, it appears that a significant natural geographic boundary is not being accounted for. The south end of our neighborhood borders a meadow, with no road crossings. That meadow should be a natural dividing line for the school boundaries. Please come up with a map that has the meadow as the natural district boundary. North of the meadow should go across the street to Stoller and Jacob Wismier. Any assignments to schools south of the meadow involve a round-about drive. Including on roads that are dangerous for pedesterians and bicyclists (Laidlaw Road and Saltzman Road). The map options that include Oakridge estates in the Stoller boundary, and doing a disservice for some neighborhoods just south of that neighborhood by forcing them to travel across the meadow to the north. Being able to walk to school would help the environment by allowing our students to walk to school, and give a much better chance at being able to walk to homes of classroom friends. Please consider making this relatively small refinement to the boundary, and allow Oakridge estates students to stay on the north side of the geographic boundary of the meadow.
01/16/2020	Ari Tjahjani	aset.tj@gmail.com					In my opinion the district should consider the natural boundary, the district can use the meadow (Bronson creek, south of Oakridge Estate) as a natural geographic boundary. Families north of the meadow should attend schools on the north side of the meadow. Families south of the meadow should attend schools on the south side of the meadow. Not moving the kids who can walk to school become dependently using school bus.
01/16/2020	Rishika	rishikachachra@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Oakhill is on the other side of town for spring ville kids. Stroller is much closer n practice.

01/16/2020	Shoba Subramanian	s_shobhana@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	<p>It makes most sense to keep Springville within the Stoller middle school boundary. Going to Five Oaks and crossing the busy freeway every morning and afternoon adds greatly to the bus commute times. This will only make the kids tired and late for their other after-school activities. Consequently, they will not have enough time to finish their homework and rest enough for school the next day. Its a ripple effect and will impact them both health wise and academically. Five Oaks is also a very old school with older facilities with considerably lesser academic ratings than Stoller. As parents, we made a deliberate decision to live in the Bethany area to give our kids an opportunity to go to great public schools. Please do not take that away from our kids. Timberland is a great school and a brand new one. The neighborhoods that are closer to Timberland can easily be sent there with no negative impact either on the kids from a commute/academic/facility perspective. The Summa program can be transferred to Timberland so that the continuity for kids is maintained. This will free up even more space in Stoller. Also, I would like point out that having parents in the committee who are advocating for their own vested interests in the committee makes this process extremely unfair. My sincere request to the district is to please take all the inputs equally and consider the impact on the all the kids, and not prioritize some kids over others, and not be influenced by some committee members who have a clear bias. Kids in our neighborhoods grow up together all the way from elementary to high school. Please do not break up their communities and friendships. Please do not punish some kids with lengthy and tiring commutes just so that some other kids can continue to walk to school.</p>
01/16/2020	Jianren Tai	jerry.j.tai@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem			<p>We had never thought of the possibility of JW students will be moved out of Stoller middle school, because we are so close to the school. I think based on the close distance, JW students should not be moved to other MS other than Stoller. Also, to consider high school feeding pattern, we should not move because currently, JW students are going to two different high school already. We don't want make their social life even harder, especially during the sensitive teenage period. From the economic standpoint, moving students who are close to Stoller involving more transportation cost, therefore, should be avoided. This also applies to SUMMA program. currently, most SUMMA students live in area nearby Stoller, therefore, SUMMA should be kept in Stoller as well. From long run, a new middle school should be build in Northern Bethany area to accommodate the fast growing population there. Therefore, current Springville and Sato should only have part of its students go to stoller or only one community (SPV or SATO) go to Stoller. JW school are pretty stable old community and would not see huge growth in school age population. We should stabilize Stoller feeding school with more stable communities, less or no fast growing community. In summary, JW should be kept in Stoller because of the walkability, and SUMMA should be kept at Stoller for cost-saving. Stoller need stable community to feed. we don't want to do the boundary adjustment again in near future. Thank you for reading! Jerry</p>
01/16/2020	Lisa Teuber	lisakteuber@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem			<p>Hello, Thank you all for your work on the middle school boundary lines. We appreciate your dedication to listening to comments. As a parent of Bonny Slope, I was shocked to see that students from our location would even be considered for attendance at Cedar Park. We have not one but two closer middle schools. We moved to this area when our oldest was about to start kindergarten (and two younger siblings) due to the proximity to the new school. Also traffic wise for things like buses and commuters it seems odd to split the school zone with a cut out of Timberland as some of the maps show.</p>

01/16/2020	Nitikorn Waropas	koron13@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		We already planed and invested for the house location for the school for our 3 kids in long term to live in this area. If school has be changed, that mean all of our plan will be mess up. Our kids have to go to school further. This is not a good idea to change the thing that already set up. I believe many many family and kids will be suffer for this changed.Please don't do that.
01/16/2020	Paul Alappat	paul.alappat@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				The committee has accomplished its goal with the creation of Map3 and Map10. Both of those maps look ideal from many factors including utilization, feeding patterns, and reduced bussing costs for the schools North of 26. I encourage BSD to move forward with either of these two maps. It will be impossible to please everyone but these maps are by far the most promising options.
01/16/2020	April Vaughn	alindelands@hotmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem				I would like to advocate to include Cedar Mill ES students in the boundary to the new Middle school, Timberland. 1) It's closer to our house than the currently assigned middle school of Cedar Park MS2) We will have 2 students hopefully going to Timberland and bought in our area with this in mind. 3) If we are still assigned to Cedar Park Middle School at the time that the children will be enrolled, we will have to heavily consider the private schools in our area that are currently closer to our home than Cedar Park and offer a better school score than the 6 of Cedar Park. 4) The option maps that do not show Cedar Mill ES going to Timberland quite frankly look ridiculous. We live 1 block from Cedar Mill ES. 5) Boundaries should also consider the enviornmental impact, and busing students who are farther away than us to the middle school doesn't fit that goal.Thank you for your time.
01/16/2020	Nanuet Kuhn	nanuetmarie@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Just wanted to voice my concern at moving Stoller students to ANY new middle school. We are just across the street. Why bus students that are walking, elsewhere? I dont want my taxes increased to pay for that transportation. Not to mention that it could impact childcare that older students can help provide to their working parents for younger siblings. Kinda crazy to go 5 miles away when you live exactly .4 miles from Stoller, your NEIGHBORHOOD school.

							<p>Dear MS boundary committee member,Thank you for taking the time to read my comments. I am a parent of both a Whitford MS and a Vose ES student. Both of my daughters are in the Spanish immersion programs at their respective schools. Incorporating a sustainable k-12 Spanish immersion program has been a long (over a decade) and laborious process. The good news is, now that the immersion program in place, it is incurring no additional cost to the school district with enormous benefits to students of all economic status. Fluent Spanish speaking teachers don[?]t cost the district more, but are more difficult to find. The boundary changes at the Highschool level split the Vose students to attend Beaverton and Southridge. Southridge has done a fantastic job of accommodating the immersion program. If the students are split in the middle school this will create more continuity problems. Acceptance into the Spanish immersion program is not geographically assigned, yet middle school boundaries are, and splitting Vose students will cause two major issues:1.Class size: Currently there are 2 full classrooms of Spanish immersion students in each grade at Whitford. These students typically share two teachers between the immersion population. One for Humanities and one for Math/Science. Therefore, the minimum requirement for a Spanish fluent teaching staff would be 2 full time teachers per grade. Splitting the students between multiple middle schools would drastically change the class size. Each class could be extremely small or large depending on the grade level geographic population of that year group.2.Transportation: The bus system would have to overlap to send kids to the correct school depending on their enrollment in the immersion program. Vose has a large under-served population and it would be difficult for those students to acquire transportation outside of the school sponsored transportation to get to school. Therefore, segregating the Vose immersion program would disproportionately impact the under-served population at Vose. Thank you again for volunteering your personal time to make the school district better and for considering what you have read today.Best Regards,David Strayer</p>
01/16/2020	David Strayer	pto@dadstrats.com	Vose Elem	Whitford MS			
							<p>I would like to talk about modified map3 published for Jan 16 meeting. First, if someone wants to shove Springville to Five Oaks, there is definitely a way to make the numbers look fine, but please look at how many schools in the south need to change to achieve this. While at the same time, another option such as test map 6, can achieve all the goals with much less impact on BSD. It is NOT a question about whether there is one way, it is a question abut what is the best and convenient way. In order for Findley to stay at Stroller, 1. Springville is sent to Five Oaks. (comute distance increase from 2.2mile to 5 mile)2. Bethany is sent to Timberland(comute distance increase from 3.7mile to 5.1mile)3. Aloha Huber park is sent to Cedar Park(they could walk to Moutain View and bus to Five Oaks for 3.5mile, but to Cedar Park, it is 4.7mile)4. Rachel Carson program is moved from Five Oaks to Cedar Park 4.4 miles away. All these long range changes are to prevent Findley from changing from Stroller to Timberland(commute distance from 1.2mile change to 2.6mile). This is crazy and very selfish move. On the other hand, test map 6 introduced minimum change to south schools and most numbers look reasonable. By minor changes, it should be able to meet all the goals. BSD should do the right thing.</p>
01/16/2020	jianqiao/huang	huangjianqiao@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		

01/16/2020	Marc And Dj Moran	marca78@gmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		We are writing to voice our concern over Map 5. The un-named new middles school is in the middle of the Cedar Mill community and should be uses by children from this neighborhood. Bussing kids in from other neighborhoods is an insane proposal. Especially when it would put Cedar Park at 108% of capacity. Lets not even get into the wastefulness and bussing. How does the district plan to offset the carbon footprint and traffic issues?I understand that we need more facilities but we need to let the kids use their neighborhood schools when and where possible. I know that the Findley and Stoller parents are outspoken about this issue and I understand their concerns. That said, Stoller was built to service that area and the new facility was built to serve the Cedar Mill and take stress off of Cedar Park. Are we really just going to roll over and give the wealthy families from from SUMMA what they want?Map 5 is elitist, wasteful and unfair.
01/16/2020	Julie	jl56121@gmail.com		Stoller MS			Hi,I would like to give my thought regarding the school boundary adjustments. I live in the Oakridge Estate community. It's just a walking distance for my kids to walk to Stoller. It's a great benefit for them to exercise every day with friends who live in the same community. We've been emphasizing exercise and sleep which benefit students. Moving kids to a 5-mile away school, not only make them sleep less in order to catch the school bus, but also deprive their chance to exercise and their time.Each year, schools hold the activity of walking/biking to school. This is to encourage kids to exercise and save the energy of fuel.I hope you can take this message into consideration.Thank you!
01/16/2020	MaryBeth Piccirilli	picsee98@yahoo.com					The growth North of Sunset Highway hasn't been addressed very well by BSD due to lack of funds, I know that. However, continuing to move our students south to fill up old buildings isn't the right solution. Since Jacob Wismer and Stoller are so close to each other, it behooves BSD to replace the Stoller portables with an actual building. Having 300 students in portables is shameful.A new actual building on that spot can be used for Stoller students while there are so many middle school aged students and when that is no longer the case, it could house kindergarten, PK or 5th grade from Jacob Wismer. Combine the Summa students from Stoller with the groups from Meadow Park and Cedar Park. Use Timberland for one more year to get the Stoller portables replaced and then keep West TV and Cedar Mill students north of Sunset Highway.Move some students out of SHS and Westview by having an option school north of the Sunset Highway. Option schools require less land than comprehensive high schools. There are empty commercial builds north of Sunset Highway, perhaps they could be of use.
01/16/2020	Thomas Lindeland	toml101@comcast.net	Cedar Mill Elem				Please vote in favor of allowing Cedar Mills students the right to attend the new middle school. These new boundries for Cedar Mills students make no sense.

