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SUBMITTED	NAME	EMAIL	ELEMENTARY	MIDDLE	HIGH	OPTIONS	COMMENTS
03/05/2020 11:18 AM	A Richell Chiu-Yap	RCHWEY88@YAHOO.COM	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		THANK YOU to the committee members who—Voted to keep communities together in their neighborhood schoolVoted to save Springville kids from an unnecessarily long commute through unsafe highways and busy intersectionsVoted to focus on the main objectives of hitting 2021 at 90% capacity at Stoller Voted to prioritize kids[?] well-being and community relationships over uncertain 2025 projectionsVoted to FILL the new TIMBERLAND school with neighborhoods that are in proximityVoted to prioritize regular middle schoolers over Summa OPTIONS programs.THANK YOU TO COMMITTEE MEMBERS who gave good suggestions to improve the FEB 25 map and think beyond their own agenda. Please do the right thing and vote for the Feb 25 working map. It is the most balanced map so far.
03/05/2020 10:39 PM	Aarnav	AArnnav85@outlook.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			All the versions of maps released so far clearly says that having SUMMA at Stoller will not meet 90% objective in 2021. Only SPV+SATO+JW - minus SUMMA meets 90% obejctive at Stoller in 2021. This combination doesn't split Findley, Springville and Rockcreek. Also this causes less not only in the NorthBethany but in the entire BSD.What map you vote for ? Disruptive , splitting communities and breaking feeder patterns ?
03/05/2020 10:50 PM	Aarnav	AArnnav85@outlook.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Dear AC, JW+Sato+Summa+ Walkable Findley combination will put Stoller at 99% in 2021. Also it puts Stoller at 107% permanent capacity in 2025. Remember the Summa projections kept flat till 2025. Where as the SPV+Sato+JW - Summa meets 90% permanent capacity objective in 2021 and 114% in 2025 with aggressive & faulty projections. Do you really need to tear apart North Bethany community and break kids friendships by splitting Rockcreek, Findley, SPV just for 7% over permanent capacity in 2025 and to keep Summa at Stoller ?
03/05/2020 11:09 PM	Aarvind	Aarvindtrey@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		JC Criteria to set a Stoller boundary... (1)Current and future availability of space: Enrollment DATA (2021 and 2025), Sato/JW/Findley boundary provides a STABLE and sustainable enrollment to Stoller. (2)Neighborhood proximity and accessibility: Sato/JW/Findley boundary avoids putting in buses over 250 students that walk to Stoller today. This provides Transportation cost savings. (3)Student body composition: Stoller[?]s demographic data shows no significant difference with Findley or Springville in Stoller. (4)Feeder patterns: Sato/JW/Findley boundary provides a near 50-50% split between Sunset and Westview. Otherwise, it becomes 15-85%, not fair to Sunset students at Stoller. ALL OF FINDLEY IN STOLLER!!! Thanks!
03/05/2020 12:44 PM	Abby	Abigaylepete9@hotmail.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		SPRINGVILLE WILL MAKE FIVE OAKS GREAT! Look at Springville organizational skills (t-shirts, signs, media, lawyer). Look at the amount of comments in here. This is perhaps the type of parent engagement a school like Five Oaks needs. DO NOT KEEP STOLLER OVERCROWDED! We need stable enrollment and small growth in Stoller. DoNot split SATO or add new ES split feeders.
03/05/2020 10:48 PM	Abby Behunin	abbyjbehunin@yahoo.com	Elmonica Elem				Dear Middle School Boundary Committee,I have lived in the Elmonica Elementary neighborhood for almost 20 years, first in King[?]s Court Apartments and now in BlueLeaf at Waterhouse (just south of Walker Road). I have three children attending schools in Beaverton School District, including a 4th grader at Elmonica. We love our community, and I would like to advocate for the Five Oaks neighborhood and request more equity in middle schools across the entire school district. Please address the following factors the School Board established for boundary adjustments:1. Student body compositionBalance the poverty indicators better across middle schools in the district. Five Oaks has the highest free/reduced lunch percentage currently, and it will be higher with the map proposed on Feb 25. Elementary school areas north of Highway 26 (Rock Creek and Bethany) and close to Five Oaks can offer a balancing effect and reduce the free/reduced lunch percentage.2. Neighborhood proximity and accessibilityNeighborhoods closest to Five Oaks should be assigned to Five Oaks. This includes all of Elmonica and McKinley neighborhoods, plus one or more elementary schools north of Highway 26. Elmonica and McKinley neighborhoods can walk or bike to Five Oaks.Elementary schools north of Highway 26 are closer to Five Oaks than to Meadow Park.Rock Creek to Five Oaks 1.8 miles and to Meadow Park 4.3 miles.Bethany to Five Oaks 2.6 miles and to Meadow Park 3.8 miles.Elementary schools far away should not be assigned to Five Oaks when there are closer middle school options.Aloha-Huber Park to Mountain View 0.7 miles (boundary on same street as school), to Highland Park 2.8 miles, and to Five Oaks 3.4 miles.3. Feeder patternsKeep Title I elementary schools together for middle school. Assign all of Elmonica and all of McKinley to the same middle school. These schools have vulnerable students, and consistent peer relationships are one of many key elements that will set them up for success. This continuity will help strengthen the community and encourage family participation in schools.A small portion of Elmonica Elementary boundaries, including my housing development, has been identified as a piece that may not be assigned to the same middle school as the rest of Elmonica. Please keep Elmonica together for middle school.Thank you for your efforts and time!Abby Behunin
03/05/2020 11:00 PM	Alex	Alexandria86@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Springville in Stoller DOES NOT solve the capacity problem. Too much risk with taken Summa out. All of Findley in Stoller does a better job. Timberland can be filled in Map c2.1 by adding Oakhills and Bethany to Timberland. Walkability should be maximized and encouraged. Use tax dollars wisely in teachers and education programs, not in buses!
03/05/2020 8:28 PM	Aminath Nazhath	nazu03@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don[?]t have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.

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03/05/2020 1:50 PM	Anne Lambert	anneblambert@gmail.com		Five Oaks MS	Westview		Hi, I wanted to thank you for all the time and consideration that this committee has dedicated to implementing adjustments that will be beneficial for BSD students. I have been a interested parent throughout this process of considering different boundary maps. I was pleased with the talk of adding 1-2 elementary schools from the other side of the freeway to help balance student body composition at Five Oaks Middle school. But as you have seemed to deviate from those original intentions I wanted to make my voice heard as well. Rock Creek and Bethany are closer to Five Oaks than Meadow Park and they would provide more balance to the percentage of free/reduced lunch students at Five Oaks. As I[?]ve looked at your objectives in considering these adjustments, this last map seems to meet those objectives least of all. Sending 1-2 schools north of 26 to Five Oaks would better balance poverty indicators across middle schools in the district and would make most sense in regards to proximity. Elementary schools from father away should not be assigned to Five Oaks when there are closer (and more crowded) options to consider. I also wanted to note that there is no option for McKinley Elementary in your drop down menu on this form. Our voices may not be as loud as those from schools across the freeway, but please don[?]t forget about us and our well being in this decision.
03/05/2020 11:58 AM	Anonymous	anonyxyz123@hotmail.com					There was a proposal to build two new middle schools for on north of US-26 to cater for the growing population; but only 1 school was built and we do not know what happened about building the the other middle school. This is no secret that parents move or buy house in good school community for children's future. The builders sell the houses in good school neighborhoods with large profit margin. If the Beaverton MSD can make accurate prediction as to what will happen in 2025 then they should have known in 2015 that in absence of new middle school in Bethany area there is going to be overcrowding issues at Stoller and they must have reached to county and stopped all residential construction work or started the work for second new middle school . The builders are making huge profits by hiking the home price on the promise of great neighborhood schools. It is not fair to sell expensive homes to collect high taxes and then punish the kids by sending them to schools with poor ratings. This is cruel and unfair. Splitting schools, sending kids to school with poor rating shows that the county and school district did not plan to cater to the new developments and now does not know what to do. It is fair to send the kids to another school which has same or better rating than Stoller but sending to south of US-26 to a school with very poor ratings is not well thought decision and is nightmare for both parents and kids. Extra Portables in Stoller must be considered until the district can come with fair solution. BSD must reach out to the county and make sure no more residential construction happens as they do not have provision for second new middle school on North of US-26 for Bethany area.
03/05/2020 12:41 PM	Anthony	anettehy@gmail.com		Stoller MS			Before the committee begins to rebalance the FRL rates at Mountain View and Five Oaks, diversity needs to start at the Adjustment Committee. As a whole, the committee may be diverse. However, representation from Stoller is not. Stoller currently is comprised of Sato, Springville, Jacob Wismer, Findley, and Rock Creek. There was 1 candidate from Springville. The rest are from the SUMMA-hotspot, affluent areas of Jacob Wismer and Findley. Guess which candidates made it to the committee? Furthermore, the student representative herself is from Jacob Wismer. That brings a total of THREE affluent members in the committee. Two of them divulged which elementary school they advocated at multiple committee meetings. Two of them divulged their unabashed strong lobby to preserve Summa at all cost or to wantonly split Sato and/or Springville (and even Jacob Wismer itself) recklessly without being empathetic to general education kids. Do a Google/LinkedIn search. It will reveal that the Stoller representation comes from a Fortune 500 high tech company in Hillsboro. Who's got time to be involved in volunteer work? Affluent people or median / minimum wage people? Hence, Springville, Sato and Rock Creek couldn't muster enough candidates. Their numbers got overwhelmed. If BSD can turn back time, BSD should have fielded 1 representative from each elementary school. And also carefully balance the demographic representation of a specific area. However, I urge the rest of the committee to be fair and impartial to all of Stoller. One Stoller for all. Please do not be distracted by their diversionary talking points. The goal is 90% Stoller for 2021 and to fill Timberland. The current working map already works. We need to acknowledge that portables should be in the recommendation to address the forecasted 2025 numbers.
03/05/2020 3:09 PM	Anu	anoo_paapu@yahoo.com	Findley Elem				Boundaries should be formed based on proximity not based on satisfying communities that are loud, vocal and bully. The right questions were asked in the last meeting and here is also a proposal to address the issues raised. http://chng.it/2RLqMbMS Please consider viewing the proposed map and considering this as the final solution. This keeps walking communities walking, solves overcrowding, fills timberland, keeps schools together, improves high school feeder patterns etc.

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03/05/2020 10:37 AM	Anu John	anukoshy@msn.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Seeing as there is no way you can fit Springville and Sato the biggest developing communities in the area into Stoller to encourage 90% capacity I think moving Springville is inevitable. Findley has to be moved to Timberland so that Timberland can be at least at reasonable capacity. Now the bigger question is do we split it or not. If the decision is to split then I encourage you to split both Rock creek and Springville, sending the northern part of Rock creek to Stoller to build some economic and cultural diversity to Stoller. But if the decision is not to split which has it[?]'s own benefits then I don[?]'t see why Rock creek cannot stay in Stoller seeing as it is one of the smallest schools in the area and the most economically and culturally diverse. And this is accommodation for the growing community of Sato. This is also ensure that 5 oaks will not become overcrowded with the newer developments. Doing this will ensure a good student demographic for all 3 schools in the area and improve the rating of all 3 schools. And this affects the least number of schools say when and if the funds become available to build a new middle school in Northern Bethany.
03/05/2020 8:33 PM	arun	arun_koroth@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Looking closer at the 2025 projections by BSD for Springville, you will notice that BSD projections says that Springville has more growth than Sato... which is TOTALLY INCORRECT. Springville is already BUILT OUT in with new further development. Our elementary school current enrollments say a totally different story than what BSD has projected. Lately BSD projected that Scholls heights elementary school will be overcrowded with all the development in that area but in their own words later nothing like that ever happened. With the history of over projection and clear errors in this process too, springville at Stoller with all of Jacob Wismer and Sato MINUS the summa, will in REALITY be TOTALLY SUSTAINABLE IN 2025. Some Jacob Wismer parents complaining about walkablity to schools but they have no concerns about Springville kids crossing 185th passing 14 STOP SIGNALS, WITH MULTIPLE BUS STOPS IN BETWEEN, IN AN AREA PRONE TO TRAFFIC-ACCIDENT SPENDING MORE THAN 40 MINUTES EACH WAY. IS THIS WHAT EQUALITY STANDS FOR? IN FACT Jacob Wismer is VERY MUCH CLOSER TO FIVE OAKS(3.7 miles) RATHER THAN SPRINGVILLE and the route using Kaiser/Bethany Blvd is much safer for Jacob Wismer to reach Five Oaks. Do not split elementary schools[?]. Springville, Sato, Findley, Rock Creek and Oak Hills have all been shown split in various maps proposed by the committee or BSD. Studies have consistently shown that minimizing transitions results in better academic performance and emotional health for children. We are strongly supportive of the current Feb 25th working map which does not introduce any additional ES splits.
03/05/2020 9:48 PM	arunk	arun_koroth@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Some Jacob Wismer folks suggestings that Springville should go to Five oaks. Its 10 min additional etc etc. THIS IS TOTALLY INCORRECT. If JW can suggest such things why can't they move to Five Oaks? Distance - Jacob Wismer to Five Oaks(via Bethany Blvd) is 3.7 miles. Distance - Springville schoole to Five oaks Via Springville rd and 185th) is 4.3 miles SO JACOB WISMER IS CLOSER TO FIVE OAKS AND THE ROUTE thru Bethany blvd is MUCH MUCH SAFER for them. Also it will further decrease the load on Stoller.
03/05/2020 9:50 AM	arunk	arun_koroth@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	MAP A IS THE BEST. KEEP COMMUNITIES TOGETHER. HUMAN RELATIONSHIPS MATTER IN FEB 25TH MEETING we had 8 members voting for MAP A. Towards end of meeting there was an additional member who also preferred MAP A. Considering that the total vote count will be 9. So request committee to focus on MAP A rather than thinking of different maps at this stage. a) The Feb 25 MAP A with summa moving to Timberland is the most balanced approach for Stoller and Timberland b) Springville, Sato and Jacob Wismer fit into Stoller in a long term & sustainable manner declining after 2025. c) It avoids multiple community splits into elementary school splits. Has support across a large group of Findley, Sato, Springville and Rock Creek parents. d) Even with aggressive growth numbers, it shows modest growth to 2025 well under total capacity which will then declines and will get below permanent capacity. I know there are concerns about JW High school feeders but please note they will be over 220 sunset kids in stoller after SUMMA Moves out. e) BSD will gain in transportation costs by moving Springville to Stoller instead of Five Oaks. So better to consider MAP A to avoid all cascading affects. SO PLEASE AVOID UNNECESSARY SPLITS. IF NEEDED ALONG WITH SUMMA, ALSO MOVE A PORTION OF JACOB WISMER TO TIMBERLAND. THAT WILL REDUCE THE STOLLER EVEN MORE.
03/05/2020 3:51 PM	Ashish Sapra	ashishsapra@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	By this time, i hope that committee has realized that there is no way both growing Springville and Sato school can be feed to Stoller because number just doesn't work in this case. It's as simple as that. But at the same time, i hope that committee by now must have tentative proposal where they either put entire Springville in Five Oaks or split Springville to feed both Five Oaks and Stoller. By any means, if committee juggling to do this, that means they just don't want to take fight with Springville parents. ONLY WAY TO SOLVE THIS IS TO SPLIT SPRINGVILLE, PERIOD. #OneJW#SplitSPV
03/05/2020 3:54 PM	Ashish Sapra	ashishsapra@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Can BSD and/or committee release their working maps what was asked at the end of last meeting by committee members? Public will need time to digest what committee is coming up by next meeting. Releasing meeting material or same day doesn't make sense at all. I *hope* that committee is meeting offline and not just rely on Thursday to Thursday bi-weekly meeting.

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03/05/2020 9:37 PM	asidhu	sidhu.arun@comcast.net	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	STOLLER PROJECTIONS FOR 2025 IS INCORRECTIN FEB25TH MEETING we had 8 members voting for MAP A. Towards end of meeting there was an additional member who also preferred MAP A. Considering that the total vote count will be 9. So request committeeto focus on MAP A rather than thinking of different maps at this stage.There is no further growth in Springville. But BSD projection is showing even more growthfor Springville than SATO. How is that possible.Move Jacob wismer SUMMA to Timberland or full of Jacob wismer to Timberland.It will serve multiple purposes:a) Make proper utilization of new middle school Timberland which is ONE OF THE MAJOROBJECTIVE OF BSDb) Jacob wismer complaints about splits and their kids losing friends will be reduced, since they will be with Findely every time SUMMA or not.c) Reduce the load on Stoller.Just for an optional program, lof of time being wasted to talk about retaining it inStoller and going over walkability issues back and forth. Stoller capacity required is 90% for 2021 which is already met by MAP A. For 2025 theprojections are over estimated besides none of
03/05/2020 2:36 PM	Asif	jamkooji@gmail.com				Please send SPV to Five Oak. This will solve overcrowding issue at Stoller. Keep Finley, JW, Sato in Stoller. Having two growing community SPV/Sato in Stoller will not help.
03/05/2020 3:06 PM	Asif	jamkooji@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	The areas of Findley that can walk to Stoller would like to preserve walkability for their School. While we would like all of Findley to be in Stoller, we are willing to accept a split if the committee decides there is not way to fit all of Findley in Stoller. Having all of Findley in Stoller is the best option for Stoller for reducing overcrowding. However, if for some reason, that does not happen, we would still like to go to Stoller. Please take that into consideration as you make your decision. Not all of Findley is saying "don't split us at any cost;. Walkable Findley says it is ok to split topreserve walkability.
03/05/2020 9:13 PM	avarsha	a.varsha26@yahooo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Due to INCORRECT FLAT PROJECTIONS in Options and Summa numbers, your 2025 numbers for Stoller are OFF by around 40 kids. This makes a difference! Please check the FLAT PROJECTIONS for Summa and Options and note that when adjusted, we will have 40 students less in Please check Options and Summa numbers for 2025! These should NOT BE FLAT. We will have around 40 fewer kids in Stoller. This MATTERS when we are discussing splitting off communities.
03/05/2020 9:48 AM	avijay	vijayanarun@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Feb25th MAP A does the following. SO IT SHOULD BE SUPPORTED1) Reduces Stoller from over 1600 students in 2020 to less than 1000 in 20212) Even the increase in 2025 is only to around 1200 students after which it falls andgets below 1100 in a couple off years again even with aggressive projections.3) Maintains free lunch at Stoller at 10%. There is no further growth in Springville. Even with aggressive growth numbers, it shows modest growth to 2025 wellunder total capacity which will then declines and will get below permanent capacity.Moving Springville and Rock creek to FO has ramifications that affect multiple schools.To reduce load on Five oaks, It likely splits McKinley and Elmonica. It pushes out Beaver Acres and Aloha Huber to Meadow park. It can overcrowd Meadow park,make it feed 3 high schools and causes the free lunch to skyrocket in Meadow park especiallyif Oak Hills is moved out as well.4) BSD will gain in transportation costs by moving Springville to Stoller instead of Five OaksSo better to consider MAP A to avoid all cascading affects.IN FEB25TH MEETING we had 8 members voting for MAP A. Towards end of meeting there was an additional member who also preferred MAP A. Considering that the total vote count will be 9. So request committeeto focus on MAP A rather than thinking of different maps at this stage.
03/05/2020 8:37 PM	Baoyan Liang	Liang.b.y1974@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don[?]t have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 10:13 PM	Ben Levy	zydecolevy@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	The situation for east Oak Hills kids in high school was not good. The situation for Sunset-bound kids from Stoller is BETTER in the 2/25 working map. There are 3 times as many kids going to Sunset from Stoller as was the case in East Oak Hills in Meadow. ALSO, those kids from JW will be reunited in high school with other elementary friends who chose to go to Summa. They won't be alone like East Oak Hills kids were.
03/05/2020 10:18 PM	Ben Levy	zydecolevy@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	SUMMA CANNOT BE AT STOLLER: We have yet to see a map which keeps Summa at Stoller and meets the 90% objective for 2021. It cannot be done. If Findley is at Timberland, without splits, there will be many Summa students zoned to Timberland. This may make more sense as a Summa location.
03/05/2020 10:55 AM	Beth Rear	bethr@amaa.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville has submitted 3000+ comments within a 5 day period. There is no way committee members can read through all these comments. Springville is drowning out the rest of the community! Just like they did at the previous meeting with their signs and disruptive behavior.I hope the committee can give EQUAL weight to the comments from other schools who are not unduly hijacking the system.I would ask the Springville parents to have some courtesy and respect so ALL schools in the community can be heard.
03/05/2020 11:11 AM	Beth Rear	bethr@amaa.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Please read comments from schools other than Springville. Please keep Rock Creek with another community school. Do not cast our kids out of the community alone to an under-performing school. Keep our kids with others in the community!

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03/05/2020 11:12 AM	Binh Le	binhandjamiele@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I have been following all the maps since the start of the process and keep seeing Rock Creek Elementary students getting a bad deal. First they were going to Five Oaks, now they are going to Meadow Park, even farther away! Rock Creek students should be attending middle school with Springville and Sato kids. They go to the same daycare, Taekwondo classes, play on the same sport teams as their northern neighbor. I am hoping to see Rock Creek stay in Stoller boundary. It makes no sense to send these kids so far away from their home!
03/05/2020 9:58 PM	Brandon	brandonfrankel82@yahoo.com	Findley Elem		Sunset		Do NOT split Findley! Protect the emotional and social wellbeing of the students while also easing the overcrowding of Stoller MS. We live in the Bannister Creek subdivision and definitely should not be included a [?]walkable[?] zone to Stoller MS. We currently use the bus system to Findley and would need to use it for MS as well. Stoller is not walkable from our neighborhood. The distance is too far and the route is not safe. We support the February 25th working map in which all of Findley ES goes to Timberland MS. Thank you
03/05/2020 10:59 PM	Bridget	brgolf@gmail.com		Stoller MS			I am encouraged by the outcome of 2/25 where the majority vote was for SPV split. Yes SPV-- SUMMA or JW or Findley is not the center of the Universe but Stoller is definitely at the center of JW/Findley nexus. Its important to acknowledge that SATO may be the community that's actively growing, more so than SPV, but it also happens to be the community near(er) to Stoller. I think its important to absorb as much SPV as fits, but overcrowding Stoller, when you actually have a chance to make this right for the entire North, entire BSD? Its an opportunity to leave a legacy Dear AC members, do the right and logical thing!
03/05/2020 1:15 PM	Carol Ben-Ari	carolcheslek@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem				Small schools deserve equal consideration with larger ones! Forcing Rock Creek out of our legacy middle school, Stoller, and sending us alone with no other northern schools to Five Oaks will solve NO overcrowding issues for the district! ALL BSD students deserve equity and a common middle school experience! We support Rock Creek going to Meadow Park or Five Oaks, as long as we move with at least 2 other northern ESs so a common middle school experience is possible!
03/05/2020 7:25 AM	Chandana	chandanabvrl@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Please include JW summa students to Stoller considering walkability to Stoller from Arbor view JW students.
03/05/2020 11:26 AM	Chanel	chanel.elise@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem				I hope the committee takes Rock Creek comments into serious thought before dividing our community. We want to stay united with our Northern Neighborhood schools and are drowning in this comment process. How can a K-5 school's comments be considered when drowned out by a K-8 school? Please consider Rock Creek ES as our community has a shrinking population, to be kept with other neighborhood ES into MS versus just the most comments by population.Thank you!
03/05/2020 1:57 PM	David Lee	ralliant_kei@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Dear committee, thanks for paying attention to the Springville community and excuse some of our frustration. The The situation is our Springville community parents are very concerned by this middle school boundary adjustment. We are happy with the Feb25 test map to try to keep our community along with our sister community Sato and JW together in Stoller. However there had been discussion going around that claims Feb25 test map might not be sustainable simply based on emotions and unjustified claims. Based on PSU population research data which is a very educated forecast based on current 3rd 4th 5th grader enrolment as well as land development approval permits for residential development, PSU predicts Stoller enrolment will peak at 110pct of permanent capacity if we move the Summa option to Timberland. After 2025 due to graduation and student aging and slowing of North Bethany residential development because there are no more lands Stoller enrolment will starting decreasing or flat. Based on that, keeping Springville and Sato and JW in Stoller is a long term sustainable one. Also another clever move in Feb25 is moving Rock Creek to Meadow Park which has a Summa school. That way, there is no need to disrupt the student life at FiveOak which does not portable expansion and already crowding and without the need to massive reshuffling of school district unnecessarily to make the numbers look marginally plus minus 10pct nicer on the map and increase transportation costs by mobilizing large population unnecessarily. Please consider keep Feb25 test map as it as our long term plan.
03/05/2020 10:04 AM	Deniz Gezer Oguz	deniz.g.oguz@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Hi, as a Rock Creek Elementary School neighborhood, we don't want to go to the any Middle school alone. On the other hand your some commutie members even don't comment in the Boundary meetings. They don't have any original idea, and they don't study their homework enough. Some of them are supporting some schools like Finley or Springville. They have to be objective, and they have to think all student's academic future. Every student is unique, and special. Thank you...
03/05/2020 2:44 PM	Douglas Yap	dougyap1377@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Reading comments from others neighborhoods... It appears some folks recommend Map C 2.1. This does not make any sense. That map severely underutilize Timberland to below 60% while still making Stoller at 99% 2021 and 106% at 2025. It also overloads Five Oaks at 108% and Meadow Park at 119%. This is not EQUITABLE.Understandably, we all want our kids to have the best educational experience. Let all kids have an equal share of the pie. Please also think about kids in other neighborhoods other than our own.
03/05/2020 8:42 PM	Ehoy Lawless Lewerenz	lawlesse1@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don[?]t have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.

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03/05/2020 8:55 AM	Eric Bolken	bigbolk@hotmail.com	Cooper Mountain Elem			While it is admirable and necessary to make attempts at addressing economically disadvantaged populations through out the school district, making a MS boundary change to the communities at Cooper Mountain and Chehalem in order to reduce the percentages of Free/Reduced Lunch Program numbers at Mountain View MS is misguided and not an appropriate response to the issues facing many families throughout the district for a number of reasons. Firstly, the percentages of FRLP participants, while showing disparity throughout the district, are artificially inflated by the fact that the State of Oregon raised the threshold for participation from the federal guidelines of families below 180% of the poverty level to families below 300% of the poverty level. When taking this into account, the projections of 47% FRLP at Mountain View based on the 2/25 maps and adjusted for the higher eligibility, is a very good improvement over the current levels. Secondly, all academic articles referenced to date related to lower SES student's achievement all come to the same conclusion; exposure of lower achieving students to higher performing students correlates to higher overall results but those conclusions all note that this has no direct correlation to exposure to higher SES levels, only to the higher achieving students. This all means that simply mixing high and low SES students does not equate to higher levels of achievement. Thirdly, the efforts of adjusting FRLP numbers by reviewing Cooper Mountain and Chehalem is not being reflected in the overall efforts throughout the district. An agreement in principle for the Whitford boundary results in higher levels of FRLP participants at that school than at Mountain View and the current maps leave Five Oaks at much higher levels. If this was a real goal of the district, which is not part of the School Board goals or JC factors, the committee would need to look at further boundary adjustments such as moving Oak Hills, Bethany and Rock Creek all attend FOMS and have Aloha Huber and Beaver Acres both attend Meadow Park which is actually shorter bus trips for all 5 schools and would make a huge swing in FRLP numbers at those MS's. Please note, I am not advocating for this but am trying to shine a light on the fact that the Cooper Mountain and Chehalem shifts seem like a token investigation that is being applied haphazardly. Lastly, and most importantly, the results of the Student Investment Act (Student Success Act) funding that will be coming to the school district in the coming years, in perpetuity, will do the actual hard lifting of addressing populations of higher need. Through the SIA, the district is set to hire nearly 100 new staff members creating Student Success teams being developed to provide support for disadvantaged populations in addition to hiring new teaching staff. This is the way to affect real change for student populations at the root of the issue rather than displacing hundreds of students in the hopes of raising performance levels by reducing the overall percent of FRLP at a single location which does not actually address the families in need but rather just hides the numbers. All this being said, I encourage the committee to either maintain the feeding patterns of Cooper Mountain as they currently are with the split to MV & HP, or shift all of Cooper
03/05/2020 10:01 PM	Erica Frankel	ericabck@yahoo.com	Findley Elem		Sunset	Hello, I support the February 25th working map where all of Findley is together at Timberland. We are also open to all of Findley in Stoller. It is important for kids to remain with their peers and support system to tack what is ahead of them in middle school. If for some reason you must split off part of Findley, please do not put our subdivision of Bannister Creek in that split as we are not walkable to Stoller and want to remain with all or at least the majority of Findley. Thank you, Erica Frankel
03/05/2020 2:39 PM	Erin Hatch	erindhatch@gmail.com				Looks good! Here's mine, although I plan on submitting more throughout the week! I'd first like to make sure you are aware that McKinley isn't on the elementary school drop down list on this comment form. Up until now, I have been very happy with the maps that have helped to balance the student body composition at Five Oaks. Last week, however, the map was changed to increase the poverty indicators at Five Oaks. Five Oaks already has the highest percentage in the district. Please, let's be sure to ensure a student body composition that is more equitable than the current map. Additionally, the most recent map proposed does not add up with proximity and accessibility. Rock Creek and Bethany Elementary are significantly closer to Five Oaks than Meadow Park. In sum, please bring 1-2 elementary schools from across the 26 to have better proximity and improved equity to student composition. Sincerely, Erin Hatch
03/05/2020 1:41 PM	Eve	every999@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	I would like to let the committee know that it is ok to split Findley. Findley is not a small school, and even if it is split, there will be enough company for the kids in both schools. Also, it matters why you split schools. Splitting for the sake of splitting should be avoided but if the split is to gain walkability, then it is acceptable.
03/05/2020 3:12 PM	Eve	every999@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	There has been all this discussion about not splitting elementary schools especially Findley and I want to present the other side of the story. Every year, in elementary schools today in BSD, the kids are shuffled between the classes. If it is so important to be with the exact same kids all through ES and MS, schools would not be doing this. If it would hurt the kids academically or socially, the schools would not be doing this. But the reality is that being with the same set of students can either be good or bad - that is situational. If a kid finds his or her best friend in kindergarten maybe shuffling is a bad thing. But what if the kid did not find a good friend in Kindergarten - that kid would be looking forward to the shuffle hoping to find a friend in the next class. In any case, we know shuffling kids between classes helps them grow socially (which is as important as academic growth). By the same token, splitting kids after their ES to go to different MS is not all bad either. Also, in this day and age with cell phones and e-mail, it is not that hard to stay in touch with a Friend even if they are not in the same school. Think about it, by the time they are done with schooling, they will all be going to different colleges with no friends. True, they will be older, but wisdom and maturity does not come overnight with age. It has to be acquired gradually. When they adjust to new friends in middle school, that is part of their learning process to reach that maturity where they have to go to a university all by themselves. So, in short, you will not be hurting kids by splitting Findley to retain walkability. Please keep at least the walkable portion of Findley in Stoller if you cannot fit all of Findley in Stoller.