01/16/2020	sidney lam	sidneyplam@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Students in these communities deserves better from decision made by BSD and Washington County. Think about all of tax, bonds, volunteer that you've asked residents from these communities to support. BSD - please correct past mistakes and DO THE RIGHT THINGS.- Think long-term (overcrowd issues at Stoller MS kept popping up year after year). There are lots of open space and new development in North Bethany, Springville, Rock Creek areas. It's the fact and data proved it. There needs to be a MS school there. PLEASE consider making Springville K8 as regular MS or ES/MS school. The communities have spoken and data shown it. There's very limit use of option school and it only served small number of students.-Kids from area within the Walking-Zone of the School should be in the boundary of that school. We should even consider it ILLEGAL to make those kids to go school miles away from their home. It's inconceivable and COMMUNITIES should consider/stage PROTESTING if the District force our kids from Walking-Zone to take bus several miles away from home. In our case, our neighborhood is across the street from Stoller MS (5-10 min walk). -KEEP REDRAWING THE MAP within the Established Communities WON'T HELP. Please evaluate option involved surrounding boundaries and OPEN AREAs and NEW Development (that continue to GROWTH in the FUTURE)
01/16/2020	Colleen Ellingson	Yaya380@aol.com	Bonny Slope Elem			I would really like to see Bonny Slope Elementary feed into the new middle school aka "Timberland". When we moved into this area almost 6 years ago and as the school started to be built, I was so excited that my son who was a kindergartener at the time, would be the first class to enter the new middle school as a 6th grader in the 2020/2021 school year. We have literally stayed in the area for that reason...in the hopes that our 3 children would go to this new middle school. Of course we were very disappointed when we learned that our son would in fact not attend Timberland for his first year of middle school, and that he would have to go to Cedar Park. But we said, well at least he will go to Timberland for 7th and 8th grade and our other children (currently in K and 1st grade) will get to go there too. Now after being told Bonny Slope would go to the new middle school for so many years, it looks like there are several maps that do not have Bonny Slope going to Timberland. My son could literally walk to Timberland from our home, which I would prefer over him riding the bus! Please let Bonny Slope go to the new middle school, as we have been promised for years!! Thank you for your consideration.
01/16/2020	Jesse Brandeburg	c@jjls.us	Findley Elem	Stoller MS		We firmly believe that the district should allow and encourage children within the walking zone of a school (<= 1 mile away) to go to that school. In our case we are bussed to Findley, but can walk to Stoller. Please make sure that the community around the schools you have are able to go to the schools they are nearby. We believe the Oakridge Estates neighborhood should continue to be served by Findley and Stoller.
01/16/2020	Vicki Lindeland	sportsg@comcast.net	Cedar Mill Elem			Why would you make students go to a school further away from them, added traffic on roads, working parents, added time to get to school, after school activities? This decision does not make sense for the students, parents, and the workings of Portland. Please rethink your decision. Thank you, A working Grandmother and elementary teacher
01/16/2020	Anil Kumar Rajput	anil_rajput@yahoo.com		Stoller MS		Oakridge Estate is located just opposite Stoller Middle School. It is very important that students from this neighborhood are able to walk to Stoller Middle School instead of bussing students from far off NW Bethany new neighborhoods. Those new neighborhoods should plan better and build new school for that capacity.

01/16/2020	SANDEEP AGARWAL	AGARWALSNDP@GMAIL.COM	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Based on the comments posted and looking proposed population by elementary schools by 2021 & 2025 we should look at the unbiased look at the criteria for selection.1. Walkability to school for the purpose of Safety and financial considerations of bus service.2. Growth pattern of Elementary schoolsBased on these consideration with JW elementary should only be considered at part of the Stoller MS from feeding perspective. Any other options being proposed by looking at JW (part or whole) for any other middle school are just ways to create more confusion and increase complexity.
01/16/2020	Nisha	Nishaamrish@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Our house is in oak ridge estates is walking distance to stoller middle school, just five minute walk. It[?]'s fair to keep Stoller middle school for our student .
01/16/2020	Carrie Helm Madding	carrie.madding@gmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				We moved off 119th Ave just 3 years ago so our three daughters could attend Bonny Slope Elementary and then Timberland. We took on the investment of a lifetime and into this community, and now I'm more than disappointed that we might have to move out in a few years if we can't see our plan through. Let's make some sense of this and find a way for OUR kids to go to school in OUR neighborhood!Thank you for the consideration-
01/16/2020	Rob Hutchins	Rbhutchins@comcast.net	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I live in Oakridge Estates and I want to weigh in how important it is that kids that can walk to Stoller middle school be able to walk to school. We moved here for that reason. Thank you.
01/16/2020	Brigitte Hutchins	rbhutchins@comcast.net	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I would like to say how important it is to continue to include Stoller MS as the attending school for all kids living in the Oakridge Estates neighborhood. Living right across the street from the school that our children attend and being able to walk to it is one of the reasons we moved to this neighborhood. There have to be kids that are being bused to Stoller that can fulfill the requirement for Timberland and be bused there instead.Thank you.
01/16/2020	Laura Bennett	lrbennett@gmail.com	Terra Linda Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		To whom it may concern:I am adding a comment in support of Terra Linda Elementary being included in the boundary for Timberland Middle School. Based on the proposed boundary maps, I saw no mention of how the district was trying to achieve racial and economic diversity across the various middle schools. Several of the proposed boundary changes indicate that only the most affluent areas would be included in the boundaries for both Timberland and Stoller, which in my belief is a morally corrupt approach to these changes that are supposed to benefit and support children across the district (I am referencing proposed boundary maps 5-9).Additionally, several of these proposed boundary changes do not seek to achieve continuity between middle school and high school attendance areas, with several of the middle schools being split between two high schools. This change was mentioned as being an improvement to the current attendance boundaries, and seems to only be achieved in a few of the proposed maps.Thank you for providing a forum in which constituents can voice their opinions on this matter.
01/16/2020	Sarah Anderson	sarahmiller97221@yahoo.com	Cedar Mill Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		Cedar Mill is in Timberlands backyard. It seems very odd that Cedar Mill Elementary would not feed to a school that is located so close and in between the Elementary school and High school the students will feed to. It seems the sheer fact that the transportation costs would significantly reduce would be a good reason. But the best reason is it is what is best for these kids.

01/16/2020	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	REGARDING Maps 7 and 8:They may be a good start, but the low income areas in Springville should be added back to Stoller to maintain diversity. We should also consider adding neighborhoods across Stoller back. I believe the 90 percent objective can still be met without being unfair.
01/06/2020	Sireesha Akula	sireesha.akula@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I am a parent on Skycrest very close to JW elementary and Stoller middle school. Adding more transportation here for summa kids is a traffic and safety concern. I am also worried about the transportation time these kids have to go through depending on which bus and time they are transported with vs walking 100 steps to school. Please keep Map 3 into discussion with proposed refinements.
01/16/2020	Tanya Abou-Elmajd	ctanya20@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Please do not take Jacob Wismer Elementary out of Stoller Middle School. Given the very close proximity of JW, most of the JW kids walk to Stoller. My current 8th grader can walk to school at Stoller and my current 5th grader at Jacob Wismer will be able to do the same next year. This reduces bus costs for the district and traffic around Stoller. It would be great if the district could spend that money on other needs. Please keep JW at Stoller.
01/16/2020	Meenakshi Dewan	meenakshi_dara@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear Committee members,Thanks for reviewing all the maps and brainstorming ideas but please do not ignore Walkability and proximity to the school for the neighborhoods. Like the transportation director said, it would add tremendous amount of dollars towards transportation and hiring more bus drivers.Please keep JW and Findley with the stable population along with one growing neighborhood Like Sato!Thanks
01/16/2020	Madhusudhan Rangarajan	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	ON WALKABILITY:While there was a lot of attention paid to JW and Findley walkability, the maps that kept them walkable removed walkability from Aloha Huber. Please look at walkability ACROSS THE DISTRICT and not just for Jacob Wismer and Findley.
01/16/2020	Kienow	Kienowboys3@yahoo.com	Terra Linda Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		Seems like the you are looking in the future everything north, but you are forgetting the future development of the Cedar Hills shopping center. How many projected homes that are going to go in there that would way overcrowd Cedar Park??? Also I am parent of a current Terra Linda 2nd grader and we live off Saltzman it seems silly for us to drive past the new middle school to attend a over crowded Cedar Park.
01/16/2020	Srinivas	annamaraju@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS		HS2 / SST	Please include Jacob Wismer with Summa to Stoller.
01/16/2020	Chandana	chandanabvrl@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Include Jacob Wismer Summa students to Stoller.
01/16/2020	Sireesha Akula	sireesha.akula@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Cannot understand the logic of adding two growing communities to Stoller in order to overcome overcrowding problem at Stoller. Maps 8 & 9 will be disruptive to my kids transition to Sunset highschool. Strongly urge BSD to reconsider these points.
01/16/2020	Chandana	chandanak08@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please keep summa intact in stoller. Maps 8 and 9 have summa moved completely to timberland. This means that summa kids from other schools than findley have to travel longer distances..stoller is close to all schools which has a higher percentage of summa population..please do not punish the kids for working hard. Keeping summa at stoller and timberland is also acceptable..

01/16/2020	Jodi Bean	jodi.bean@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem				Greetings all, this is not an easy topic to consider. When we bought our house, one of our decision points (and one of the realtor's highlights) was that the house would put us into Stoller Middle School. To now be facing that changing due to what seems to be a rapid-over-development in the north Bethany and Springville areas is really frustrating. I would like to see those neighborhood developers who put in so many houses up and around PCC and north Bethany brought to the table to ask what they are going to contribute to solve this problem. Clearly one of their selling points was the amazing schools - schools they are now either going to be moved out of or forcing others to move out of - that are over crowded. I feel angered by this irresponsibility and greed. Secondly, I do not understand why the focus isn't starting on how much the middle school boundaries can shift east to fully take advantage of the new Timberland middle school. That should be our first step. Shifting school boundaries east - at least in the areas north of highway 26. It doesn't make any sense to create more of a hazard of the 185th/West Union/Hwy 26 junction by adding Rock Creek parents to try to drive to Five Oaks. Even if bussing is provided, it is not always a reasonable option, and the congestion on 185th southbound is so thick and slow that it is going to hinder attendance, increase tardiness, and decrease parent involvement. Not too mention, the reports of bullying and racism happening at Five Oaks is very scary for a parent and a child who have been planning to attend Stoller until this very boundary discussion began. It sounds like there is a vast lack of management of the fighting and bullying at Five Oaks. This concerns me greatly. Rock Creek should stay at Stoller. The freeway creates a natural border that is an impediment for many reasons. The schools that are closer to Timberland, such as those on the eastern side of the Stoller boundary, should shift east to allow schools like Springville and Rock Creek to stay at Stoller.Thank you for your time and consideration.
01/16/2020	Anil	Anilbhatec@gmail.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Stoller is closer middle school to all es in the north. Keeping a summa program in stoller benefits all the kids who will opt for the program which is 100 percent historically. Do not make hard working kids travel a longer time with uncomfortable bussing options.
01/16/2020	S Misra	shipanmis@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Please keep Summa program at Stoller. My son is going in Orange hall (Summa) in 6th grade in 2020-21. We are at walking route to Stoller. My older son also graduated from Stoller Summa. Stoller is a great MS. Including growing communities like Springville and Sato both in Stoller will again overcrowd Stoller in a few years. That is not a thoughtful soluble at all.
01/16/2020	ragesh puthenkovilakam	rageshp@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			The maps 8 and 9 with no summa program in stoller is a huge disservice to all the north bsd schools except findley. The kids from jacob wismer, sato, springville and rockcreek has to travel a huge distance to timberland at 6.30 AM with high school buses. Stoller has had great success with summa in the past. Changing it to a new school, bussing these kids with strange timings using high school time are all wasted tax payer money and a slap to kids to worked hard to qualify for the summa program. 2 summa programs-one for timberland/stoller are acceptable or keep summa intact at stoller.
01/17/2020	S M	Misrashikha@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Please note below:By keeping Springville and Sato together, Stoller is going to get crowded in a few years. The 2025 numbers show this.By using walkable kids and Summa students, you will be adding to transportation cost.Please keep JW and Summa in Stoller.