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03/05/2020 8:30 PM	Gregory Lawless	lawlessgf@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don[?]t have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 1:40 PM	H. L	henry2k@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS		Dear committee,Thank you for your efforts working on this. I'd like to take this opportunity to bring my concerns to your attention. I am concerning BSD plans to bus all Findley kids to another MS which is far away while many of FE kids currently can walk to Stoller MS. This leads to bus hundreds additional kids and demands BSD to buy more buses and hire more drivers. As a tax payer, I'd like to see BSD using our tax money wisely. We should take this into account when we consider new MS boundary. We should utilize these money (to bus kids around) to hire more teacher and update our facility in BSD. It doesn't make any sense to bus hundreds Findley kids to TL middle school while most of them can walk to MS. Keeping all Findley kids in Stoller makes lots of senses.thanks <3
03/05/2020 8:39 PM	Haoquan Zhang	Liang.b.y1974@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don[?]t have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 12:59 PM	Henry	henry2k@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS		Dear committee,Thank you for your efforts working on this. I'd like to take this opportunity to bring my concerns to your attention. Please DO NOT split feed any elementary schools. BSD should minimize school split for any schools, (SPV, Sato, RC, Findley or any other schools). Studies have demonstrated that split feeding has detrimental impacts on kids mental health and their academic performance. Please keep kids wellbeing in mind, and minimize the school split if all possible. Thanks <3
03/05/2020 11:55 AM	Jay	jeys24@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	DO not Punish SUMMA kids to accommodate RAPDILY GROWING Farthest from Stoller community at Stoller. These kids has to be bused for 30 mins each way and they are walking now. The ES-MS-HS feeder pattern will drop less than 9% for the JW kids when they go to High school. We already heard how such bad decision is hurting kids now, please DONOT repeat the mistake. AC members Please put yourself in to their shoes. Why increase Transportation cost and punish Summa kids to accomadate SPV. Two rapidly growing community should not feed to same middle school. in 2025 Sato+SPV only have 1109 Students. Where is room for JW kids. Are we going to do Boundary adjustment again. Please do a SUSTAINABLE LONG term decision. SPV and SATo cannot feed together. Why only ROCKCREEK is proposed to send to FO or MP, RC need another north Bethany community to join them to keep the communities together.
03/05/2020 7:46 PM	Jeremy Johnson	doublej13@att.net	Rock Creek Elem			The students of Rock Creek Elementary deserve to be sent to a middle school that also has some of their neighbors in attendance. Rock Creek Elementary kids have after school activities and go to church and play with kids from Bethany Elementary, Springville, Oak Hills Elementary and Sato Elementary. Regardless of which Middle School, we need to send two other neighboring elementary schools with Rock Creek Elementary.
03/05/2020 10:59 AM	Jeremy Rear	bethrear@comcast.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	3000+ COMMENTS IN 5 DAYS - Springville is flooding the system and not allowing other schools to have a voice. I ask that the committee give equal weight to comments from ALL schools and not allow Springville to hijack the system and drown out everyone else's voice.
03/05/2020 11:24 AM	Jeremy Rear	bethrear@comcast.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	LEGACY - WE NEED THIS ADDRESSED. I have a 5th grader at Rock Creek currently. What do her next 3 years of school look like? Stoller, then Five Oaks, then?? We need to set these kids up to succeed. If they start at a middle school let them finish.
03/05/2020 1:19 PM	Jessica Martell	lane.jessica.martell@gmail.com	Elmonica Elem			The map that was proposed in feb 25th is a bad move for Five Oaks. We should be doing a better job to balance the poverty indicators across the schools - that proposed map does nothing to balance Five Oaks out. The proximity and ease of getting to the school does not make sense - Rock Creek and Bethany are both closer to Five Oaks than they are to Meadow Park, they should be brought to Five Oaks. Doing so would help balance the poverty indicators at Five Oaks as well.
03/05/2020 4:52 PM	Jinyoung Park	empris1@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS		SUMMA is a school program, most of the JW SUMMA kids are in walkable zone and they walk to school daily. Please donot bus them and increase the transportation cost. Proximity is JC component.
03/05/2020 8:37 PM	jithin	jrtahod81@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Moving Springville and Rock creek to FO has ramifications that affect multiple schools.To reduce load on Five oaks, It likely splits McKinley and Elmonica. It pushes out Beaver Acres and Aloha Huber to Meadow park. It can overcrowd Meadow park,make it feed 3 high schools and causes the free lunch to skyrocket in Meadow park especiallyif Oak Hills is moved out as well.So better to consider MAP A to avoid all these cascading affects.Instead of making large sacle changes why can't some portion of Jacob Wismer moved toTimberland. It will serve multiple purposes. Proper utilization of Timerland. Also JWcomplaints about not being together with their friends will reduce and they will alsohave SUMMA at Timberland. Finally also reduce the load on STOLLER further more.

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03/05/2020 8:59 PM	jithin	jrathod81@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Please donot split Springville based on a few percentage points over in 2025 based on aggressive projections (and FLAT options numbers), based largely on empty lots. We are talking about real children with real relationships here. These are real children that do not have a voice of their own and are looking to this committee to be their voice. Springville children across Arbor Oaks, Abbey Creek and Noyce have real relationships with each other. They play cricket, soccer and baseball with each other at the PCC grounds. They play with each other at the Springville playground. They play with each other at the neighborhood park. Springville and Sato children have real relationships with each other. They play at pirate park. They are neighbors with houses right across from each other. These used to be one school not too long ago! They have only one middle school with proximity given their extreme Northern location.The Feb 25th MAP A preserved human relationships. It kept Rock Creek together with their Bethany neighbors. It kept Springville intact and together with its Sato neighbors. It kept Findley intact with no splits. So it went over in 2025 by a few percentage points, even with aggressive projections. The question is so what? We are meeting the actual board objective of 90% in 2021. We are still going down to 1200 kids in 2025 from 1600 kids in Stoller in 2020, and the population is actually projected to drop after that. Is that not worth preserving communities and relationships over? The children of North Bethany need to have their voices represented and their relationships preserved. Please do not chase arbitrary 2025 targets and punish them. Human relationships matter.
03/05/2020 9:28 PM	jithin	jrathod81@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	SPRINGVILLE IS NOT THE FARTHEST COMMUNITY FROM STOLLERIn last meeting one AC member said that Springville should be split because Springville is thefurthest from Stoller....There are houses in Springvile which are just 1.7 miles of Stoller whereasthere are houses near Sato which are more than 2.4 miles. These are intertwined neighborhoodswhere either could be closer or farther depending on which neighborhood you are talking about.So using that as a basis to Split Springville is incorrect.ALSO also the northernmost..WE ARE FARTHEST AWAY from Five Oaks.There are 14 elementary schools which are closes to Five Oaks(Including Jacob Wismer and SATO).So how can you justify moving Springville to Five Oaks.Please keep Jacob Wismer, Sato and Springville at Stoller, moving SUMMA out to Timberland.That will put Stoller at 88% permanent capacity at Stoller in 2021.
03/05/2020 9:45 AM	jithinr	jrathod81@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	PLEASE DONOT SPLIT COMMUNITIES. Human relationships matter.why is everyone discussing how to split Springville multiple ways just to avoid being a few percentage points over in 2025 based on aggressive projections (and FLAT options numbers), based largely on empty lots. We are talking about real children with real relationships here. These are real children that do not have a voice of their own and are looking to this committee to be their voice. Springville children across Arbor Oaks, Abbey Creek and Noyce have real relationships with each other. They play cricket, soccer and baseball with each other at the PCC grounds. They play with each other at the Springville playground. They play with each other at the neighborhood park. Springville and Sato children have real relationships with each other. They play at pirate park. They are neighbors with houses right across from each other. These used to be one school not too long ago! They have only one middle school with proximity given their extreme Northern location.The Feb 25th work-MAP A preserved human relationships. It kept Rock Creek together with their Bethany neighbors. It kept Springville intact and together with its Sato neighbors. It kept Findley intact with no splits. So it went over in 2025 by a few percentage points, even with aggressive projections. The question is so what? We are meeting the actual board objective of 90% in 2021. We are still going down to 1200 kids in 2025 from 1600 kids in Stoller in 2020, and the population is actually projected to drop after that. Is that not worth preserving communities and relationships over? The children of North Bethany need to have their voices represented and their relationships preserved. Please do not chase arbitrary 2025 targets and punish them. Human relationships matter.
03/05/2020 10:59 AM	Kaan Oguz	kaanoguzz@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	It is really hard to see that all of the comments are read by the committee members. Springville ES is drowning all other schools by 100%#43; comments everyday. Please try to read comments from other schools too! Rock Creek, Bethany and West Oak Hills are one community and we want our kids to stay together. Please DO NOT isolate small schools like Rock Creek from their community. Thank you
03/05/2020 5:20 PM	Kelly Ross	Rosske82@gmail.com				Hello, First I want clarify what neighborhood this comment is coming from (the Mc Kinely / five oaks neighborhood) . I did not pick a school b/c my children are currently attending a private school. I have not spoke out about the boundary change maps due to the fact that it would help Five Oaks (it would make a great balance of kids from ALL social/ economic groups / this is a good thing) . Someday my kids might go to a public school / but so far based on this ridiculousness of maps not being drawn to any REAL distances (nice cutting Five Oaks out (geez) and the school district only doing what parents want I'm rethinking beaverton schools entirely . Schools / kids closes to Five Oaks / any school / should be assigned to THAT SCHOOL !!!! YOU NEED TO MAP SCHOOLS BY DISTANCE NOT OPINIONS. At this point this is a shouting contest for whoever the richest loudest voice is, and it is sad that the school district can be bullied / geez don't they teach anti bullying in school ...hmmm ?Warmly , a parent from a "bad neighborhood " who know how to google map distances.

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03/05/2020 9:39 AM	Kelly S	ksestero@hotmail.com	Cooper Mountain Elem			There has been quite a lot of discussion at Cooper Mountain Elementary since boundary changes were introduced in late January affecting our school. Most parents have stated a preference for a clean feed to Highland Park or to remain status quo. In the last few weeks a few parents with middle school students at Mountain View have pushed for a clean feed to Mountain View in order to avoid having their children risk transferring and to reduce FRL at Mountain View. There has been an increase in discussion of equity at the Middle School level and I have been thinking a lot about this issue. It is wonderful that this is being discussed and I am hopeful that the final recommendations from the Common Middle School Experience (CMSE) committee will make great strides towards equity across the district. However, I think that considering equity as simply the equaling out of poverty/FRL across schools is naive and an unnecessary distraction from the stated goals of this committee. Equity in education aims to reduce the achievement gap by providing access for all students to rigorous academics and enrichment activities (the primary goal of the CMSE committee), as well as reducing or eliminating barriers to attendance and graduation. Moving one elementary school into the middle school with the 3rd highest FRL in the district does nothing to reduce the achievement/opportunity gap. Working to make the entire district even in FRL levels would require more bus routes and less neighborhood continuity, adversely affecting kids in poverty by creating more barriers to attendance. The request to move CME to MVMS does not create equity, it is a band-aid that does not support long-term equity. Equity in education can be achieved by ensuring common standards and rigor throughout the district; offering staff consistent training, flexibility and collaboration to increase retention; having regular communication and trust within the community; providing appropriate mental health services and family supports that reduce food and housing insecurity. The articles below are very informative regarding evidence-based practices in true educational equity. I hope to see a continued focus on this issue in the district. Disrupting the lives of students at CME to artificially reduce FRL numbers is not a measure of equity. https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC3523355/ https://edpolicy.stanford.edu/sites/default/files/publications/elementary-schools-equity-policies-and-practices-help-close-opportunity-gap.pdf
03/05/2020 9:44 AM	Ken Miles	kmilesmiles@yahoo.com	Cooper Mountain Elem	Highland Park MS	Mountainside	There are some folks in our community who wish to move all of Cooper Mtn Elementary over to Mountain View MS. The theory here is that moving Cooper Mtn will significantly improve Mountain View MS. However, has anyone considered what this will do to Highland Park MS? If Cooper Mtn kids can make Mountain View significantly better, then moving them out of Highland Park should make Highland Park worse. Is there truly a net benefit here that justifies the significant disruption? Seems like we are sacrificing one school simply for the benefit of another. And, are the other families (Sexton Mtn, Nancy Ryles, Fir Grove) who are currently slated to attend Highland Park aware of this? Right now, they are assuming they are not impacted and thus not engaging in this debate. A decision to move all of Cooper Mtn to Mountain View is significant and does not allow other stakeholders to truly engage in the debate. This decision needs just as much focus and community involvement as the Stoller boundary debate. Please keep Cooper Mtn boundaries the same as they are today.
03/05/2020 8:40 PM	Kexin Zhang	484888@bsd48.org	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don't have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments. This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller. Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek? Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills. Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 8:31 PM	Khamouane Lawless	lawlessgf@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don't have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments. This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller. Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek? Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills. Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 9:52 AM	Khrystyna Porseva	khrystyna_1@yahoo.com	Bonny Slope Elem		ISB	Map from Feb 25 meeting is fair and solves the overcrowding problem in Stoller. No splits needed! New splits return us all to the starting point. No split policy is good for all kids! Please consider to move the 25 Sunset students per year to Westview to keep a smooth feeder pattern. No more splits!
03/05/2020 7:07 PM	Kiran kumar	Abc@gmail.com				BIASED COMMENTS SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY CONDEMNED. I was thinking why no one in the committee are objecting when a committee was trying to make remarks on splitting SPV towards the end of Feb 25th meeting, where the entire committee voted majority to split all the three feeding ES to stroller. These sort of comments will send a wrong impression to the public, and get them to doubt whether all the members are really making unbiased decisions (which would impact several thousands of innocent kids future). So I request all the committee members to make unbiased decisions and encourage them to condemn any biased comments others would make. Also I felt not all the members are coming prepared to the meetings where some are getting creative and thinking to achieve the objectives. Where others are surprised and trying to understand the adjustments done to the map which is released 4 days before the meeting.
03/05/2020 8:31 PM	kvijay	v_koroth@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	The Jacob wismer to Sunset feeder at Stoller is about 18% or over 200 kids in the Feb 25th MAP A. Its not a single digit percentage as MISREPRESENTED by one of the Jacob Wismer testimonies. Its well in line with high school feeders across the district. BSD PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THIS.