							Thank you for your hard work addressing this issue. As a parent looking at sending my eldest to middle school in the next couple of years, I find the discipline problems caused by overcrowding very scary, and very much want the overcrowding reduced. However, I think it is important that whatever solution the committee chooses respects a few key principles:1. Walkability/bikability is important. Yes, we get a lot of rain, but there are still many kids who walk. We are far enough from JW to get bus service, but my daughter still loves to walk and bike to school. We are looking forward to when she and her sisters can all walk together. Walking to school is not only fun, it reduces traffic problems and is good for the environment. For middle schoolers, it is also key to making after school activities accessible. 2. High-growth areas need to feed into different middle schools. In this case, Sato and Springville need to go to different middle schools, or Stoller will be overwhelmed again within a few years. It makes no sense at all just to punt this down the line five years. 3. Please do not fund buses for students by taking teachers away from our schools! Our schools already have enough trouble with funding. Please, please do not betray our students in this way.3. Keeping bus times low is important. Not only does busing kids around eat up budget money fast, it requires kids to wake up earlier and wastes time. I grew up on Skyline and participated in Lincoln High School's IB diploma program. My bus ride was more than an hour long each way. It wasn't impossible to get enough sleep, but it was tough. (In middle school I attended West Sylvan: similarly far away, and a tough commute.) For this reason, I support keeping SUMMA at Stoller so that kids have a shorter commute.4. Having schools easily accessible to parents increases volunteer participation. I am very active in my daughter's elementary school, and I intend to volunteer in her middle school as well. However, since I also have two smaller children, scheduling can be very hard. If I had to drive a longer distance through traffic to reach the school, it would severely reduce the time and scope of my volunteering, for purely logistical reasons. 5. It is important that kids attend a high school with other kids they know. Forcing adolescents to go through a high-stress transition with few familiar faces is cruel. For this reason, I ask you to make sure that Stoller contains significant populations that feed both Sunset and Westview, so that no sliver of students arrives in high school without many familiar faces.
01/16/2020	Shauna Rakshe	shauna.puhl@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				
01/16/2020	chandhni	chandhnik08@gmail.com					Summa at stoller has been a request from Rock creek, springville, jacob wismer, sato and findley. Looks like after all the comments/requests/discussion, committee has not listened to the the stoller community. Stoller is the closes middle school for ~300 summa kids. Bussing these kids is not encouraging excellence in academics. Hope BSD cares about kids exceeding and discard any option with summa out of stoller.
01/16/2020	Shirley Lam	350675@bsd48.org	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please do not shift the boundary for Oakridge Estates. The neighborhood is literally across the street from Stoller Middle School. Consider shifting the boundary for residents outside of the 1 mile radius, rather than displacing the students that are within walking distance of Stoller MS.
01/16/2020	Shirley Lam	350675@bsd48.org	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please do not shift the boundary for Oakridge Estates. The neighborhood is literally across the street from Stoller Middle School. Consider shifting the boundary for residents outside of the 1 mile radius, rather than displacing the students that are within walking distance of Stoller MS.

01/16/2020	Reese Wei	netflixsunsun@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Map 8 and Map 9 might not be the best solution, but I totally understand points behind it. With the ES combination in the new MS, we will have two high quality MS in the region. None of SPV/Sato/Findley/JW is a loser or winner. Travel time is longer for some Findley communities, and summa qualified JW kids, and hopefully, BSD can have enough funding for better school bus counts/routes. One standing problem is, if looking at the 2015 projection, the two plans can still cause overflow issue, the split SPV seems to be the only way to fix it.
01/16/2020	Lawrence Jiang	lawrencejiang2000@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I am always thinking the ground rule for the school boundary adjustment and one of the most important one should be walkability. 100 of total 280 Findley families within walking distance to Stoller should be considered as priority.
01/16/2020	Liana Le	Lianaisabelle@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please reconsider the maps. The two options currently on the table are almost identical. By keeping Springville and Sato together, Stoller is going to get over crowded in a few years and we will be back to the drawing board. I'm also concerned about the added transportation costs for the district. By busing walkable kids and Summa students you are adding unnecessary costs. I would rather see the budget utilized for teachers. Also, please consider the effects on traffic on the roads. My biggest concern is the feeder pattern. JW kids who move to Sunset would not know any familiar faces in high school. We are currently experiencing this with our high schooler and it is not an easy situation for a teenager to go through.
01/16/2020	Easwar Srinivasan	esriniv@gmail.com					We are residents of the Oakridge Estate community that is right across Stoller Middle School. We view Stoller MS as the neighborhood school where the kids in the neighborhood walk across Laidlaw. From several standpoints, it makes sense for students living in Oakridge Estates to be able to attend Stoller Middle School. Our son attended Stoller. Student viewpoint: For a student living across from Stoller, it is huge. Walking to school with friends makes some lifelong connections. Participating in after school activities when it is across the street is important to this community. An alternate school would require making additional commute arrangements. Parents viewpoint: Parents value the convenience of having children attend a neighborhood school that does not require busing or carpooling. Community viewpoint: There are so many community activities at the local school - this sense of belonging is lost when students from this neighborhood need to go to a school further away. Environment standpoint: Why bus students when students can walk to schools? With all the climate change concerns, this would be a step in the wrong direction.
01/16/2020	Sandy Lao	laosydhua@gmail.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS			Please do not remove summa program from stoller school. Summa needs experienced teachers and facilities which is going on very well in stoller. Kids attending summa also live close to stoller. Moving summa to timberland removes the convenience for these kids and with no proper bus options. Looks like the requirements of the north community are not represented well in the committee. Moving options schools which are part of the community to the other end of the district is disrespecting the community feel of these programs.

01/16/2020	Brett Palmquist	Brettpalmquist@gmail.com	Terra Linda Elem				I understand you are moving forward with maps 8 & 9. Please consider pulling Bauer Woods Estates (the little green rectangle cut out of the neighborhoods east of Saltzman) into the Bonny Slope boundary line. I understand why many years ago when this neighborhood was brimming with kids, it made sense to create more equity at Terra Linda. But the fact is there are very few kids in this neighborhood now, with most in private schools and at least 4 with exemptions to attend Bonny Slope (my son included). It is unlikely there are more than 15-20 kids from our neighborhood going to Terra Linda and pulling them even further away from their neighborhood to Meadow Park seems senseless. I ask that you consider rezoning NW Creekside and Hartford with their adjacent Streets into the Bonny Slope district. The kids are so few that the difference is negligible and the turnover rate so slow it's unlikely to make a real impact for Bonny Slope or Timberland for many years. Please take this into consideration. Thank you,Brett Palmquist
01/16/2020	Thulasi Alapakam	Thulasi.jp@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		As a JW parent I am worried about there will not be many familiar faces when my kids go to HS. Please request you to reconsider maps 3.
01/16/2020	Shannon Shoul	Sshoul@msn.com	Cedar Mill Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		GreetingsThanks for your work on the challenge of balancing school populations. As you consider The new middle school at Timberland, please take into consideration the Cedar Mill area and its strong cohesion as sense of place and community. As the new school is established, the community nature of the school will be important. We would like to see the school not divide a neighborhood, but service the area. With students being able to walk or commute easily, further developing their sense of place, we give them opportunity for further caring for and engaging in their community. Cedar Mill students have a long tradition of engaging in their community and while surrounding schools have carved off for newer, better facilities we have cherished and taken care of our building. Please know that our area has already and would continue to treat the new school located in our area with the same care and attentionThanks for your considerationShannon
01/16/2020	Shipra	Shipra.tandon@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please understand that putting Springville(where number is huge and still growing) into Stoller will NOT solve overcrowding problem and putting Findley where numbers is almost constant makes sense.
01/16/2020	Mengcheng Lu	nian00@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		We live in Oakridge Estate neighborhood, just across the street (Laidlaw Rd) from Stoller Middle school. My daughter is attending Stoller Middle School now. Right now she enjoys walk to and from school everyday. In my humble opinion, If Oakridge Estate is moved to the new Middle school, it's not only deviated from people's common sense, but ultimately an extra cost burden to the school district for providing bus, an extra cost to the student for spending extra time on bus--instead of using this time for school or extracurricular study; and an extra environment burden to the school district for extra bus service. I strongly vote Oakridge Estate stay in Stoller Middle School boundary, thanks very much for your consideration!
01/16/2020	Tanuja	tanujaa@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Based on Jan 16th and previous committee meetings, it is a no-brainer that maps that propose both Springville and Sato feed into Stoller will continue to cause capacity challenges in Stoller. We request you to not invest any more time and resources to talk about these maps. NO - to maps 5 through 9, and 11 that show Jacob Wismer as the only Sunset feeding school from Stoller and takes out SUMMA from stroller. We have to consider the high school relationship of kids and transportation costs. YES - to better and refine Test map 3, and 10 that offer a balanced HS representation at Stoller,are most cost effective and continue SUMMA at Stroller.

1/16/20	Jian	jianli1996@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	I'm living in Oakridge Estates Community. I think it's unfair to move our community out of Stoller Middle School boundary. We're are just cross street from Stoller. We want to stay and need to stay. My kids take advantage of living in walking distance from Stoller. They enjoy walking to school every morning, the fresh air wakes them up and clear their minds before class starts. It's also a very good daily exercise since they spend most of time indoors. After school, they can walk together with friends to Bethany library to do homework, and they can also join other activities at Bethany Village without parent providing the transportation. The middle-schoolers really appreciate these independent activities. It's unfair to take these benefits away from the kids in our neighborhood.Attending school closest to home is a common sense and always expected. Taking away the convenience from our kids and move them to a school miles away just doesn't make sense.
01/16/2020	Richard Shannon	richardshannon77@gmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem			Hi, I attended the meeting this evening at Highland Park school after only learning about the school boundary redefinition this morning. My family and I moved to Cedar Mill 2.5 years ago with the primary purpose of being in the Cedar Mill-Timberland-Sunset school district. We can walk to Timberland from our house. Having our kids go to our neighbourhood schools where we live, and being able to walk there, is very important to us. Schools often form the foundations of a community and certainly for the kids, it is important for them to be close to school and their schoolmates. Test plans 5 and 6 break the neighbourhoods north of hwy 26 up into discontinuous pieces and scatter them across schools that are further from their local school... this is completely unacceptable. This way all the pupils would need to be driven or get buses, to go further away - leading to longer times driving to/from school, more traffic, more pollution and higher cost for the school district. I'd rather BSD shaved off another \$1m from the bus fund and hire 10 more teachers. These proposals also erode the sense of community for the affected neighbourhoods.I couldn't believe one member of the panel saying that walking is a luxury?! What a ridiculous statement. In many countries outside of the US, walking is the norm, and in some cases the only option. In this case, the US could really learn from other cultures. I find it ridiculous that there are no sidewalks to get to Cedar Mill elementary. Who builds a neighbourhood without sidewalks?? I was happy to hear others speak up tonight and share my same feelings on this. BSD should be encouraging and helping pupils and families walk to school - it's good for the kids and good for the community. And it saves the district money!!I'm deeply concerned hearing tonight about elementary and middle schools being split, and pupils from one middle school going to 3 or even 4 different high schools. Why does each high school not have a set of complete middle schools that feed into it, and each middle school in turn have a set of complete elementary schools that feed into it? Why all the splitting? How is this good for the kids overall education experience? Why was it all designed this way??Also, I heard several times tonight that a middle school needs to have at least 800 pupils in order for it to be effective... why on earth is that the case? I never went to a school with that many pupils and I had an excellent education.Finally, it sounded like a lot of the concern is on Stoller and the growing population feeding into that school... why not just build an extension and hire more teachers? With all the housing and population growth there should be more housing taxes, or how about making the housing developers pay towards building/extending schools to accommodate the kids from all the new houses they are building?