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03/05/2020 9:08 PM	kvijay	v_koroth@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Due to INCORRECT FLAT PROJECTIONS in Options and Summa numbers, your 2025 numbers for Stoller are OFF by around 40 kids. This makes a difference! Please check the FLAT PROJECTIONS for Summa and Options and note that when adjusted, we will have 40 students less in Please check Options and Summa numbers for 2025! These should NOT BE FLAT. We will have around 40 fewer kids in Stoller. This MATTERS when we are discussing splitting off communities.
03/05/2020 9:24 PM	kvijay	v_koroth@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	JACOB WISMER CAN BE SPLIT: Jacob Wismer may not want to be split for Timberland, as they may consider it too far (If 4.3 miles is considered too far for them, it should be considered too far for others, though.) But Jacob Wismer could also split to Meadow Park, or they are also only 3.7 miles to Five Oaks, so there are other options for splitting Jacob Wismer. It may make sense for some of their students on the southern end to attend another middle school, and there are a few options.
03/05/2020 9:33 PM	kvijay	v_koroth@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	THERE ARE NINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS CLOSER TO FIVE OAKS THAN SPRINGVILLE:It is just wrong to keep bringing this back again and again, especially when the 2025 numbers with SPV in Stoller are around 1200, WELL UNDER the 1600 in 2020, and even that 1200 is based on extremely high projections, and it drops from there after that. All this talk of splitting up Springville over these aggressive projections serves only one cause : An end run to figure out how to keep Summa in Stoller. That only serves a few, and would be a grave injustice. I know we don't have a committee member from our school or neighborhood to defend us, but I truly appreciate all of you who do and thank you for being the voice of voiceless Springville kids in this boundary adjustment.
03/05/2020 9:45 AM	kvijay	v_koroth@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	PLEASE DONOT SPLIT COMMUNITIES. Human relationships matter.why is everyone discussing how to split Springville multiple ways just to avoid being a few percentage points over in 2025 based on aggressive projections (and FLAT options numbers), based largely on empty lots. We are talking about real children with real relationships here. These are real children that do not have a voice of their own and are looking to this committee to be their voice. Springville children across Arbor Oaks, Abbey Creek and Noyce have real relationships with each other. They play cricket, soccer and baseball with each other at the PCC grounds. They play with each other at the Springville playground. They play with each other at the neighborhood park. Springville and Sato children have real relationships with each other. They play at pirate park. They are neighbors with houses right across from each other. These used to be one school not too long ago! They have only one middle school with proximity given their extreme Northern location.The Feb 25th work-MAP A preserved human relationships. It kept Rock Creek together with their Bethany neighbors. It kept Springville intact and together with its Sato neighbors. It kept Findley intact with no splits. So it went over in 2025 by a few percentage points, even with aggressive projections. The question is so what? We are meeting the actual board objective of 90% in 2021. We are still going down to 1200 kids in 2025 from 1600 kids in Stoller in 2020, and the population is actually projected to drop after that. Is that not worth preserving communities and relationships over? The children of North Bethany need to have their voices represented and their relationships preserved. Please do not chase arbitrary 2025 targets and punish them. Human relationships matter.
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03/05/2020 9:51 AM	kvijay	v_koroth@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Looking closer at the 2025 projections by BSD for Springville, you will notice that BSD projections says that Springville has more growth than Sato... which is TOTALLY INCORRECT. Springville is already BUILT OUT in with new further development. Our elementary school current enrollments say a totally different story than what BSD has projected. Lately BSD projected that Scholls heights elementary school will be overcrowded with all the development in that area but in their own words later nothing like that ever happened. With the history of over projection and clear errors in this process too, springville at Stoller with all of Jacob Wismer and Sato MINUS the summa, will in REALITY be TOTALLY SUSTAINABLE IN 2025.Some Jacob Wismer parents complaining about walkablity to schools but they have no concerns about Springville kids crossing 185th passing 14 STOP SIGNALS, WITH MULTIPLE BUS STOPS IN BETWEEN, IN AN AREA PRONE TO TRAFFIC-ACCIDENT SPENDING MORE THAN 40 MINUTES EACH WAY.IS THIS WHAT EQUALITY STANDS FOR?IN FACT Jacob Wismer is VERY MUCH CLOSER TO FIVE OAKS(3.7 miles) RATHER THAN SPRINGVILLE and the route using Kaiser/Bethany Blvd is much safer for Jacob Wismer to reach Five Oaks.
03/05/2020 4:49 PM	Kyong Zu Park	star217@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS		Please move spring SPV to Five Oaks, to help better diversity, they are closer to FO. The growing community should go to FO, SPV cannot get everything they ask for. Why AC committee is afraid of SPV.
03/05/2020 3:04 PM	Leda Mareth	ledamareth@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	The rock creek elementary school community is willing to move to any middle school, as long as we can be with our neighbors and friends in Bethany. Please in sure that our small school will attend middle school with one of our peers like Bethany, Springville, and Oak Hills.

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03/05/2020 10:10 PM	Lin M	Linma188@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	My neighborhood is Bethany Heights and Banister Heights located at NE of Stoller right next to Abort Heights. We belongs to Findley Elementary school and our kids walk to Stoller every day. Walking to school not only saves bus costs, strengthen kids physically and mentally, but also enhance the bonding between families, school and community. Please don[?]t bus us to a school 4 miles away when the kids can walk to school. Also, our community only has 10 kids to Stoller in 2025, which will put Stoller overcrowded at all.
03/05/2020 5:01 PM	Lisa Park	lisap33076@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Dear Committee, Thanks you for taking all the pressure for various communities and concentrating on making decisions. For Springville community, we have lost k-8, now our kids are bussed to Stoller. Every community has to make scarifies to help the district solving overcrowding issue. Not splitting communities. I want to stay away from all the noise and demonstrations post my own community. If there is a better way helping us by sending us to new school TM is a better option than moving us to FO. But I personally I consider both FO and TM are not a bad choice for us.
03/05/2020 1:49 PM	Lori Near	lori.near@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Dear Committee - At the 2-25 meeting, it was apparent that many of you are feeling frustrated by the process and hoping to come to some agreements with your peers on making a recommendation that makes sense, meets the objectives and is feasible for the long term, not just for 2021. After reading many of the comments from other communities, it is disturbing to see that some are willing to accept having their children in an overcrowded school. I urge you to please consider the repercussions. For years, Stoller has continued to grow exponentially. Even decreasing the numbers from almost 200% capacity today to 114% by 2021 is NOT a solution, it is a bandaid. Overcrowded schools affect our teachers ability to teach and our students ability to learn. Please ONLY consider SOLUTIONS that take us through 2025 so that we are NOT having to repeat this process again in just a few short years. The easiest way to start is by looking at the 2 largest growing communities - Springville and Sato. The data shows very clearly that these areas are growing today and will continue to grow into 2025. For this reason, both of these elementary schools CANNOT feed into Stoller together. It will NEVER solve the problem or meet the objective. This IS NOT a ploy to suggest that Stoller belongs to the Jacob Wismer community, but putting walkable kids on a bus just to keep other kids from having to endure a bus ride that is 5 minutes longer than the bus ride they are already enduring, is completely irresponsible, and a disservice to our hardworking teachers, administrators and all BSD students. Let's look at what is in the best interest of our district. The school district responsible to educating our kids and building future leaders of tomorrow. Thank you!
03/05/2020 11:34 PM	Lori Near	lori.near@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Dear committee - As we near the end of this process, please consider logic and the best interests of the BSD. Let's remember that less than a year ago, our district was facing about a \$34 million deficit. The BSD cannot afford to spend money wastefully. Please consider the following: 1. Proceed based on the assumption that SUMMA stays in Stoller. Even if it is moved to Timberland, you have to assume that a good portion of kids who would have chosen the SUMMA program at Stoller would opt out of it in order to stay at Stoller, rather than bus to Timberland. Moving SUMMA is not a dependable population control factor. 2. The priority should be on walkability and proximity to Stoller - it is irresponsible and NOT cost effective to bus kids to a school further away if they have the option to walk to a school in their neighborhood. 3. Findley should NOT be pushed out of Stoller. It makes no sense at all from a proximity and cost basis, and it overweights Stoller with a mostly Westview HS bound population.The simple and logical solution is to keep Findley at Stoller, and to send all of Springville to a different Middle School. All of Springville students are currently being bussed or getting parent rides, regardless of which MS they attend, so proximity or walkability is not a factor for them. Please make decisions that are cost effective and long term. Thank you!
03/05/2020 10:55 PM	Luis	lobf99@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	BRING BACK MAP C2.1. Some changes, move Bethany and Oak Hills to Timberland. Balance Summa in Meadow Park. This does a better job not overcrowding Stoller. WALKABILITY SAVES MONEY!
03/05/2020 11:35 AM	Lynnsey Sitter	lynnseysitter@gmail.com	Findley Elem			When I show people who don't live here where our home is in proximity to Stoller (less than 0.2 miles) versus Timberland (4 miles), they're absolutely flummoxed as to why we'd be bussed PAST a school we could easily walk to. It's just common sense. Or so I thought before we began this process. I've come to find out that while it's "outrageous" for kids from another elementary to go 5 miles rather than 3 on a bus, our net gain of 4 miles is perfectly acceptable. And while it's practically "unlawful" for them to be taken so far from their neighborhood, it's completely fine for us to be driven, quite literally, from ours. Never mind that the two largest and fastest growing elementary schools in this district will barely fit alone together in any middle school within 5 years. Or the waste of transportation costs. Or the fact that we'll all be right back here again in a short time. As long as the loudest voices are heard? I hope not. I hope that those committee members who are unsettled by the longer term ramifications of the current map can help us all reach a sustainable solution.
03/05/2020 4:00 PM	Lynnsey Sitter	lynnseysitter@gmail.com	Findley Elem			The district needs to clarify the ACTUAL increase in cost for bussing ALL of Findley to Timberland. It's NOT the number that many people keep using in their comments. It logically can't be unless you're putting 400 kids on 4 buses. The difference between bussing the kids who are already bussed to Stoller to Timberland instead is the number they're using, ignoring the amount it will cost to bus the other half of the school who currently walk. Those buses will go FARTHER and, logically, cost even more. The district needs to be transparent about the actual cost.
03/05/2020 10:22 PM	Marie Knapp	lmknapp@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Please keep Springville, Sato, and Jacob Wismer at Stoller. This is the only solution we have seen that meets the objective for 2021 for Stoller at 90%- one of the few clear objectives for this process.