							One thing that hasn't been discussed yet is LEGACY students. There is a collective fear across all schools of parents who have kiddos presently in 5th grade. Here is a real scenario that could happen...5th Grade 19/20 at there present Elementary School6th Grade 20/21 at Legacy Middle School7th Grade 21/22 at New Boundaried Middle School8th Grade 22/23 at New Boundaried Middle School9th Grade 23/24 at High SchoolThat is 4 different schools in 5 years time. Can we in all of this find a way to have any one who starts at their respective Middle School finish at their respective Middle School. To solve transportation issues - if the family chooses to keep their kiddo at the Legacy Middle School - they would be responsible for transporting their kid to and from the school. Rumor on the street is that this is how it was done for the High School Boundary changes a few years ago? (I ask that as a question, not make it as a statement)
01/16/2020	Eric Simantel	ericsimantel@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		
							Hello there! As we get into High School Feeder discussions from Middle School... those maps are gonna start to look wonky because the High School Boundaries are wonky. Montclair for example is a Southridge High School Feeder, but it literally is separated from its sister feeding Elementary Schools and is on an island by itself and cut off on the east side of the boundaries.I ask everyone to go to the BSD website http://apps.schoolsitelocator.com/?districtcode&#61;11711# and look at how the High School Boundaries look!
01/16/2020	Eric Simantel	eric.simantel@directorsmortgage.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		

FW: Middle school boundary adjustment

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Dear Mr. Sparks,

Please refer to the attached document in which we have provided several clarifications to points brought up during the January 9th meeting.

We hope that you and the members of the advisory committee will peruse them and work towards an equitable solution for ALL BSD students.

Thank you,
Regards,
Radha M

Mythbusters from Jan 9th AC Meeting Discussions



Objectives / Priority

- The objectives of the boundary change process are



Fill Timberland



Relieve Stoller.

These objectives can be met by removing the closest elementary schools from Stoller and feeding them into Timberland, WITHOUT causing widespread disruptions and overcrowding of other schools within BSD.

Commute Clarification #1: SPV to Five Oaks

- On Jan 9th, a committee member said that the commute between Aloha Huber to Five Oaks today is more than Springville to Five Oaks: **That is incorrect.**

Aloha Huber 3.5 Miles → Five Oaks

SPV N.Bethany

5.2 miles

Five Oaks



BSD should provide real bus routes and commute time estimates for the different options rather than opinions based on shortest distance from specific parents or committee members. Travel time from Springville to Five Oaks is not within neighborhood roads and includes some of the busiest intersections in BSD at US26

The path from SPV to Five Oaks includes a community college⁶⁸(PCC), two elementary schools(Springville and Rock Creek), a high school (Westview) and a busy fire station

Commute Clarification #2: Median Bus Route



- In the Jan 9th meeting, one of the committee members said that Springville to Five Oaks does not appear to be an unreasonable commute because BSD said that the median bus route is 5 miles/22 minutes : **That is incorrect and misleading**
 - Bus route is not the same as the shortest Google maps distance between two points
 - Buses have to pick up many children and drop them off from specific points : This will include a walk for the kids to the bus-stand, and multiple stops, more than doubling the commute times.
 - If the median distance includes routes for Options and Special Ed programs, then it is misleading.
 - Distance is not the same as time, especially when the route includes very busy roads and intersections

Median Bus Route should not be confused with shortest distance between Springville & Five Oaks : BSD should provide actual bus route information to make real comparisons

Commute info: Ramifications of a Long time on Bus



- If Springville feeds into Five Oaks, the commute time for the kids will be between 45min-1hr (one-way).
- It will lead to **reduced time** for Extracurricular activities, Homeworks and Family time
- “Each additional minute of commuting is associated with a 1.3-minute reduction in sleep. To put that in perspective, if one student had a 10-minute commute, and a second had a 30- minute commute, the second student would get an average of 26 minutes less sleep.” (Source: Journal of Planning Education and Research, Volume: 39 issue: 2)
- Imagine the effects of a much longer commute!

Unreasonable long commutes lead to negative impact on academic, physical, emotional and social wellness of kids



Commute info: Increased bullying for kids

- Research reveals that significant amount of Bullying occurs during the trips to and from school (Ph.D. thesis can be provided as a reference)
- Increased commute time to and from school also leads to increased screen time, which in turn leads to increased social media related bullying

Unreasonable long commutes lead to increased bullying on the bus, leading to disastrous effects

Capacity Clarification #1: 2021 Goal 90%

90%

- BSD has clarified that 90% target is for 2021 and they have enough means to support future growth in 2025.

Excerpts

4. *Does the 90% enrollment target for Stoller MS provide adequate buffer for new growth in the North Bethany area?*

The North Bethany area is largely built out. There are areas that have yet to be developed, but not to the scale that has taken place in the past 3-5 years. These new neighborhoods will continue to mature over the next 10-12 years. Based on our and PSU projections, the Board Objective of approximately 90% student enrollment will be sufficient.

Capacity Clarification #1: 2021 Goal 90% (contd.)

90%

Excerpts

5. Why did the Board adopt an objective placing enrollment of Stoller MS at approximately 90%?

The Board identified approximately 90% enrollment of the building capacity of Stoller MS in order to reduce student enrollment to a size comparable to other middle schools and to allow for student enrollment increases that are projected to occur over the next several years. Increased student enrollment is associated with the recent and future residential development in the North Bethany area.

6. When is the 90% enrollment at Stoller MS supposed to be achieved?

The objective of a student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS is to be reached in September 2021. September 2021 is the first year of the new middle school boundaries.

Capacity Clarification #2: Need to use portables

90%

- The objective is 90% of Permanent Capacity in 2021
- To meet future demand in an area without equitable access to middle schools, some use of portables absolutely needs to be on the table
 - Multiple elementary schools continue to have Portables - Stoller shouldn't be special especially with the lack of middle schools in the area
 - Portables cost money to remove : BSD should not remove portables in an area that is growing.
 - Imagine the uproar if kids are sent far away from their home school with adverse effect to the kids because BSD did not want to use the total capacity

2021 Goals of 90% of Permanent Capacity at Stoller while achieving objective #1: **filling Timberland** can be met with Springville, Sato and Jacob Wismer in Stoller

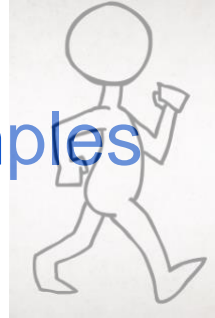
Walkability Clarification #1



- Walkability is a worthy goal but it is currently not provided to most middle schoolers
 - 1.5 Miles is considered walkable by BSD, but most of those kids are dropped off
 - In the hilly bethany terrain, this is more than a 30 minute walk assuming weather cooperates, East JW has 4% grade roads and is very hard for kids to walk up.
 - Only the community right across the road from Stoller may need to either be moved to Jacob Wismer, or become a split feeder into Stoller.
- Walkability for a few should not result in commute hardship for a lot of kids
 - Don't prioritize walkability for 50+kids at the expense of increasing commute for 500+ kids by over 2.5 times
 - We should not have any kid in a bus for a super long time just so someone else can avoid a bus when the average person has a reasonable commute to school

Deemed walkability should not be given priority over equity

Walkability info: Equity over Walkability BSD Examples



- In a recent elementary school boundary adjustment, an area walkable to Elmonica ES was moved to Beaver Acres ES to relieve overcrowding
- North Bethany Ridge apartments can walk to Springville but get bussed to Sato
- Thompson woods neighborhood is 0.5 miles from Findley, walkable, but they are bussed to Bonny Slope to avoid overcrowding in Findley
- Pirate park neighborhood is walkable to Springville, but they are bussed to Sato

To relieve overcrowding, BSD has deprioritized walkability for the greater good

Rachel Carson: Fact check



Few committee members talked about pushing Rachel Carson out of Five oaks to TRY TO Force Fit Springville in there.

- It is a specific program with specific on-site requirements:
 - The latest renovation for Rachel Carson investments in Five Oaks will lead to all tax dollars being wasted, if it is moved out of Five Oaks
 - Unlike SUMMA, Rachel Carson needs certain garden space and investments and walkability to the food bank
- It has been running in Five Oaks since 2004.
 - Today, it is in it's 16th year and a lot of money, time and combined effort of BSD and local community has made it it what it is today.

Moving Rachel Carson out of Five Oaks is extremely disruptive. The entire infrastructure will need to be uprooted and ⁷⁷it does not serve any worthy purpose.

Rachel Carson: community opinion



- Any suggestions to move Rachel Carson out of Five Oaks must be given appropriate thought, especially considering the effort, time and money that community and BSD has put in to build the program's infrastructure over 16 years.
- Any haste in tossing the program out of five oaks is disservice to the kids in the program and the program itself.
- Moving Rachel Carson should not be done just to further the agenda of those who are not affiliated with the program.

FW: A solution to middle school boundary

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Mr Sparks (& Boundary Committee),

You have an unenviable task with the middle school boundary and I am glad I am not in your shoes! I was at the last committee meeting where it was decided to use the staff maps as a starting point and try to re-balance them to prevent split feeding as much as possible. I have a solution that is **close** to meeting your needs.

To arrive at this solution, I used three inputs:

1. students from each school zone boundary
2. distances between each middle schools and each elementary schools(using google maps driving distance).
3. Permanent capacity of each middle school

For the number of students, I took the numbers from the table provided and took 85% as the population as the option school population accounts for 15% total. For the distance inputs, there are 34 elementary schools and 9 middle schools, so the distance between all of them (34 elementary schools * 9 middle schools) results in 304 pair wise distances.

Using the inputs above and the algorithm that I provide below and few minor tweaks to the algorithm output, we get the following middle school allocation shown below. I understand that some of the assumptions on the distance are not fair, nor are option school students evenly distributed. I have not even taken walkability into consideration. So, I am also making my program available for you, committee members, and public to tweak the input and rerun to get desired results.

The algorithm to perform this can be run in a browser and can be found here: [Google Colaboratory](#).

Please let me know if I can be of help! Happy to help to prevent splitting elementary schools during this process.
Thanks,
Suresh



Google Colaboratory

FW: BSD Boundary Adjustment - Staff Feeder Map

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Subject: BSD Boundary Adjustment - Staff Feeder Map

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Dear Sparks,

I am attending all the meetings and actively listening to all the discussions happening among Committee Member during these meetings.


Few points:

1. Dec 19th Meeting: After all the discussions, Committee requested to BSD for Staff Feeder Map and Utilization of Capacity Map.

2. Jan 9th Meeting: BSD provided these Staff Feeder and Utilization of Capacity Maps. There were also other 4 Maps and all of those 4 Maps were discarded by Committee Members after the discussion. Majority (except for 1 or 2) of the Committee Members supported both the Staff Maps (Feeder and Utilization of Capacity) to be proceeded with for the next round of discussion in future meetings.

I did some Fact check and Litmus test of the "Staff Feeder Map" and attaching the result. Please share this to all the Committee Members.

Thanks and Regards,
Sandeep Kumar



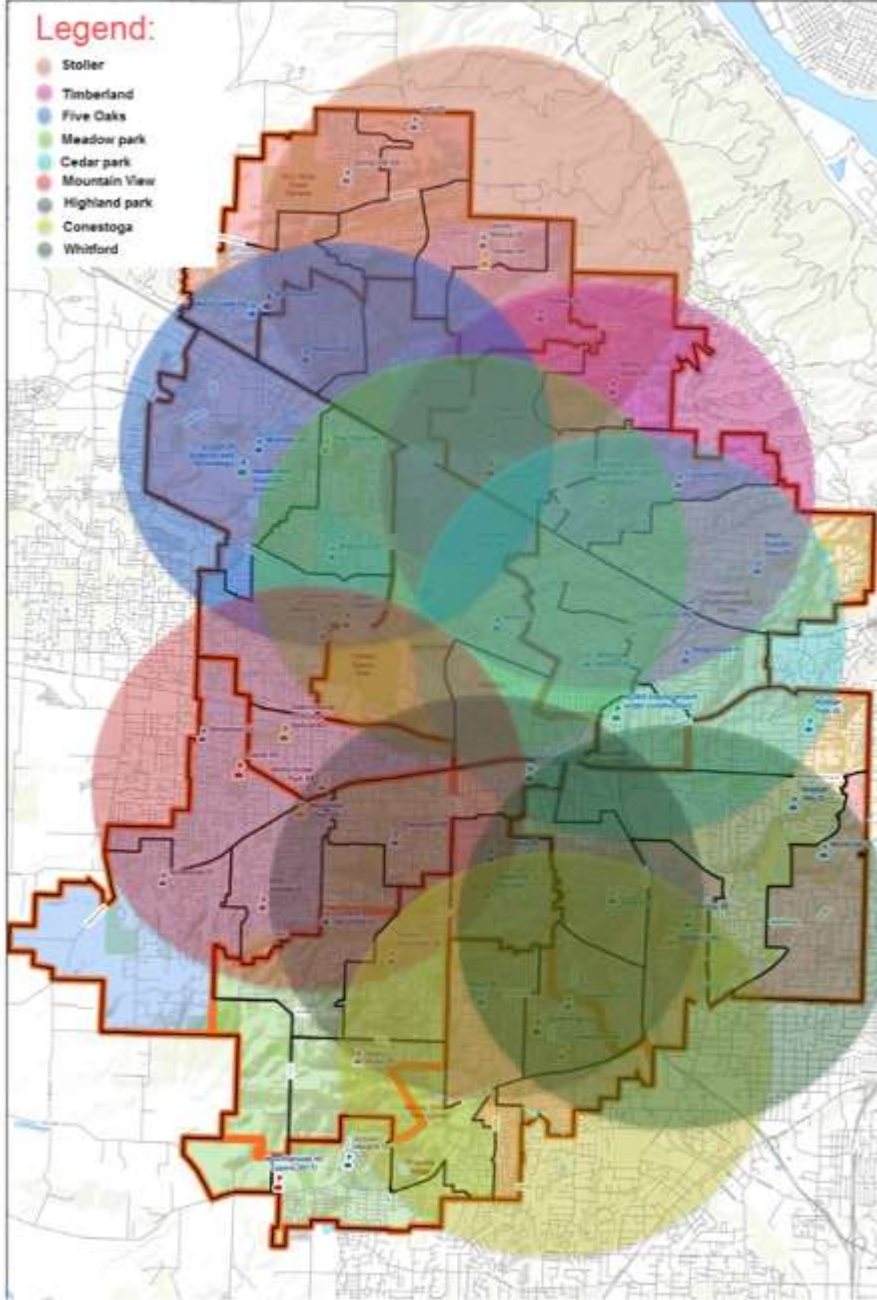
BSD MIDDLE SCHOOL BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT POINT OF VIEW



Key Considerations to Meet the BSD JC Objectives

- Localize the overcrowding issue in North BSD by re-drawing North school boundaries
- Disruptive to existing communities
 - Self contain the issues to the localized geographical location – Try to solve it without re-drawing or impacting communities in the south to solve the North BSD school overcrowding issue
- Do not overcrowd other MS due to the boundary adjustment at one MS
 - It is important that while solving overcrowding problem at one Middle School, the same problem must not be created/transferred to other neighborhood MS. E.g. Committee Test Map #2 and #3 while solving the overcrowding at Stoller, creates the same problem at Five Oaks
- Optimize the commute distance for all BSD kids
 - Walkability is Privilege as it is not available to all the BSD Kids due to the location of MS Building as selected by BSD. Few Kids get this Privilege and many kids are have no access to it
 - It is important to consider that Walkability is then not an Equitable Factor due to it's select availability and hence must not be given Priority over other Equitable Factors like Commute Time

June 27, 2019



BSD Boundaries Map showcasing accessibility of various communities

What is this map about?

- “3 Mile” radius from each middle school in BSD
- Each Circle is centered by the Middle school highlighting the 3 mile radius from MS
- This map shows geographical coverage of each MS to various communities
- Gives a view of how many middle schools are accessible to each community
- For example,
 - *“If there are two overlapping circles then it indicates two middle schools are accessible within the 3 mile radius for that given community”*

Key Perspectives that can be derived from the map:

- Springville is covered only by 1 MS
- Findley community south of Bronson Creek is covered by 2 MS [Stoller, Timberland]
- South west part of Findley community is covered by 3 MS [Stoller, Timberland, Five Oaks]
- South part of SATO is covered by 2 MS and North part of SATO covered by 1 MS
- South part of Jacob Wismar is covered by 2 MS
- Pushing overcrowding problem to the south is not an option because the south west communities of BSD as it is, are mostly served by one MS



FACT CHECK

Statement: “Springville and Sato cannot be at Stoller together and yet achieve Objective#2:”projected student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS”.

Fact Check:

- Refer BSD FAQs for December 2019, which clearly stated the 90% Objective is for 2021 only.

5. Why did the Board adopt an objective placing enrollment of Stoller MS at approximately 90%?

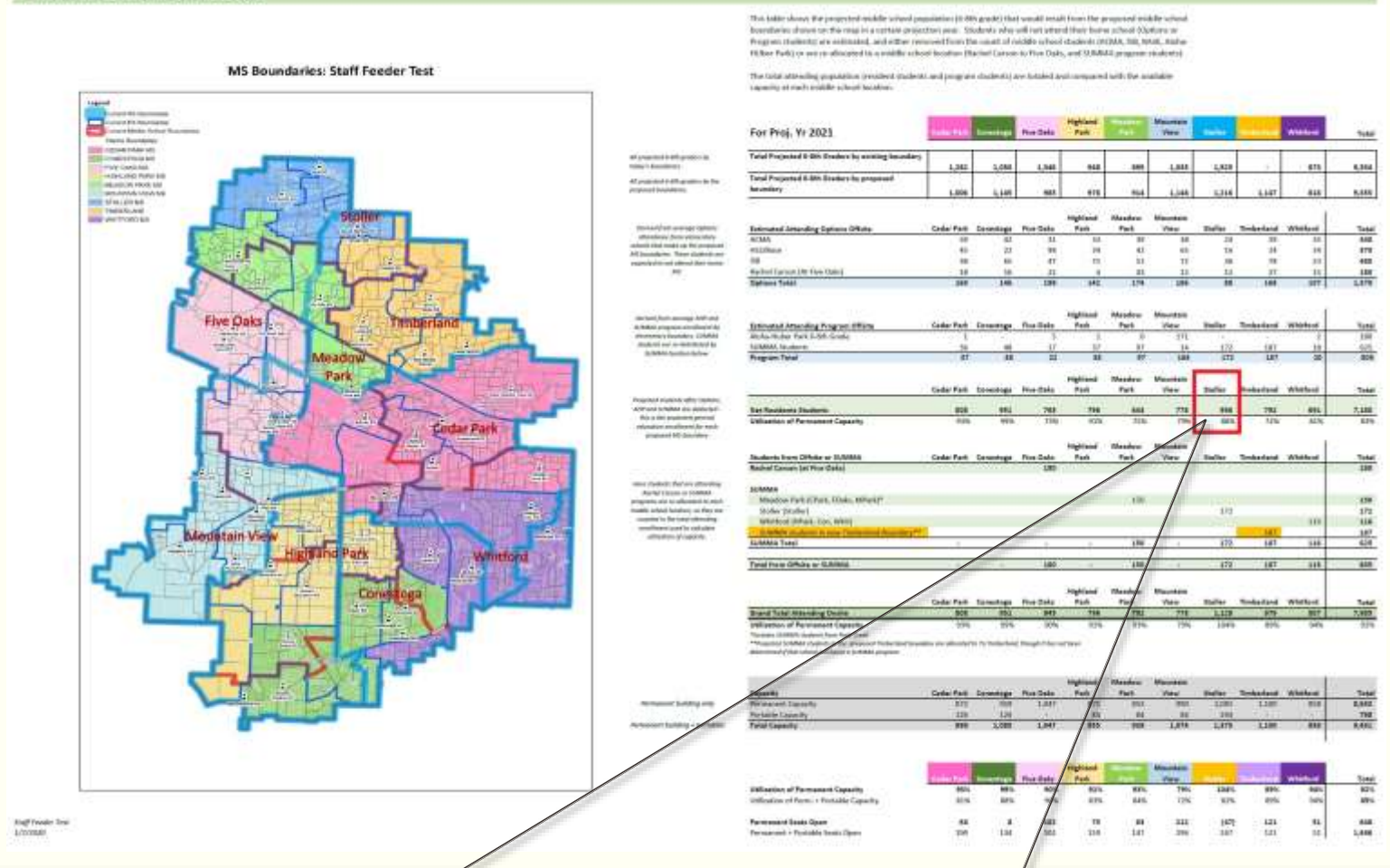
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6. When is the 90% enrollment at Stoller MS supposed to be achieved?

The objective of a student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS is to be reached in September 2021. September 2021 is the first year of the new middle school boundaries.

- Refer BSD Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns for 2021 (attached on the right), it has Springville, Sato and JW feeding to Stoller.
- All Committee Members widely supported the idea of moving Option Program like SUMMA before regular Elementary Schools
- Refer to the number excluding SUMMA, It is at 88% and hence met the Objective.

Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns : 2021



Conclusion:

Springville, Sato and JW can feed to Stoller and the BSD Objective of “90% of the Permanent Capacity of Stoller MS” is still achieved by moving SUMMA Option Program from Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns which is supported by majority of Advisory Committee Members during January 9th Meeting

Statement:

“2025 Projected Data can be used and made an important factor to be considered to solve Overcrowding at Stoller”

Fact Check:

- Refer BSD FAQs #6 for December 2019, which clearly stated the 90% Objective is for 2021 only.