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03/05/2020 8:32 PM	Mary Lynn Klafka	pdxthree@comcast.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don't have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 9:44 AM	Meena Venkat	meenakshib@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem			When we moved to Bethany last year, we made a conscious decision to buy a home near school, even if it was an older home. Feels like we are penalized for that now. How is it fair to bus a kid who is literally down the street from the Stoller? The solution to minimize bussing of some kids CAN NOT be adding more kids on buses from every community. JW is also being punished with a poor HS feeder pattern for being the closest school to Stoller. Bring back a version of Map C. - KeepJWTogether-DontSplitJWSUMMA
03/05/2020 6:22 PM	Meenakshi Dewan	meenakshi_dara@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Dear Committee Members,Please keep walkable JW in Stoller and if possible walkable Findley as well for better feeder patterns! Please don't split JW by moving Summa away to Timberland! Bussing all those walkable students is not the best solution BSD has to offer to solve the overcrowding problem at Stoller! Please use buses to transport kids who absolutely have to be transported!! Keep Tax dollars in the classes and with teachers and not waste them on buses!! Thanks
03/05/2020 10:45 PM	Mike Sicard	msicard@willamettehvac.com	Cooper Mountain Elem	Highland Park MS	Mountainside	Regarding new middle school boundaries and specifically Cooper Mountain Elementary Dear Boundary Committee Members,I am writing to ask that the Middle School Boundary Committee members please remember their goals as they review for this final process in the middle school boundary revision. 1. Create an attendance boundary for the Timberland-area middle school - Focus on overcrowding in the North with boundary adjustments.2. Adjust the attendance boundary for Stoller MS to provide a projected student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS. Refocus on this goal and come to a consensus.3. Review and adjust the attendance boundaries of other middle schools, as needed, to accommodate the new Timberland-area middle school boundary. Cooper Mountain Elementary should not be affected drastically by this goal, i.e. completely re-doing boundary borders to have 80% of CME student body change to a different middle school then the current feeder.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. A minor adjustment is not considered to be moving the majority of a school population (moving hundreds of students to a completely different feeder school) based on the recommendation of 2 parent speakers at the last 2 meetings. The majority of this schools' parent and student population support a feeder into the current middle school pattern, Highland Park. Keep Cooper mountain a Highland Park feeder school in order to keep numbers in line with capacity, to ensure the LEAST AMOUNT OF DISRUPTION to the student body and community, and to keep neighbors with neighbors (we have a large boundary area that floats very far South in Beaverton - Where other bordering elementary schools such as Sexton Mt., Nancy Ryles feed into Highland Park), and finally the absurdity of it all by making such drastic changes at the 11th hour to ONE SCHOOL in the process. Other goals seem still far off from being met (the first 3 in the boundary adjustment committee's own statement .Furthermore, The examination of poverty and free and reduced lunch statistics belongs in the equitable middle school experience meetings - as the committee itself has stated this is not a criteria for adjusting boundaries. Please do not disrupt an entire school at the last minute based on 2 parents RANDOM comments in the last 2 boundary meetings. Keep CME feeding into Highland Park as it has been doing for the last 20 years.
03/05/2020 10:50 AM	Mimira Cole	mimiracole@gmail.com	Oak Hills Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview	The overall decision that will be made eventually will not please everyone. I will suggest BSD/AC look at the long term effect of any decision made. As it concerns me, I like the present map that does not isolate any ES north of US 26 to a MS alone. JW can become fully Westview feeding . Oak Hills (whole) can become Sunset feeding - Westview is already overcrowded, Barnes (whole) can become Beaverton HS feeding (this increases the %s of the MPMS to HS split somewhat equal) . Middles schools (ex. Cedar Park) having a decrease in growth from 2021 to 2025 in any configuration of the ESs feeding to it should be made at 100% for 2021 now. I like the idea of moving walkable Findley (to Stoller) to JW and moving non walking JW to Findley. And Summa can move to Timberland. Nothing can be done about Stoller and Timberland MS becoming elitist or semi-elitist. Diversity and Free or reduced lunches have inherent geographical constraints, you cannot move ESs in these regions elsewhere to accommodate the district's poverty average of ~34%.
03/05/2020 9:44 PM	Naveen Kasam	kasam_naveen@yahoo.com	Springville K-8			200 SUNSET BOUND KIDS FROM STOLLER (SPV+SATO+JW-SUMMA)From the NET resident grid code map it is very clear that even WITHOUT SUMMA IN STOLLER, there will be around 200 sunset bound . Jacob Wismer's feeder pattern is like a lot of schools across BSD AND TOTALLY UNLIKE EAST OAKHILLS SUNSET SITUATION WHERE ONLY less than 25 kids go to Sunset each yearStoller to Sunset feeder even without SUMMA looks healthy. This shouldnt be a reason to split up schools nor a reason to lose SIGNIFICANT FRL RATIO AT STOLLER
03/05/2020 8:35 PM	Olesya Baykalova	olesyaBaykalova@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don't have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.

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03/05/2020 2:44 PM	Patel	sysd@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	For public schools, proximity should be the topmost principle (well, assuming capacity is not an issue) when school boundary is adjusted. SPV is 4 miles to Five Oaks and FE is 4 miles to Timberland. But, the truth of fact is, several Findley communities are next door to Stoller. If one of the schools, among SPV/Sato/JW/FE, needs to be moved to another school, which one should be moved? Isn't it obvious? I am living in Bethany Heights and our family have been attending Stoller social events since we moved into the area. Please do the right thing and keep Findley in Stoller. Walkability is not optional it is a must. Save our hard earned tax paying dollars and keep money in class instead of busing kids to school who can walk to the school.
03/05/2020 3:01 PM	Patel	sysd@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	There are many problems with the latest work-map that has been released. Stoller MS remains at 130% capacity in 2025 and Meadow-Park, Whitford and Stoller at all over capacity in 2021. This Map is also the worst case for the proximity criteria set in the JC. It moves all of Findley into Timberland - which means more than 1/2 of Findley will be bussed to Timberland. If Summa from Stoller is moved entirely to TL - Stoller still remains at 114% over capacity in 2025 - so we are back to square one -- while also spending more money on bussing costs for an additional 25% of Jacob Wismer students for SUMMA at TL. This is an irresponsible use of Taxpayer dollars for a school district that is cash-strapped and has a \$35 million deficit. And it DOES NOT solve the problem. Walkable Findley needs to stay at Stoller; SUMMA should stay at Stoller - at least for the walkable Findley students - with the option to add a SUMMA program at TL. Split feeders are not ideal - but if walkable Findley (which is 1/2 of Findley) is kept at Stoller - they form a decent contingent of Sunset feeding students along with Jacob Wismer. Without Findley - the currently published map isolates Jacob Wismer students as the only Sunset feeding students in Stoller. This current map causes more issues than it fixes. Springville and RC should be moved to Five-Oaks (the hoo-haa over 45 minute bussing times is false and BSD trial runs have proven that this bussing time is within average). SPV & RC will balance Five-Oaks and reduce the %age of Free-reduced-Lunches there. Rachel Carson could be moved to Cedar Park (or Meadow Park) - with a potential move of MP Summa to Timberland along with eastern Oak-Hills. This would create much better feeder patterns for all the schools involved. The committee must reject this current and very flawed map.
03/05/2020 3:53 PM	Patel	sysd@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Putting SPV from Stoller to Five Oaks would only add 5-10 mins to bus routes, but sending the entire Findley to Timberland would not only add time but also require add more buses for those families who can walk to the Stoller. It will increase the cost and create more traffic. Also the current map doesn't completely solve the over capacity issue for Stoller, why it is being recommended? What is the goal to have this boundary adjustment for the last 6 months or so? With the current map, Findley will be the only impacted school in the north bethany area to meet everyone's needs? We are not asking for special treatment, but equal treatment!
03/05/2020 3:55 PM	Patel	sysd@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	SPV parents seem to be spending a lot of money and effort during the MS boundary process; Wearing custom t-shirts, arranging bus for parents, hiring attorney, TV channels. Feeding this elite population to FO will make FO better MS and equitable to Stoller. This voluntarism/activism will definitely benefit the FO community which is struggling to get volunteers.
03/05/2020 3:57 PM	Patel	sysd@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	There are multiple ways to fill Timberland. But only ONE WAY to fill Stoller to avoid overcrowding. Findley & Jacob Wismer & Sato Findley and JW decline with compensate growth of SATO
03/05/2020 8:41 PM	Paul Lewerenz	Paul.lewerenz@oregonfirst.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don't have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments. This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller. Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek? Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills. Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 1:07 PM	Pavan Akkisetty	avspavan@gmail.com	Findley Elem			Please DONOT split Findley - Stoller or Timberland. Stoller is our 1st choice but Timberland is ok too, if all Findley can remain intact.

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03/05/2020 4:28 PM	Preeju Philip	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Dear Committee membersThank You for all your work in this complicated process . It is grueling to say the least for you and to everybody involved. Thank you again.It is heartbreaking to see Springville community being chastised for being concerned parents just like any other community . We have seen proposals right and left to make Springville kids travel more than 5 miles away , proposals that make Springville an island up north , bus trials that are not CLOSE to REALITY(and we all know that), our kids being sent 5 miles away so that an options program can be prioritized and a lot of forces working against Springville kids from day 1. The first set of maps that came out from the parent drawing sessions shows Springville going south when the new school was built in the East and no schools from Stoller feeding into Timberland. As concerned parents , we had to get involved and come to the meetings . We IN NO WAY wanted to suppress any other community's opinions or presence . Its hard as parents , we only can communicate and make our voices heard through comments or through ONE two minute testimony while the interests/concerns of other schools at Stoller are bought ahead by their representatives on the committee . Wearing the same colored tshirts , signs etc are peaceful and considered non disruptive ways to make your voices heard in most townhall meetings everywhere . In the January 30th meeting, steering away from the maps that the Committee had voted ,BSD out of the blue introduces a walkability map and then hundreds of people clapped over and over again(even after being told not to) at every mention of walkability which in fact is not available to most kids in the district , that was somehow acceptable ? As a community , we have always talked and debated amongst ourselves to make ourselves heard in a respectful way and that is what we have tried to do . Our only intentions were the well being of the kids . Thank You everybody on the committee who has listened to our concerns and have kept our kids in mind while voting . All we want in this process is equity and to not setup or kids to a great disadvantage and being the northernmost area in the district , we really only have one middle school at a reasonable distance . The next middle school is 5 miles away from our house and a lot of kids live even further North than me.Thank You for hearing me out.
03/05/2020 9:28 PM	Preeju Philip	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Even WITHOUT SUMMA IN STOLLER, there will be around 200 sunset bound kids from Stoller ... This is from the Net resident grid code map that was released. Jacob Wismer[?]'s feeder pattern is like a lot of schools across BSD AND TOTALLY UNLIKE EAST OAKHILLS SUNSET SITUATION WHERE ONLY less than 25 kids go to Sunset each yearStoller to Sunset feeder even without SUMMA looks healthy this SHOULD NOT a reason to Split up School nor a REASON TO LOSE SIGNIFICANT FRL RATIO AT STOLLER
03/05/2020 9:33 PM	Preeju Philip	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	SPRINGVILLE GROWTH FOR 2025 is CLEARLY OVERPROJECTEDSpringville is built out - you can drive around our community and see. We are not going to be growing that much by 2025..... JW plus SATO PLUS SPRINGVILLE IS 88% permanent capacity in 2021 and TOTALLY A SUSTAINABLE COMBINATION EVEN FOR 2025.
03/05/2020 9:42 PM	Preeju Philip	preejususan@gmail.com				SUMMA SHOULD BE MOVED OUT OF STOLLER.From all the Variants of Maps that were made by BSD , One thing is crystal clear that SUMMA cannot stay in Stoller . It has to be moved out to Timberland OR any other school with space . Any map with SUMMA in Stoller , wrecks havoc on utilizations . It does not even come near to 90% permanent capacity of Stoller .Moving out SUMMA from Stoller was considered in the past as well as a great way to alleviate overcrowding with minimum impact but at that time Timberland was not available . Now it makes complete sense to move SUMMA out to Timberland and accommodate more regular middle schoolers who do not have another choice nearby . SUMMA is an option program and it is a choice we make knowing the pros and cons of it . Please do not consider an Options program in an area that has high demand and scarcity of nearby Middle Schools .
03/05/2020 10:25 PM	priya	priyatelang@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS		I'm concerned with how much attention SPV is seeking to get at the boundary meetings. I'm also concerned with the lack of concern for overcrowding at Stoller, given that long term sustainable solution should be the goal of BSD, and the committee should be working under this directive. Stoller is currently being given that kind of priority, because no other part of BSD is experiencing the rapid growth we are seeing out here. It is but for the best, if SPV split garnered a majority of votes..even with a split, the school is as big as 2 small schools (think poor feeder patterns). It must be acknowledged that what happened to SPV was not fair, but to reshuffle the entire north to accommodate one school that refuses to be cooperative itself, that[?]'s what[?]'s not fair to the rest of the community!
03/05/2020 10:51 PM	Priya Mani	heypriya@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Dear Committee Members, Be the change-makers we are counting on you to be! In all sincerity, JW community is exhausted trying to show you facts that are in plain sight. JW[?]'s comments seem to lost in a sea of SPV comments and its unclear if our voice is even coming to you. JW belongs in Stoller along with Summa and Walking Findley. This should be a no brainer if Policy JC still upholds, otherwise BSD school Board please take notice, its time to rewrite the laws. You have the chance, to create 3 fantastic schools with the Common MS experience initiated by BSD to- balance out academic success, spread equity and reduce FRL at several impacted schools, uphold walkability and overall work with capacity. Our kids deserve better from you. They deserve their parents be able to hear about their achievements and their difficulties from their teachers at PTO conferences. They merit smaller class sizes, so they can learn from their teachers one on one, which goes a much longer way in paving success than just being able to bus to your nearest school. They deserve to go to HS with their friends. Two wrongs don[?]t make a right, they make it very wrong.

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03/05/2020 10:54 PM	PRP	pram125@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear committee, Thanks for time and efforts your putting as part of this committee. Stoller is terribly over crowed and this process is long overdue to improve the quality of education our kids deserve. However, the new boundary should provide a healthy feeder pattern from Middle school to High school. Since Stoller feeds both Westview and Sunset high schools we need a fair and even representation for both these schools. Current map has only 17% of Stoller feeding to Sunset which is too low. Please address this issue in the coming meeting. Lastly walk-ability is a privilege most of the current kids around Stoller have. This is something that needs to taken into consideration and given priority when the new boundaries are drawn. Busing the kids who can walk to Stoller to accommodate students who are already bused doesn't make sense. Since we cannot change the locations of current and new new middle school, these kids who are already bused can take reasonable additional few extra minutes to other middle school to minimize disruption. Your transportation dept bus route data supports this argument. I am hoping committee will take factual data to make decision. Don't be influenced by false propaganda and emotional comments/emails received from the community!!
03/05/2020 11:51 AM	Rajesh Kumar Thakur	rktthakur@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		It is really hard to see that all of the comments are read by the committee members. Springville ES is drowning all other schools by 100% comments everyday. Please try to read comments from other schools too!Rock Creek, Bethany and West Oak Hills are one community and we want our kids to stay together. Please DO NOT isolate small schools like Rock Creek from their community. Thank you
03/05/2020 11:54 AM	Rajesh Kumar Thakur	rktthakur@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		It recently came to my attention that in the past month, rock creek has been third in District with regards to the number of comments posted on this site. We have mustered over 300 comments. The school with the most comments is Springville, with over 2000. I think this makes it important to illustrate that 1. There is no possible way that all the comments are being reviewed. 2. If this is going to be the way you guys integrate the community into your decision making process, it seems to unfairly biased towards the larger schools. This is where the concern comes from with myself and my fellow rock creek parents. If we are forced to go somewhere without northern neighbors or forced to split, this will impact us much more than a school with 2.5x the number of kids... where a school like springville goes, they bring their community with them. We are intimately tied to our neighbors, Bethany and west Oak Hills, and together with those schools our numbers closely approximate the numbers of the larger schools. Please consider us a package deal as you would Springville or Sato. Keep us with our community.
03/05/2020 4:40 PM	Ram R	rramak@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		As a parent of a 5th grader who qualified for SUMMA I am excited that BSD offers programs to help kids grow and realize their full potential. 100% of Jacob Wismer residents are within walking distance of Stoller MS. Our kid has been walking to the elementary school this past year and enjoys that experience. However if the SUMMA program is not available at Stoller and the kids need to bused elsewhere it is no longer attractive to us. We are likely to drop out and just attend regular school. I request the committee to keep Jacob Wismer intact at Stoller and have a SUMMA program in this school as well.
03/05/2020 12:57 PM	Rashmi Mudiyanur	Rashmi.mudiyanur@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Hello Committe Members,We are pouring out our concern as we firmly believe that all of you reading these comments and weighing in on the votes with regards to our children and their future, will make nothing less than a most ideal solution for ALL within BSD community. Please note that some Jacob Wismer (JC) parents are suggesting Findley split and they would like ALL the walkable Findley kids to go with them to Stoller. I think this is absolutely outrageous of them to ask for another elementary school to be split just so their kids have friends with them going into Sunset. And specially when they also stress another point about how not to move SUMMA out of Stoller, just so their JW kids summa and non-summa can stay together. I bring this to your attention as the decision should not be influenced by folks who have NO STAKE (JW parents) when it comes to the future of OUR kids (findley kids).PLEASE consider JC policy that says 'Feeder patterns from elementary, middle to high school'. Findley is a classic elementary setup that organically follows this policy - as a school togther we feed into one MS Stoller and then we continue to feed TOGETHER into sunset. HUMBLE REQUEST TO KEEP us FINDLEY TOGETHER!
03/05/2020 9:48 PM	Ravali	ravali_c8@yahoo.com	Springville K-8				[?]TRIANGLE[?] OF GROWTH- BETWEEN BETHANY AND KAISER ROADThere is a triangle of growth in Jacob Wismer south of Laidlaw road. There are brand new homes being built there for single families. This area is projected to grow to over 100 kids by 2025. It could instead be zoned to Findley and Timberland.
03/05/2020 11:57 AM	Ravi	pr.ravi@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Dear Committee If splitting of schools is not desirable (which I agree with), why is a discussion on a three way split of JWE is even being entertained? There should be some guard rails to guide the discussion - otherwise we run the risk of spending valuable time discussing illogical and impractical ideas.I see discussions begging to not split their schools and in the same breath advocate splitting another school which is already split. JWE and Findley communities have spent countless time and energy through volunteering and supporting Stoller in making it what it is today.Most logical and practical solution is to send whole SPV to FO. They are all bused today anyway and so no additional buses needed. Lets have JWE, SATO triangle; Summa feed to Stoller. Lets provide an option to walkable findley students a choice between Stoller or Timberland. Together we can all make FO, Stoller and Timberland schools beacons of quality education.