6. When is the 90% enrollment at Stoller MS supposed to be achieved?

The objective of a student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS is to be reached in September 2021. September 2021 is the first year of the new middle school boundaries.

- Refer BSD FAQs #5 for December 2019, which clearly stated 90% Objective in 2021 is Set “to allow for student enrollment increases that are projected to occur over the next several years.”

5. Why did the Board adopt an objective placing enrollment of Stoller MS at approximately 90%?

The Board identified approximately 90% enrollment of the building capacity of Stoller MS in order to reduce student enrollment to a size comparable to other middle schools and to allow for student enrollment increases that are projected to occur over the next several years. Increased student enrollment is associated with the recent and future residential development in the North Bethany area.

Conclusion:

As clearly stated by BSD, the BSD Board adopted the objective of 90% of the Permanent Capacity of Stoller MS in 2021 to allow for student enrollment increases that are projected to occur over the next several years and hence 2025 Projected Data must not be given priority or made an importance factor to be considered over 2021 or other Data.



Few Pointers for the BSD Committee's consideration

Litmus Test for Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns (minus SUMMA at Stoller)

Does Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns meet all the Objectives?

School Board Objectives for the Boundary Adjustment

1. Create an attendance boundary for the Timberland-area middle school that provides a projected student population sufficient for comprehensive middle school programming
 1. Timberland is at 89%, very much meeting the Objective
2. Adjust the attendance boundary for Stoller MS to provide a projected student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS
 1. Stoller is at 104% (including SUMMA at Stoller) and at 88% (minus SUMMA at Stoller) of Permanent Capacity
 2. So Minus SUMMA, Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns Meets the JC objective of 90% permanent capacity to Stoller and allows space for future growth.
3. Review and adjust the attendance boundaries of other middle schools, as needed, to accommodate the new Timberland-area middle school boundary
 1. Most Committee Members and Public Comments/testimony asked for Minimal Split and “Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns” was created by BSD on the request of the Committee and keeping this in mind
4. If warranted, study and recommend minor adjustments to elementary and/or high school attendance boundaries in order to reconcile split feeder patterns or otherwise improve the alignment of attendance boundaries between all school levels
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Litmus Test for Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns (minus SUMMA at Stoller)

Does Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns meet all the Policy JC Factors?

School Board Policy Factors for the Boundary Adjustment

1. Student Body Composition:

1. Data provided for Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns clearly indicates that Student Body Composition is either not changed or minimal changed at all MS

2. Current & Future space availability

1. Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns (minus SUMMA at Stoller) Meets the JC objective of 90% permanent capacity to Stoller and allows space for future growth.

3. Feeder patterns from Elementary, Middle and High School

1. Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns was created by BSD Staff on the request of Advisory Committee Members and it is now favored by majority members, so there is already a Solution/Start Map to be use for future meetings.

4. Neighborhood proximity and accessibility

1. Walkability: In the recent Elmonica Elementary School Boundary Adjustment Process, both the Advisory Committee and Superintendent proceeded to move the Walkable Zone to other School (Beaver Acres) where it becomes a Bus Zone, See excerpt here from Page#13:

Neighborhood proximity and accessibility

The primary concern for this factor is the area of Elmonica (Area B) that will be transferred to Beaver Acres. This area is within walking distance of Elmonica and was recently designated a Non-Transportation Zone. The proposed change will necessitate resuming bus transportation for students in order for them to attend Beaver Acres. When possible, the District prefers that students are able to walk to school, but in this case, that desire is subordinate to the need to ameliorate overcrowding at Elmonica.

2. Change to current commute time for all elementary schools are within acceptable limit

Summary and Conclusion

Majority Committee Members supported:

1. the idea of moving Option Program before regular Elementary Schools
2. the Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns during January 9th Meeting as most acceptable Solution

Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns (minus SUMMA at Stoller) must be considered and discussed in full length and details before even considering any other Maps as it meets the BSD Objective and Policy JC of this Middle School Boundary Adjustment Process



FW: Middle School Boundary Change - Jan 14, 2020 Proposal by Jacob Wismer Elementary School

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Dear Superintendent Grotting and LRP Executive Administrator Mr. Sparks,

We, Jacob Wismer PTO would like to present and submit a proposed map created by Jacob Wismer parents.

The Jan 9th Advisory Committee Meeting ended with a consensus to bring back “Staff Feeder Test” and “Staff Test Map Utilization of Capacity” test maps. The Jacob Wismer community felt that the Test Map 3 was a great starting point for this boundary adjustment exercise. We would like to introduce a Modified Test Map 3 that is inspired by Test Map 3. We believe that our map achieves the district objectives while keeping the policy factors in mind. Salient features of our proposed map are:

1. Increases walkability to Stoller MS while not adversely impacting the commute times to other schools in the district, thus making it the most cost-effective solution for Stoller overcrowding problem.
2. Continues to maintain the well-established and thriving SUMMA program at Stoller. A significant portion of existing SUMMA population also come within walking boundaries of Stoller MS, avoiding the counter-productive need for transportation for these children.
3. Offers a good balance/overlap between Stoller students feeding into both Sunset and Westview High Schools.
4. Brings into Stoller- Sato (growing), Jacob Wismer (flat), and Findley (declining) elementary schools leading to stable utilization numbers both in 2021/2025 and beyond- a Stoller scenario better than any of the other proposals on the table.

We urge the Advisory Committee Members and Beaverton School District to take this proposal into serious consideration at the upcoming Committee Meeting, and drive to build on the submitted map. Please find the full proposal attached.

Best regards,

Jacob Wismer PTO

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Middle School Boundary Adjustment – Proposal by Jacob Wismer Elementary School January 14, 2020

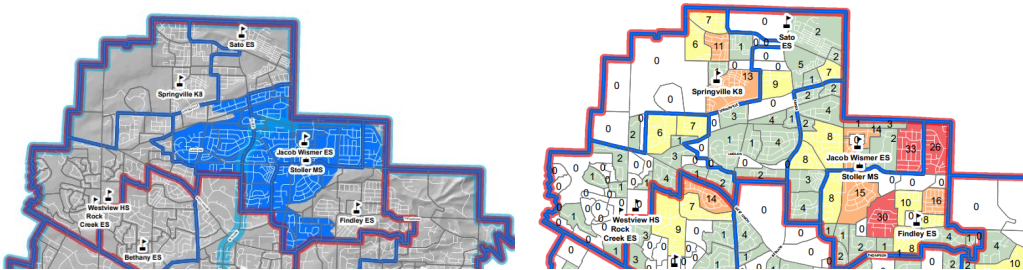
Dear Superintendent Grotting and LRP Executive Administrator Mr. Sparks,

The Jan 9th Advisory Committee Meeting ended with a consensus to bring back “*Staff Feeder Test*” and “*Staff Test Map Utilization of Capacity*” test maps. The Jacob Wismer community felt the Test Map 3 was a great starting point for this boundary adjustment exercise, however this map never got discussed.

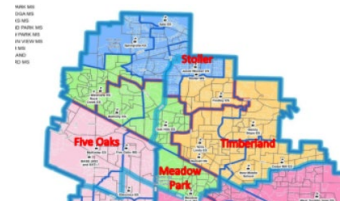
We would like to introduce a **Modified Test Map 3** (that is inspired by Test Map 3 from Jan 9) to help address several key objectives [<link>](#) that the District set out to solve, while keeping in mind the Policy Factors [<link>](#) such as neighborhood proximity and accessibility, feeder patterns from elementary/middle/high school, current and future availability of space and student body composition - all important considerations that make this a non-trivial task.

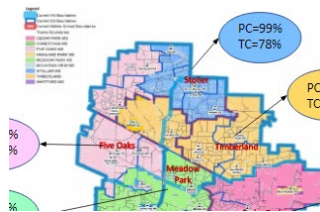
Why Modified Test Map 3 works:

1. **Walkability:** Stoller Middle School is centrally located within the Jacob Wismer Community and directly across the street from Jacob Wismer elementary school. Based on the walking maps provided by the District, almost the entire Jacob Wismer community falls within the walkable area to Stoller. Additionally a sizeable portion of students from Findley and Sato Elementary schools also fall within this boundary as shown in the [walking](#) map; leading to approximately 65-67% of current enrollment at Stoller falling within walking boundaries. No students from Springville fall into this category. In addition to this, a significant portion of existing [SUMMA](#) population also come within walking boundaries of Stoller MS, making it meaningless and counter-productive to move ALL the SUMMA kids to a different school, especially given the program is well established and thriving at Stoller. More new biking paths and trails are being added to increase the walkability to neighborhood schools. We expect more students to use these resources and walk or bike to schools. The JW monthly “walking school bus” attracts children and chaperones (parent volunteers and teachers) in significant numbers and builds not only community unity but also awareness about the environment.



2. **Feeder Patterns to High Schools:** When high schools aggregate students from a middle school it helps kids to have a decent number of familiar faces. In the Staff maps in scenarios A & B [See Table, Page 2] Jacob Wismer students feeding to Stoller are the only ones feeding into Sunset High School.





The Modified Test Map 3 on the other hand offers a good balance/overlap between Stoller students feeding into both Sunset (Findley + Jacob Wismer) and Westview (Sato + Jacob Wismer) High Schools.

3. **Capacity Utilization:** Table 1 below summarizes the 3 scenarios and their impact on the Stoller capacity: **A) Staff Feeder Test Map** leaves Stoller way over capacity in 2021, let alone in 2025; primarily driven by trying to accommodate two large growing communities (Springville, Sato). **B) Staff Test Map Utilization of Capacity** aims to optimize numbers at the cost of hacking school boundaries across the district. Even in this scenario, the permanent capacity utilization jumps sharply in 2025 from 88% to 114% -that's a period of 4 years that Stoller goes back to being 'overcrowded' if not growing further, and we circle back to where we currently stand today. This is validation that 2 large growing communities cannot be accommodated into a single middle school like Stoller. This fact has been noted and pointed out by several committee members till date. **C) Modified Test Map 3** builds off the original Test Map 3 that brings in Sato (growing) with Jacob Wismer (flat) and Findley (declining) that leads to stable utilization numbers both in 2021/2025 and is not a short-term solution as scenarios A & B. This scenario not only retains said elementary schools in their entirety, but further maintains existing SUMMA at Stoller Middle School.

Table 1	A) Staff Feeder Map	B) Staff Test Map Utilization of Capacity	C) Modified Test Map 3
Elementary Schools included	Springville, Sato, JW SUMMA (Existing - Findley)	Springville, North Sato JW SUMMA (Existing - Findley)	Sato, JW SUMMA (Existing) Findley
Grand total Attending ONSITE in 2021 / 2025	1128 / 1403	952 / 1233	1072 / 1139
PERMANENT CAPACITY	1081	1081	1081
Utilization of Permanent Capacity 2021 / 2025	104% / 130%	88% / 114%	99% / 105%
TOTAL CAPACITY	1375	1375	1375
Utilization of Total Capacity 2021 / 2025	82% / 102%	69% / 90%	78% / 83%

Looking more broadly across the District, in Appendix C & D, **Modified Test Map 3** aims to drive overcrowding down at Five Oaks Middle School from 121% to 101% in 2021 and even further in 2025, eliminates an island school by moving Bethany ES to Timberland MS (time/distance neutral), moving south Elmonica to Meadow Park (time/distance neutral) and so on to drive towards better utilization numbers. We believe that our proposed modified map 3 presents a more viable long-term solution as compared to the other maps in consideration, and with some fine tuning should easily help achieve the district's goals.