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03/05/2020 7:21 PM	Reetu Patel	hi_reetup67@gmail.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	I have attended all the boundary meetings. Each ES community has strongly advocated a single point.. they are all united and same in one way but they are all vastly different in what do they stand for? And that says it all.. I live in north and would keep it limited to that (1) Bethany ES, Oak Hills ES - They want to stay together with community and keep simpler feeder pattern without damaging split (2) Rock creek - they are probably most empathetic to neighboring schools and process over all.. They want to stay together with neighboring schools and are ready to go to one of south MS (3) Findley - they are ok to go to new MS but are stressing walkability aspects keeping districts budget and impact on transportation costs (4) Jacob Wismer - they do not want yet another damaging split and would like to keep SUMMA in boundary again due to impact of split on their community (5) Sato - they are very new school and do not want impact on their elementary kids of any split, they have already gone through one or more splits in last 3 years while Sato boundary was drawn .. that brings to (6) Springville - most vibrant community who comes up with every trick in political rulebook including borderline bullying .. and what for? Just some extra commute time? They are able to stay together with their large community concentrated in Arbor Oaks, DR Horton and Noyes neighborhoods.. Committe: Please think this through and take justifying decision. ALL OTHER ES schools have valid point.. SPV has not shown any compassion or empathy towards neighborhood togetherness, avoiding split feeder, saving transportation dollars or keeping walkable area in neighborhood school.. Yes they will talk about any and all of this if it keeps them in same MS.. but if same rule is being applied to any other school, while impacting theirs.. they would protest. Where is the fairness in this? Please take wise decision.. keep neighborhood communities, walkability, avoid split feeder while drawing boundary. Commute is easiest to get used to provided students are kept together with their friends in whichever school they go to.
03/05/2020 8:33 PM	Richard Klafka	pdxthree@comcast.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don[?]t have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 4:00 PM	Sai	Saisiya@gmail.om	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Dear Committee - Over the last few weeks, this boundary adjustment process has divided communities, brought about negativity and brought one community to a point where logic and common sense has been tossedaway, and replaced by an unwillingness to make any rational compromises or accept any of the proven facts that have presented themselves. Today I watched a clip that was done on KATU News about the process. Itbroke my heart to hear a parent suggest that his child would have to SUFFER immensely at the expense of others because the district planned the locations of their middle schools so poorly. It is easy to point fingersand place blame but none of that fixes or addresses the problems we face. I would NOT call being on a bus for 10 extra minutes a day as SUFFERING, especially when those 10 extra minutes allow 1200 Stollerstudents and an additional 1,000 FO students - including theirs - an opportunity at a quality education. Is it fair to have 1,200 students and hundreds of teachers and administrators subjected to 40 students in aclassroom? According to Mr. Sparks, what we have to do in this situation is look at the entirety of the district and what's right for the district. If that holds true, then I urge you to consider that we are in a situationwhere 2 communities - Springville and Sato - simply CANNOT feed into the same Middle School unless we believe that 40 students to one teacher is an acceptable outcome. Walkability matters. Students on a bus willNOT be harmed if on that bus for 5 extra minutes. Please bring walkable Findley back to Stoller along with JW. Summa students deserve to be at their neighborhood school and move to HS with their peers. Do notallow noise and distractions to veer you from the true data points. I remain hopeful in the process. Thank you!
03/05/2020 9:31 PM	SANJOY K SAHA	sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS		EVEN WITHOUT SUMMA IN STOLLER, there will be around 200 sunset bound kids from Stoller ... This is from the Net resident grid code map that was released. Jacob Wismer[?]'s feeder pattern is like a lot of schools across BSD AND TOTALLY UNLIKE EAST OAKHILLS SUNSET SITUATION WHERE ONLY less than 25 kids go to Sunset each yearStoller to Sunset feeder even without SUMMA looks healthy this SHOULD NOT a reason to Split up School nor a REASON TO LOSE SIGNIFICANT FRL RATIO AT STOLLER
03/05/2020 9:33 PM	SANJOY K SAHA	sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Reading comments from others neighborhoods... It appears some folks recommend Map C 2.1. This does not make any sense. That map severely underutilize Timberland to below 60% while still making Stoller at 99% 2021 and 106% at 2025. It also overloads Five Oaks at 108% and Meadow Park at 119%. This is not EQUITABLE.Understandably, we all want our kids to have the best educational experience. Let all kids have an equal share of the pie. Please also think about kids in other neighborhoods other than our own

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03/05/2020 9:36 PM	SANJOY K SAHA	sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS		As the Committee is aware, the Board has established an objective for the middle school boundary adjustment project of:[?]Adjust the attendance boundary for Stoller MS to provide a projected student population of approximately 90% of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS.[?]The permanent capacity of Stoller Middle School is 1,081 students and 90 percent of the permanent capacity of Stoller MS is approximately 970 students. A question was raised at the January 9th committee meeting of at what time is the approximately 90 percent supposed to be attained. The objective is to be met for School Year 2021-22.Meeting the objective is critical to the project as is understanding the potential long term implications of meeting the objective. Staff have provided the committee with middle school enrollment projections to SY 2029-30. The purpose of providing the projections is to understand the enrollment trends and the potential impacts to the middle schools by the boundary ideas being reviewed by the committee. SY 2025-26 was chosen as another measuring point due to the size of that projected enrollment. While [?]approximately 90 percent of the permanent capacity[?] is not a measuring point for SY 2025-26, it is important that the committee[?]s action include adequate analysis of boundary locations so as to not require additional boundary adjustments in the near future. A recommendation that will result in an under or over enrollment in the future for any middle school which does not allow for an equitable learning environment will not be acceptable.
03/05/2020 9:44 PM	SANJOY K SAHA	sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Hello Committee and Mr Sparks,I attended the boundary meeting on 2/25 and was disappointed that the best possible working map with least disruption and filling all JC criteria could not be finalized. I think there was some confusion on moving SUMMA out of Stoller and the 2021 capacity plan. This got later clarified by Mr Sparks that SUMMA will be moved out of Stoller and the JC policy for 2021 is 90% of permanent capacity.If you move Summa out of Stoller and move all of Findley to Timberland the utilization will be 88% for 2021.RockCreek and Bethany schools can be moved together to Meadow to keep the communities together.Also there was a discussion of moving Springville and Rock Creek to Five Oaks. Doing this will have ramifications that affect mutiple schools. This will lead to splits in McKinley and Elmonica, pushes Beaver Acres and Aloha Huber to Meadow Park. This in turn can overcrowd MP,make MP feed to three different high schools and causes the free lunch ration to skyrocket in Meadow Park.Due to all these cascading affects,the working map on 2/25 is the best solution to go forward. My humble request is to finalize the working map and do the right thing for entire BSD population.
03/05/2020 9:47 PM	SANJOY K SAHA	sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS		By moving the Summa Program to Timberland, we are solving multiple issues:We better accommodate students in the Summa Program, majority of whom come from Findley. Cedar Mills, Terra Linda and Bonny Slope could all feed Timberland. We can look forward to a much more conducive environment for the Summa Program where our children's achievements are only limited by their imagination. The Summa Program deserves a better host school that offers more space and better facilities with more updated features. In an overcrowded environment, Summa's features are minimized, its activities are constrained, and its overall results bounded and hemmed in. Exceptional children deserve a first-rate Summa Program that's not possible if the program remains at Stoller.When Summa is in Timberland, the congestion in Stoller is outright relieved. The 2025 projected congestion at Stoller is actually a non-issue if correct numbers are taken into consideration. Springville, Sato, and Jacob Wismer will keep Stoller's student population as projected at 90% permanent capacity in 2021.Stoller will keep a diversified student population. Lower middle income families in Springville help Stoller keep its socio-economic diversity. This simple solution assures that communities remain intact and children are within close proximity to home. Children will be among peers, friends and neighbors during and off school days.
03/05/2020 10:00 PM	Sara Lau	yl19982012@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Walkable Findley families (Bannister Creek, Bethany Height, and Oakridge) say it is ok to split Findley to preserve walkability. The areas of Findley that can walk to Stoller would like to preserve walkability to school. Please keep map C. Keep walkable FE kids in Stoller!
03/05/2020 12:27 PM	Sarah Imbrie	sarahimbrie@comcast.net	Sato Elem	Highland Park MS	Mountainside	ISB After reading through the comments, I am compelled to reiterate that making last minute changes to Cooper Mountain's boundaries as a means to change the percentages of free and reduced lunch is not in line with the objectives of this committee. Equity is a vital to all of our schools; if this is to be the focus of boundary changes than it needs to be applied to all schools, rather than singling out a single elementary school at the end of meeting as well as near the end of this process. I ask that the committee focus on the original objectives for this boundary process. Please note the overwhelming opinion of the majority of Cooper Mountain families to continue the current feeder pattern.
03/05/2020 3:12 PM	Sharon Zell	sharonzell@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Rock Creek is a small school. Our community is smaller, so our voice is in danger of being lost. But our kids are just as important as every other kid in every other community. Our size does not mean we can be shoved wherever we fit after all other schools have had their needs met, Keep Rock Creek with its community! Keep Rock Creek with Bethany and Westview feeding Oak Hills. If we cannot stay with Bethany, then we should stay with our other neighbor, Springville. Do not ignore our small school. Our kids matter too.

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03/05/2020 12:48 AM	Shauna Rakshe	Shauna.puhl@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Please keep Jacob Wismer students together for middle school and provide them with good feeder patterns to high school. Teens rely heavily on their peers and while many can thrive in schools full of only new faces, this is not the ideal. Sending summa to Timberland reduces the jw population at stoller by about 30% (50% for this year's 5th graders), reducing JW-sunset to a single-digit percentage of the sunset population. Similarly, JW-westview kids in summa would attend Timberland and then westview, knowing no one but other summa kids at westview. Neither scenario is fair or healthy, and busing all these jw kids to Timberland is a waste of resources. Please keep JW together and keep a summa program at stoller. If you MUST send the entirety of summa to Timberland, please change the high school boundaries so that all of jw feeds to sunset. Thank you!
03/05/2020 10:06 PM	shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I am concerned with the over-focus on Stoller at these boundary meetings. Stoller is a great school but is not so special that it cannot handle ever using even one portable classroom in five years, when we expect students at other schools across the district to use them regularly. I do not understand why it is okay to have other buildings above capacity, and then state that Stoller must remain under permanent capacity forever. This would also mean that all existing portables would just sit unused at that location while we move more students further away. Why should Stoller be given that kind of priority?
03/05/2020 10:11 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		As one committee member had correctly pointed out, that some parts of Springville has the most poverty area in Stoller. Taking Springville out will only make the economic diversity in Stoller WORSE. The February 25 working map which had all of Springville in Stoller shows good economic diversity numbers for Stoller. Moving summa out will help getting improved FRL numbers. The February 25 Working Map meets objective one and objective two and better FRL ratio at Stoller WITHOUT splitting any schools. Please vote for this combination in Stoller: Jacob Wismer plus Sato Plus Springville only. No Summa.
03/05/2020 10:14 PM	shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Springville MS kids should not be bused all the way for no fault of theirs. PLEASE do not uproot all or portions of Springville from its North Bethany community. #FEEL FOR SPRINGVILLE KIDS
03/05/2020 10:19 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		We realize that this map is not perfect, but nothing ever is, and this is the most balanced path going forward with broad support across a large group of northern families. We need to understand that all of us have to sacrifice something for the greater good. Jacob Wismer is not ready to sacrifice anything. Jacob Wismer wants walkability, Summa and Findley in Stoller. Jacob Wismer committee members and parents need to understand they are not getting split and have walkability to Stoller. If we discard the current map, multiple northern schools will be SPLIT. This final working map provides the most optimal path forward, given all the difficult constraints. We all hope that the committee and the superintendent will move forward with the Feb 25th workmap with minimal changes.
03/05/2020 10:25 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Thanks committee and BSD staff for all your work during this boundary process. Springville families appreciate the comments from committee members during the February 25th meeting that seem to understand the need to keep communities together, specifically keeping Springville students at Stoller which is the closest middle school in their North Bethany neighborhood. Some committee members voiced their opinion that we should make the simplest, most straightforward changes in order to cause the least disruption, which would be moving all Summa students and all Findley students to Timberland; making room for all of Sato, Springville, and Jacob Wismer students at Stoller. These moves would cause less elementary school splits, and ensure general education students go to their closest middle school.
03/05/2020 9:42 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear committee, Please go forward with the Feb 25th workmap for Stoller while moving out SUMMA. You will find out very quickly that you can either make a much richer Stoller with ripple effects across the entire district. Or, you can accept the Feb 25th workmap, with a MARGINALLY over permanent capacity Stoller in 2025, still SIGNIFICANTLY UNDER total capacity after which the population drops, even based on the most aggressive OVER projections. This is not even remotely comparable to today's situation. Today Stoller is OVER TOTAL CAPACITY. I know there are concerns about JW High School feeders but I do want to point out that there will still be 200 Sunset kids in Stoller AFTER SUMMA MOVES OUT. It is by no means comparable to the OH-E situation and must not be used to unravel the maps.
03/05/2020 9:48 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Can Stoller handle 114% permanent capacity in 2025? As it turns out, this would be 328 students less than Stoller has this year, when it is operating at 144% permanent capacity (so it now has even more kids than the portables can hold). We are proposing reducing that number considerably- far below total capacity and only a few classrooms over permanent capacity for a few years in the worst case scenario. At least 12 district schools are operating above permanent capacity this year, and use portables. Considering the alternative is to slice apart communities, we will live with 114%.
03/05/2020 9:54 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I could see the hesitation in approving the last working map at the previous meeting. Few important things to be considered :1) it is the best map for all communities - so far no other map has come as close to keeping Communities together as this one 2) diversity and economics are nicely balanced out 3) 14% in 2025 is doable. Since numbers are declining in 2026. Please get this done with so that communities can get over this uncertainty, animosity and fighting over boundaries.
03/05/2020 9:59 PM	Shawli	shawli22@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Springville community was split when Sato opened, with the expectation that the students from both schools would again reunite at Stoller. Springville also recently lost their middle school option. So if Springville goes to Five Oaks or Meadow Park they have now lost their closest neighbors and former schoolmates as well as their home middle school.

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03/05/2020 10:15 AM	Siriana Christensen	Siriananelson@hotmail.com		Five Oaks MS		The last proposed map does not help Five Oaks. Right now it has the highest poverty levels of all the middle schools and this map makes it worse. Our community has a great opportunity to have our students learn empathy and tolerance if the student bodies are better balanced.
03/05/2020 7:26 AM	Srinivas	annamaraju@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS		Please include JW summa students to Stoller considering walkability to Stoller from Arbor view JW students.
03/05/2020 2:00 PM	Teresa Bodtker	teresabodtker@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Please do not isolate Rock Creek in this process, as a smaller school please give us a chance academically and keep our community intact. I do not have a problem going to any school as long as we go with our neighbors . Thank you
03/05/2020 8:15 AM	Thomas Lyttle	lyttle@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem			It recently came to my attention that in the past month, rock creek has been third in District with regards to the number of comments posted on this site. We have mustered over 300 comments. The school with the most comments is Springville, with over 2000. I think this makes it important to illustrate that 1. There is no possible way that all the comments are being reviewed. 2. If this is going to be the way you guys integrate the community into your decision making process, it seems to unfairly biased towards the larger schools. This is where the concern comes from with myself and my fellow rock creek parents. If we are forced to go somewhere without northern neighbors or forced to split, this will impact us much more than a school with 2.5x the number of kids... where a school like springville goes, they bring their community with them. We are intimately tied to our neighbors, Bethany and west Oak Hills, and together with those schools our numbers closely approximate the numbers of the larger schools. Please consider us a package deal as you would Springville or Sato. Keep us with our community.
03/05/2020 8:36 PM	Tolmachev Nikolay	4228olenic@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Keep Rock Creek at Stoller with Jacob Wismer and Sato. This makes sense since Rock Creek is an established community and this way we don't have to displace established communities to accommodate new establishments.This would also reduce the need for split and also balance the numbers out and improve diversity at Stoller.Wondering why is Springville immune from being removed from Stoller when compared to Rock Creek?Or if moved from Stoller move us to Meadow Park with Bethany and Oak Hills.Anything else is not right for Rock Creek.
03/05/2020 2:25 PM	Trevor Bodtker	tbodtker@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Please do not isolate Rock Creek, we are a small school with a low growth pattern. At this stage the committee and the board should look at leaving Rock Creek in Stoller and move Springville and or Sato to Timberland. Please don't send us on out own anywhere.
03/05/2020 8:34 PM	varsha	a.varsha26@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	MAP A WAY TO GO FORWARDa) It avoids splitting of communities.b) It avoids Springville having to travel the maximum distance along the unsafest route to Five Oaksc) BSD will also gain in transportation costs by keeping Springville at Stoller.d) It will further help to move the entire SUMMA from Stoller to Timberland.e) Rockcreek will need to travel to Meadow park but they will have Bethany Elem with them. Also SUMMAis also there in Meadow park.f)JW , SATO and Springville minus SUMMA meets thE objective in 2025 and is totally sustainable in 2025.g) The 2025 projections doesnt seem accurate. There is no further development in SpringvilleThe estimate FOR 2025 NEED FURTHER CLARIFICATION. IN LAST BUDGET REVIEW MEETING BSD INDICATED THAT NUMBER OF STUDENTS ACROSS BSD HAVE BEEN STABLE LAST YEAR AND TEND TO DROP IN FUTURE DUE TO SMALLER MEMBERS PER HOUSEHOLD IN NEW GEN.So it doesnt clarify how does the Stoller increase drastically in 2025. There is no new growth in Springville. Also there are houses with more than 3-4 rooms but with single kid.PLEASE DONT GIVE PRIORITY TO SUMMA SOVER NEIGHBORHOOD STUDENTS - The Summa program should go where the highest concentration of feeding school kids go in order to minimize splits. The entire North Summa program should go to Timberland with Findley who constitute 40% of Summa students in Stoller.H) The Jacob wismer to Sunset feeder at Stoller is about 18% or over 200 kids in the Feb25th MAP A. Its not a single digit percentage as MISREPRESENTED by one of the Jacob Wismer testimonies. Its well in line with high school feeders across the district.
03/05/2020 9:12 PM	varsha	a.varsha26@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Jacob Wismer to Five Oaks(via Bethany Blvd)3.7 milesFindley to Five Oaks(via Bethany Blvd)3.8 milesSpringville schoole to Five oaksVia Springville rd and 185th)4.3 milesThe longest CURRENT distance from an elementary to its assigned middle school now is under 4 miles. O NOT SEND SPRINGVILLE all the way to Five Oaks, at 4.3 miles - longer than any other distance in the district. Many Springville kids would be traveling 5 miles or more. This would be unprecedented for a distance from an elementary to middle school in BSD and would affect a large number of students.IN FACT JACOB WISMER IS CLOSER TO FIVE OAKS AND THE ROUTE thru Bethany blvd is much safer for them

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03/05/2020 9:47 AM	varsha	a.varsha26@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	There are inconsistencies from the Committee in the direction to push Chehalem to a non-walkable Highland Park middle school. There were several members who previously advocated for walkable Findley Summa (advantaged) kids to be kept at Stoller but the walkability preference wasn't extended to the mostly Free and Reduced Lunch kids at Chehalem. Can we make these rules be more consistently applied? WE NEED TO BE EQUITABLE. Likewise, the non-walkable Aloha-Huber kids are constantly being pushed towards Mountain View, despite that the current population needs to be bussed whether they end up in Five Oaks or Mountain View. I would like the Committee to be consistent for fairness and equity to all communities. At the end of Feb 25th meeting, did committee in search of space at Five Oaks for Springville, unintentionally overfill Mountain view? By adding Cooper Mountain and Aloha Huber to Mountain view, it would be around 1100; students even if Chahalem west is moved to Highland park. That is 200 more than the 900; capacity at Mountain view. THIS IS NOT EQUITABLE. Please restore the Feb 25 working map. It is the best, most equitable map so far.
03/05/2020 8:38 PM	varun	vijayanarun@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	STOLLER PROJECTIONS FOR 2025 IS INCORRECT IN FEB 25TH MEETING we had 8 members voting for MAP A. Towards end of meeting there was an additional member (Abdul) who also preferred MAP A. Considering that the total vote count will be 9. So request committee to focus on MAP A rather than thinking of different maps at this stage. There is no further growth in Springville. But BSD projection is showing even more growth for Springville than SATO. How is that possible. Move Jacob Wismer SUMMA to Timberland or full of Jacob Wismer to Timberland. It will serve multiple purposes: a) Make proper utilization of new middle school Timberland which is ONE OF THE MAJOR OBJECTIVE OF BSD b) Jacob Wismer complaints about splits and their kids losing friends will be reduced, since they will be with Findley every time SUMMA or not. c) Reduce the load on Stoller. Just for an optional program, lot of time being wasted to talk about retaining it in Stoller and going over walkability issues back and forth. Stoller capacity required is 90% for 2021 which is already met by MAP A. For 2025 the projections are over estimated besides none of the maps A, B nor C drastically reduces Stoller capacity to less than 100% by 2025.
03/05/2020 9:41 PM	varun	vijayanarun@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	There will be lot more students feeding into Sunset from Stoller with 2/25 working map. They will not be alone and the situation is nothing like that of East Oak Hills at Meadow. Springville is built out. you can drive around our community and see. We are not growing that much by 2025. Also there are many houses with more than 3-4 rooms but with single kid. So the estimates for 2025 projections based on house size is incorrect.
03/05/2020 6:49 PM	Venkat Karthikeya	venkat.karthikeya@yahoo.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	I have a son in 8th grade and daughter in 4th grade, Stoller and Sato respectively. We are very happy with community around us and schools. My middle schooler did his elementary in Jacob Wismer and was able to grow with his friends while moving to MS and now some of them would go to HS together, rest would split into Sunset. I know first hand how painful it is for him to realize that this split is not only causing breaking bonds with some of his friends, but also results into another fresh start in looking for yet another trustworthy reading buddy, project partner, homework reviewer, car pool friend.. you name it.. that is their world, that is their 2nd family. Now I am nervous even more thinking of possibility of split Sato feeder. My son despite being middle schooler is having hard time thinking about those splits and now my daughter is unfortunately at that conjecture where she will have to split with her friends much before, in MS? Please, Mr Sparks and Committee, please consider split feeders and broken friendships in ES to MS, MS to HS as your HIGHEST priority and MOST CONCERNING point while drawing boundary. NOTHING ELSE MATTERS, really.. commute time is irrelevant when compared to ability to grow with same friends all the way through education. Please think from students perspective and do not focus on noise made by parents. I would like to urge you to please keep whole of Sato in its entirety feeding into Stoller. It is very young school, even rating is yet to come out.
03/05/2020 8:55 PM	vijay	vijayanarun@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	CONSIDER MAP A. DONOT SPLIT COMMUNITIES Please GO forward with the Feb 25th workmap with minimal changes. You will find out very quickly that you can either make a much richer Stoller with ripple effects across the entire district. Or, you can accept the Feb 25th workmap, with a marginally over permanent capacity Stoller in 2025, still under total capacity, still 400 students less than 2020, after which the population drops, even based on the most aggressive projections. I know there are concerns about JW Middle and High School feeders and that is valid. But NOTE here will still be over 220 Sunset kids in Stoller. It is by no means comparable to the OH-E situation and must not be used to unravel the maps.
03/05/2020 6:51 PM	Vijay kumar Vempati	vijay9949662330@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8 I attended the last meeting and was wondering how can the committee achieve the 90% at Stoller MS with 2025 projected numbers (which can be far from reality) and miss the objective of achieving 90% for 2021 projected numbers (which are close to reality). If Stoller has to be at 90% capacity in 2025, the objective for 2021 has to be somewhere near 70%. So the objectives have to be clear and crisp to help us aid in this tedious process. I truly believe the 2025 numbers are nowhere near reality as there is no further land to extend and the numbers need to be revisited rather than split feeding any ES. Also I believe everyone in committee participating in the voting need to be given an opportunity to explain why they chose to vote Yes and if they voted No what are their objections and the areas of improvement they are looking for.

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03/05/2020 12:35 PM	vikram krishnamachary	vikramkrish@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				<p>Hello I am parent of a 4th grader and Kindergartener at Jacob Wismer. The current proposal that clubs the 3 highest populated elementary schools (JW, Sato and Springville) into Stoller misses the mark.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Overcrowding : One of the fundamental objectives for this middle school boundary adjustment process is "To prevent overcrowding at Stoller". The map blows Stoller past the capacity for both 2021 and 2025. 2. Feeder Patterns : JW elementary boundary residents get split between Sunset and West View based. We are on the Sunset side of the boundary, and with the current feeder pattern only this small set of students will go to Sunset from Stoller (~15-20%). Not a very comforting situation to this group of kids. Removing SUMMA from Stoller further contracts this group which makes high-school a very lonely experience for this set of students. 3. Walkability : Findley and JW sends the highest number of kids to the SUMMA program and both those districts have a number of students walking to Stoller. Along with it there are a lot of parents volunteering at the schools based on proximity. Ideally all students should go to their closest school. Given the challenges with overcrowding, some reasonable practical solutions need to be considered that will be better for the environment, health and community engagement at these schools. I would urge the committee to consider keeping all of JW and SUMMA at Stoller, and look for other options to address overcrowding at Stoller. The current solution does not solve the problem and has a number of effects outlined that seriously hampers the JW student community.
03/05/2020 8:35 PM	vsuren	varshasuren@yahoo.co.in	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>MAPA SHOULD BE REVISTED. FOCUS ON 90% FOR 2021 NOT 2025</p> <p>IN FEB25TH MEETING we had 8 members voting for MAP A. Towards end of meeting there was an additional member who also preferred MAP A. Considering that the total vote count will be 9. So request committee to focus on MAP A rather than thinking of different maps at this stage.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) The Feb25 MAP A with summa moving to Timberland is the most balanced approach for Stoller and Timberland b) Springville, Sato and Jacob Wismer fit into Stoller in a long term & sustainable manner declining after 2025. c) It avoids multiple community splits into elementary school splits. Has support across a large group of Findley, Sato, Springville and Rock Creek parents. d) Even with aggressive growth numbers, it shows modest growth to 2025 well under total capacity which will then declines and will get below permanent capacity.

FW: Use of portables in Stoller

Steven Sparks - Exec Admin <Steven_Sparks@beaverton.k12.or.us>

Thu 3/5/2020 2:57 PM

To: Madhusudhan Rangarajan <mrangar@gmail.com>

Cc: deborah wohlmutter <Debby_Wohlmutter@beaverton.k12.or.us>

1 attachments (168 KB)

Stoller is not Special (3).pdf;

I have entered the file into the public record.