4. **Cost Savings & Preserving Neighborhood Communities:** Tax-payer dollars need to be utilized prudently to drive academic excellence across BSD and should not be wasted on expenses that can be avoided. By maintaining neighborhood schools, we do not have to add investments in new buses, and help the environment along the way. Reduced vehicles on the road help with neighborhood traffic and safety in general. The Stoller neighborhood already faces a traffic bottleneck with buses and cars from North Bethany choking NW Laidlaw during school start and close hours.

We urge the Advisory Committee Members and Beaverton School District to take this proposal into serious consideration at the upcoming Committee Meeting, and drive to build on the submitted map.

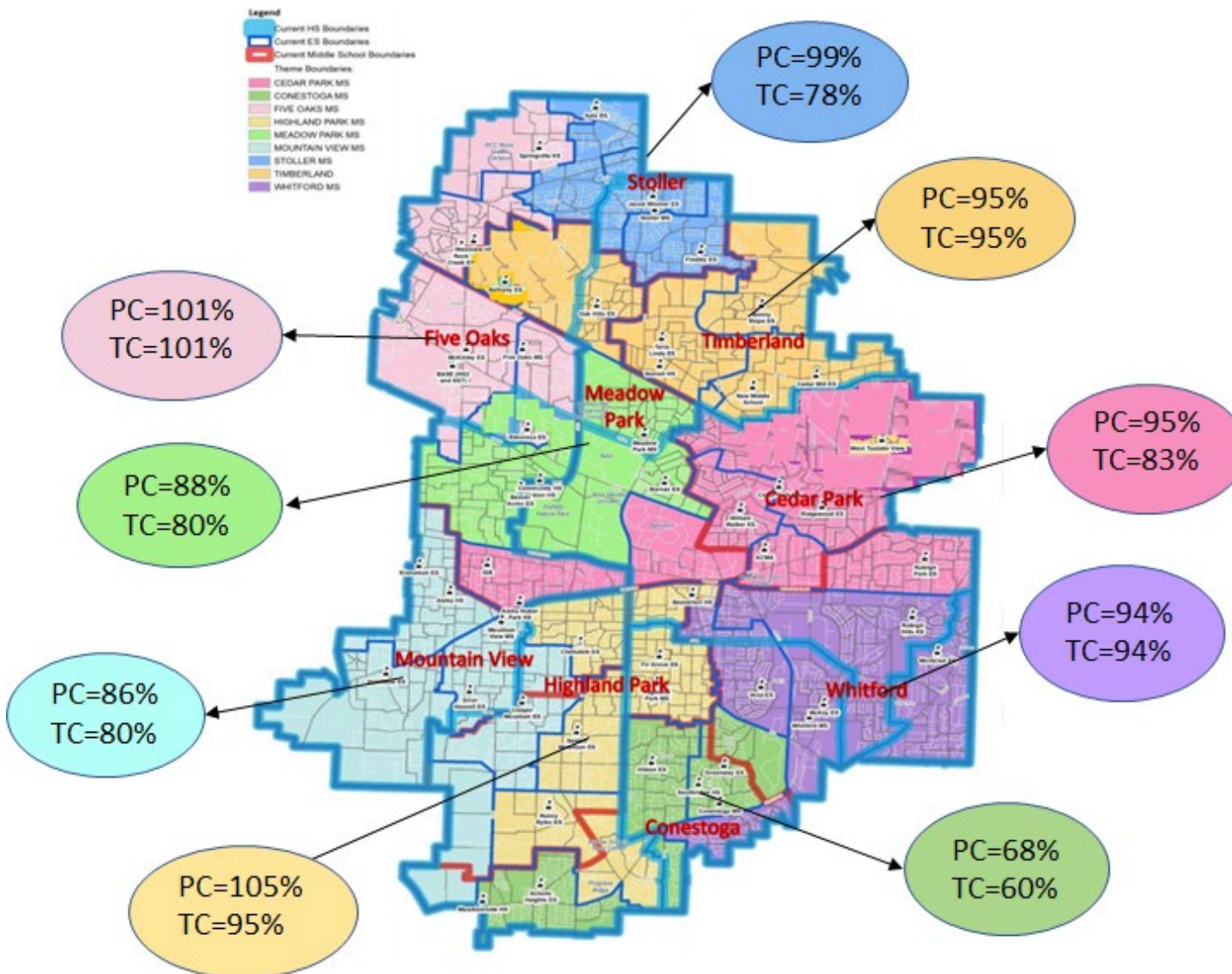
Thank you.

Best Regards,
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Appendix A: Modified Test Map 3 (Jacob Wismer Parent Body Proposal) - 2021



Proposed changes to committee Test Map 3 - 2021

- Move West Tualatin View ES (171) from Timberland MS to Cedar Park MS
- Move Bethany ES (249) from Meadow Park MS to Timberland MS
- Move South El Monica ES (210) from Five Oaks MS to Meadow Park MS
- Move Rachel Carson (188) from Five Oaks MS to Cedar Park MS

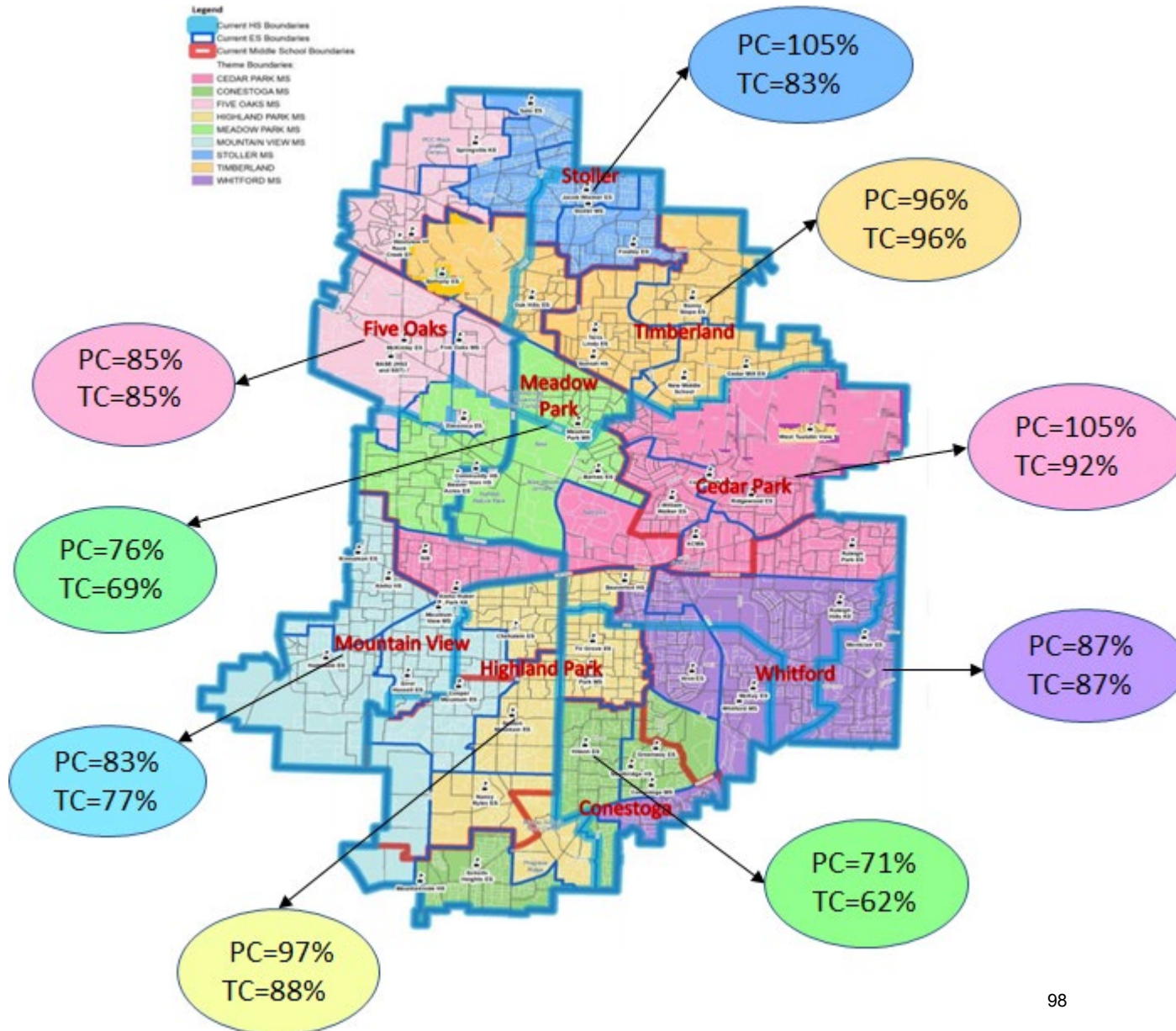
Benefits From Changes:

- Reduces overcrowding in Five Oaks from 121% to 101% in 2021
- Drives higher utilization of Timberland
- Eliminated Bethany ES as an island with neutral time/distance impact.

PC = Permanent Capacity

TC = Total Capacity including portables

Appendix B: Modified Test Map 3 (Jacob Wismer Parent Body Proposal) - 2025



Proposed changes to committee Test Map 3 - 2025

- Move West Tualatin View ES (157) from Timberland MS to Cedar Park MS
- Move Bethany ES (237) from Meadow Park MS to Timberland MS
- Move South El Monica ES (256) from Five Oaks MS to Meadow Park MS
- Move Rachel Carson (188) from Five Oaks MS to Cedar Park MS

Benefits From Changes:

- Reduces overcrowding in Five Oaks from 122% to 85% in 2025
- Drives higher utilization of Timberland
- Eliminated Bethany ES as an island with neutral time/distance impact.

PC = Permanent Capacity

TC = Total Capacity including portables

Appendix C: Utilization For Committee Test Map3 and Modified Test Map 3 (Proposal)

		Cedar Park	Conestoga	Five Oaks	Highland Park	Meadow Park	Mountain View	Stoller	Timberland	Whitford	Total
	Permanent Capacity	872	959	1047	871	855	990	1081	1100	858	8633
	Portable Capacity	126	126	0	84	84	84	294	0	0	798
	Total Capacity	998	1085	1047	955	939	1074	1375	1100	858	9431
	90% Target	785	863	942	784	770	891	973	990	772	

Committee Test Map 3 - Data Provided by BSD <MS_Test_Maps_3&4_for_010920_Meeting.pdf>											
2021	Grand Total Attending Onsite	659	656	1268	912	794	854	1072	963	807	7985
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	76%	68%	121%	105%	93%	86%	99%	88%	94%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	66%	60%	121%	95%	85%	80%	78%	88%	94%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-213	-303	221	41	-61	-136	-9	-137	-51	
	Total Cap Over By	-339	-429	221	-43	-145	-220	-303	-137	-51	
2025	Grand Total Attending Onsite	570	677	1279	845	693	823	1139	979	747	7752
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	65%	71%	122%	97%	81%	83%	105%	89%	87%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	57%	62%	122%	88%	74%	77%	83%	89%	87%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-302	-282	232	-26	-162	-167	58	-121	-111	
	Total Cap Over By	-428	-408	232	-110	-246	-251	-236	-121	-111	

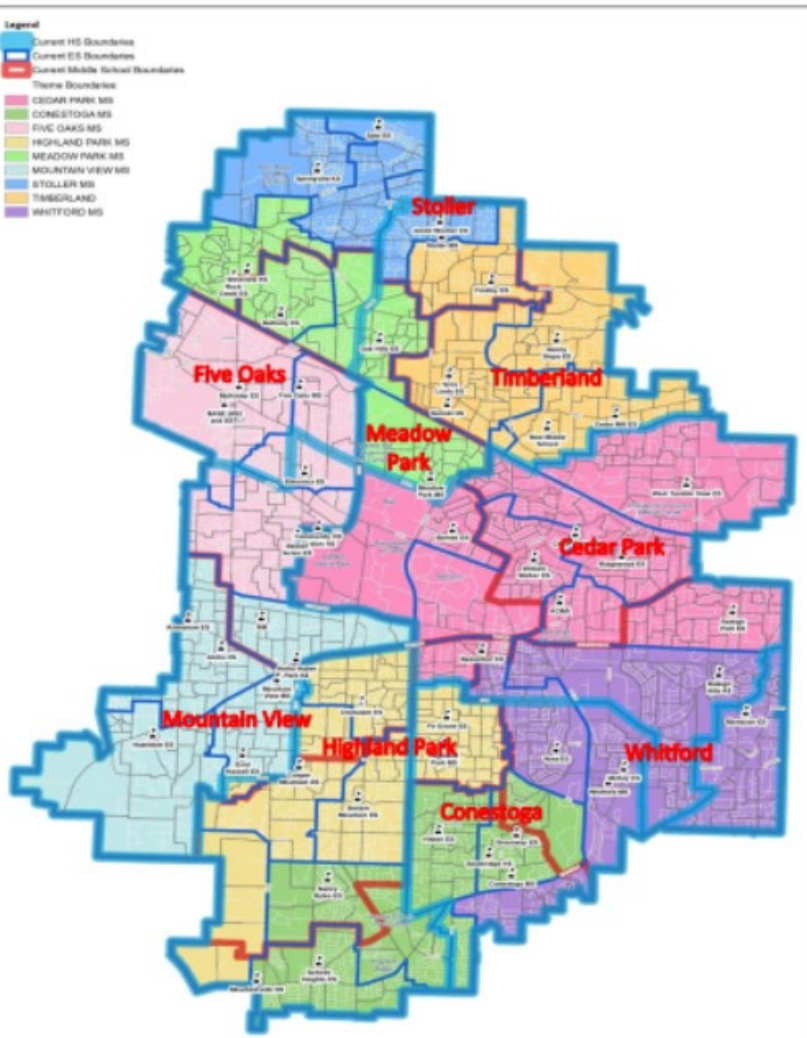
Modified Committee Test Map 3 - Adjustments made as described in Appendix A, B to Test Map 3 <MS_Test_Maps_3&4_for_010920_Meeting.pdf>											
2021	Grand Total Attending Onsite	830	656	1058	912	755	854	1072	1041	807	7985
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	95%	68%	101%	105%	88%	86%	99%	95%	94%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	83%	60%	101%	95%	80%	80%	78%	95%	94%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-42	-303	11	41	-100	-136	-9	-59	-51	
	Total Cap Over By	-168	-429	11	-43	-184	-220	-303	-59	-51	
2025	Grand Total Attending Onsite	915	677	895	845	652	823	1139	1059	747	7752
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	105%	71%	85%	97%	76%	83%	105%	96%	87%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	92%	62%	85%	88%	69%	77%	83%	96%	87%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	43	-282	-152	-26	-203	-167	58	-41	-111	
	Total Cap Over By	-83	-408	-152	-110	-287	-251	-236	-41	-111	

Appendix D: Utilization For Staff Feeder Map & Staff Utilization of Capacity Map

		Cedar Park	Conestoga	Five Oaks	Highland Park	Meadow Park	Mountain View	Stoller	Timberland	Whitford	Total
	Permanent Capacity	872	959	1047	871	855	990	1081	1100	858	8633
	Portable Capacity	126	126	0	84	84	84	294	0	0	798
	Total Capacity	998	1085	1047	955	939	1074	1375	1100	858	9431
	90% Target	785	863	942	784	770	891	973	990	772	
Staff Test Map Feeder Patterns - Data Provided by BSD <MS_Test_Maps_for_010920_Meeting.pdf>											
2021	Grand Total Attending Onsite	808	951	945	796	792	778	1128	979	807	7984
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	93%	99%	90%	91%	93%	79%	104%	89%	94%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	81%	88%	90%	83%	84%	72%	82%	89%	94%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-64	-8	-102	-75	-63	-212	47	-121	-51	
	Total Cap Over By	-190	-134	-102	-159	-147	-296	-247	-121	-51	
2025	Grand Total Attending Onsite	756	964	812	775	713	658	1403	922	747	7750
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	87%	101%	78%	89%	83%	66%	130%	84%	87%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	76%	89%	78%	81%	76%	61%	102%	84%	87%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-116	5	-235	-96	-142	-332	322	-178	-111	
	Total Cap Over By	-242	-121	-235	-180	-226	-416	28	-178	-111	
Staff Utilization of Capacity - Data Provided by BSD <MS_Test_Maps_for_010920_Meeting.pdf>											
2021	Grand Total Attending Onsite	725	895	976	918	842	875	952	972	830	7985
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	83%	93%	93%	105%	98%	88%	88%	88%	97%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	73%	82%	93%	96%	90%	81%	69%	88%	97%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-147	-64	-71	47	-13	-115	-129	-128	-28	
	Total Cap Over By	-273	-190	-71	-37	-97	-199	-423	-128	-28	
2025	Grand Total Attending Onsite	679	935	849	860	783	724	1233	915	776	7754
	Utilization of Perm Capacity	78%	97%	81%	99%	92%	73%	114%	83%	90%	
	Utilization of Total Capacity	68%	86%	81%	90%	83%	67%	90%	83%	90%	
	Permanent Cap Over By	-193	-24	-198	-11	-72	-266	152	-185	-82	
	Total Cap Over By	-319	-150	-198	-95	-156	-350	-142	-185	-82	

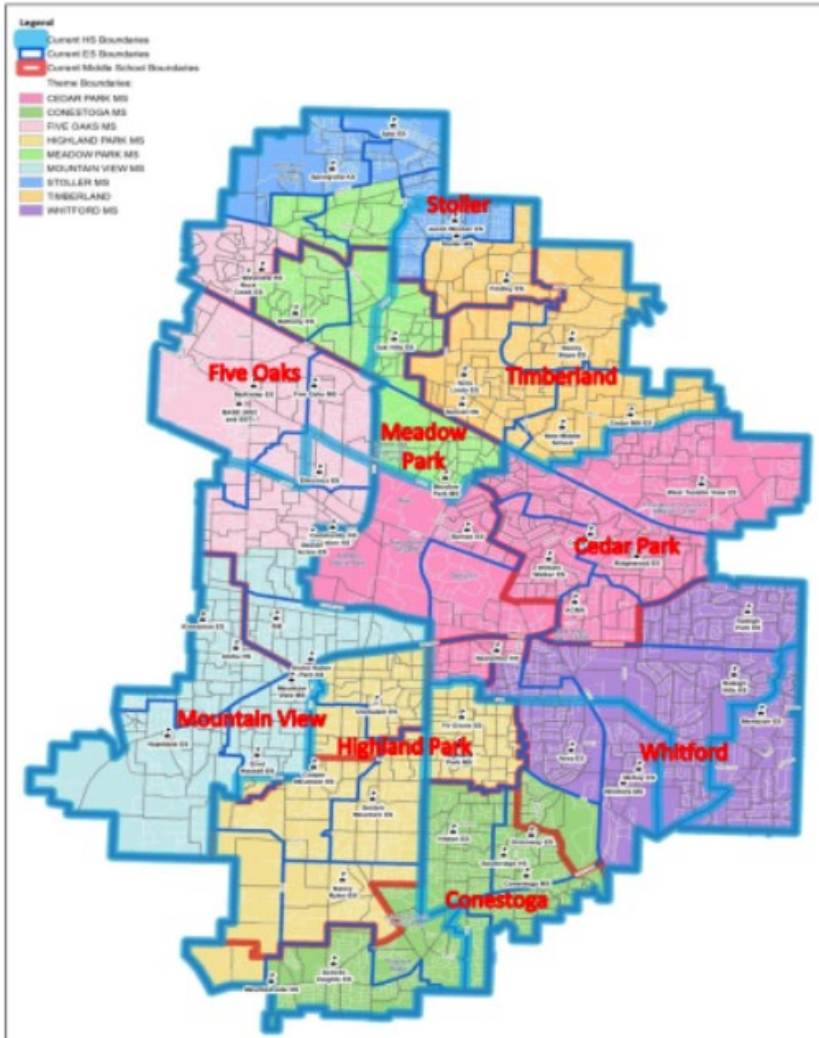
Appendix E: Other BSD Maps

MS Boundaries: Staff Feeder Test

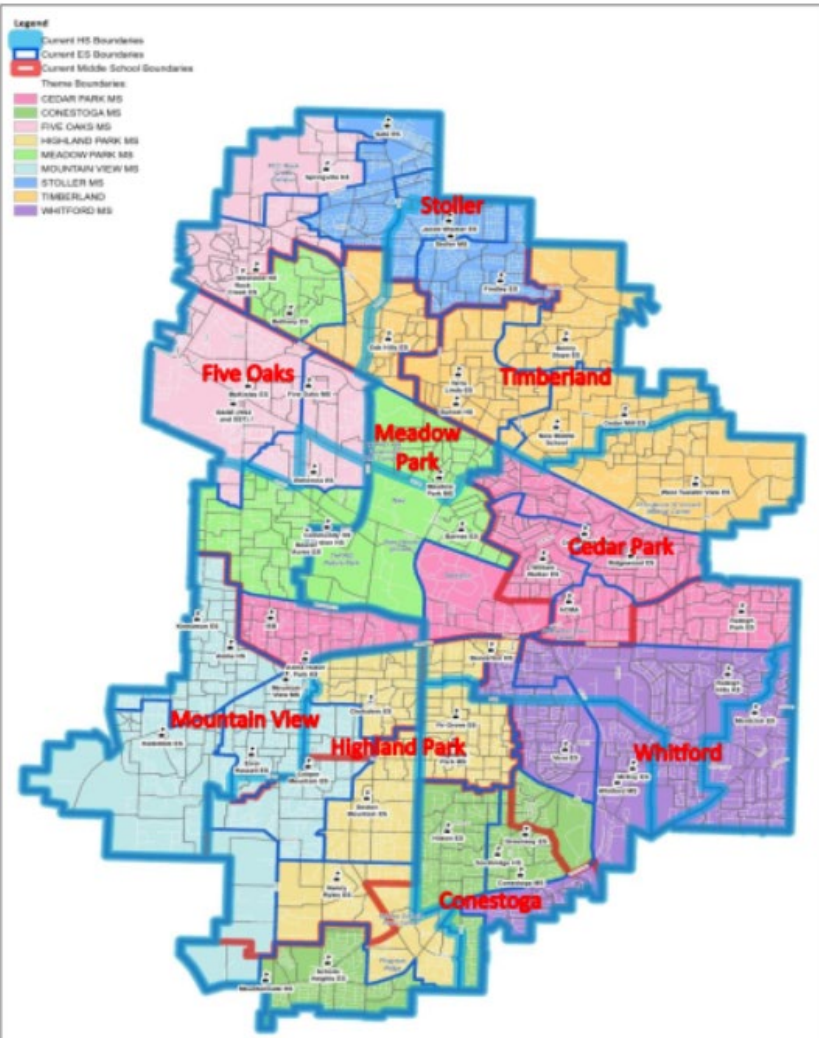


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