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District Goal: WE empower all students to achieve post-high school success.

From: Madhusudhan Rangarajan <mrangar@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, March 5, 2020 12:31 PM

To: Steven Sparks - Exec Admin <Steven_Sparks@beaverton.k12.or.us>

Subject: Use of portables in Stoller

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Mr Sparks,

Could you please forward this comment and attached illustration on portables to the AC?

Today, there are 179 portables across BSD. Stoller middle school has over 14 portable classrooms. The five elementary schools that feed Stoller have 22 portable classrooms between them. Even the so-called stable communities of Findley and Jacob Wismer have 10 portable classrooms between them. I would like to ask why we are pushing the no-portables in Stoller in 2025 narrative so hard in the current boundary adjustment process? Why is Stoller special? Shouldn't we first start with phasing out portables in elementary school before abruptly mandating that they be removed from middle school? Why are there still so many portables across so many other schools across BSD? Stoller cannot be special! Why is the potential use of a couple portables for a couple of years in 2025 in Stoller, if the projections are right, such a big issue, especially since Stoller has over 14 portable classrooms today? Why are we looking to split neighborhoods and communities over that? Portables are there exactly to absorb temporary capacity spikes, and that is exactly what the Feb 25th workmap would be in 2025, if projections are right. We are not going to be back in a boundary adjustment process for potentially requiring two portables in 2025, down from over 14 today. I urge the committee to not discount temporary and limited use of portables.

Attached illustration walks through how these portables would evolve over time and we wouldn't need them beyond 2027!

Thanks,

Madhu

The Bethany Area

2019

Springville
6 Portable Classrooms



Sato



179 Portables Across BSD!

Jacob Wismer
2 Portable classrooms



22 Portable classrooms across elementary schools feeding into Stoller, Including **10** in the so-called stable communities of Findley and Jacob Wismer

Stoller

14 Portable classrooms



Rock Creek

6 Portable Classrooms



What is the imperative to get rid of all portables in the only nearby middle school without phasing it out first in elementary schools?

Why is Stoller Special?

Findley

8 Portable Classrooms



*The
Bethany
Area*

2021

Sato, SPV, JW, No Summa in Stoller

Springville

6 Portable Classrooms



Sato



Jacob Wismer

2 Portable classrooms



The Feb 25th workmap gets the numbers of Stoller portables down to ZERO in 2021 by removing MANY students

Stoller

ZERO portables needed



Rock Creek

6 Portable Classrooms



Stoller gets to ZERO portables even though the elementary schools feeding it have portables

Findley

8 Portable Classrooms



Why is Stoller Special?

The Bethany Area

2025



Springville
6 Portable Classrooms



Jacob Wismer
2 Portable classrooms



Very few portables **if needed** in
2025 if aggressive growth numbers
pan out!

Stoller
Limited Portables **IF NEEDED**



Rock Creek

6 Portable Classrooms



**Until Elementary School portables are
eliminated, why split communities based on a
hard portable stance for Stoller, especially for
temporary and limited use?**

Stoller Cannot be Special!

Findley
8 Portable Classrooms



The Bethany Area

2027+

Springville
6 Portable Classrooms



Jacob Wismer
2 Portable classrooms



Even if they were needed, portables will no longer be required in a couple of years as the population drops even in the aggressive projections!



Stoller
No Portables

Rock Creek
6 Portable Classrooms



Until Elementary School portables are eliminated, why split communities based on a hard portables stance for Stoller, especially for temporary and limited use?

Stoller Cannot be special!

Findley
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FW: Middle School Boundary Process - Attached Comment

Steven Sparks - Exec Admin <Steven_Sparks@beaverton.k12.or.us>

Fri 3/6/2020 10:15 AM

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■ 2 attachments (734 KB)

CommunityMap.jpg; StollerIsHappy.jpg;

Your files have been entered into the public record

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District Goal: WE empower all students to achieve post-high school success.

From: Sandeep Kumar <sandysrivastava@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, March 5, 2020 7:45 PM

To: Steven Sparks - Exec Admin <Steven_Sparks@beaverton.k12.or.us>

Subject: Middle School Boundary Process - Attached Comment

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Dear Sparks,

I am attaching one document. Please add it as Public Comments.

Thank you.

Regards,
Sandeep Kumar

THIS IS NOT A MAP BUT A COMMUNITY FULL OF KIDS

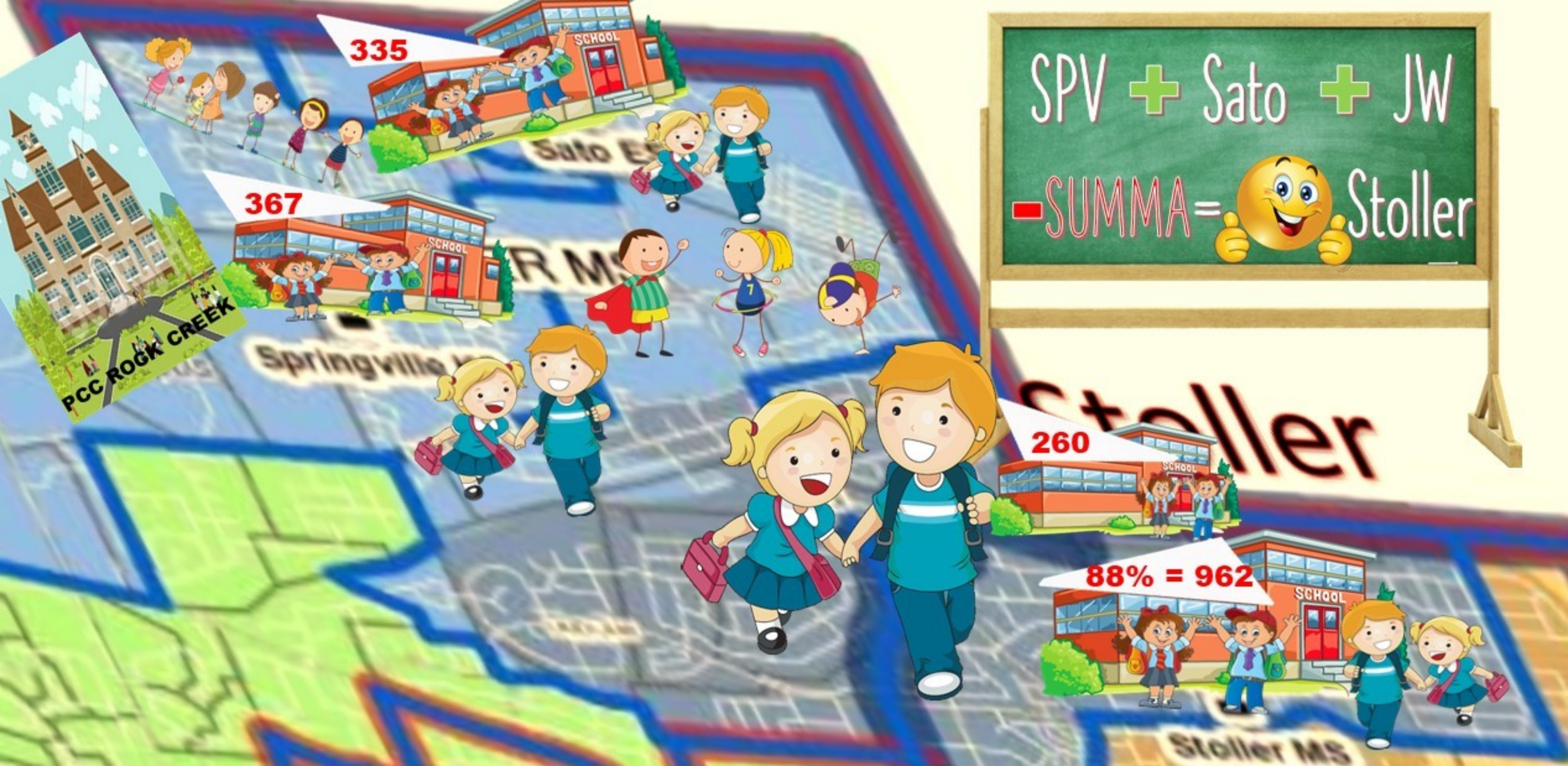


We're Going Back To School



PLEASE, DON'T CREATE BOUNDARIES
TO SPLIT COMMUNITY BUT TO UNITE





335

367

PCC ROCK CREEK

SPV + Sato + JW
-SUMMA = 🍌 Stoller

260

88% = 962

Stoller MS

FW: Comment about Proposed Map

Steven Sparks - Exec Admin <Steven_Sparks@beaverton.k12.or.us>

Fri 3/6/2020 10:16 AM

To: Douglas Yap <dougyap1377@gmail.com>

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findley_proposal.pdf;

Mr. Yap -

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District Goal: WE empower all students to achieve post-high school success.

From: Douglas Yap <dougyap1377@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, March 5, 2020 5:59 PM

To: Steven Sparks - Exec Admin <Steven_Sparks@beaverton.k12.or.us>

Subject: Comment about Proposed Map

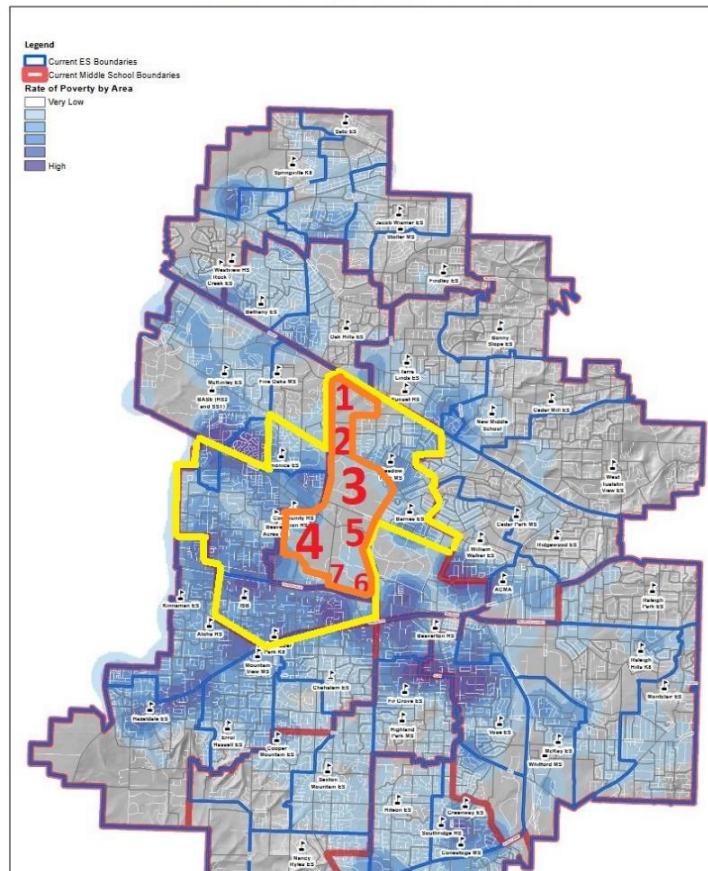
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Hi Mr. Sparks,

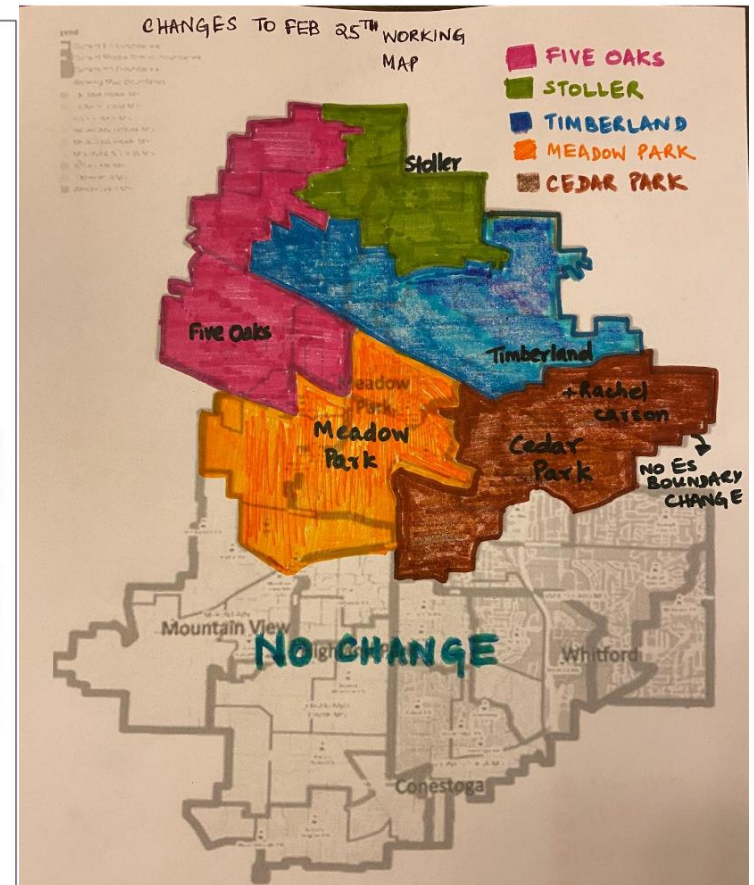
I saw a proposed map from a parent group dated March 3rd. I would like to raise a concern that this will spike the Free and Reduced Lunch rate at their proposed Meadow Park Middle School attendance area. Can you please post this comment and also forward it to the Committee?

Thanks
Douglas

Areas of Student Poverty (SY 2019-20)



- 1 - Greenbrier Pkwy Offices
- 2 - THPRD Howare Terpenning
- 3 - Nike
- 4 - THRPD Nature Park
- 5 - Nike Woods / Reeser's
- 6 - Offices
- 7 - Beaverton Crk Wetlands



Thanks to the parents who consciously made this proposal. They've sunk in a lot of hours calculating the utilization numbers for the proposed map (right).

However, the proposal might spike the Free and Reduced Lunch rate of Meadow Park by more than 50%. See Student Poverty map (left). There are big sections of Barnes feeder area that are not populated. This is due to those institutions and businesses marked 1 through 6.

Although the population numbers for each middle school look balanced, with Timberland fully utilized, I urge the committee members to check if the spike of FRL is within the equity guidance. In the February 25th meeting, our committee members have consciously deliberated whether to exchange Chehalem west with the entire Cooper Mountain ES to/from Highland Park and Mountain View. I believe the AC was worried about the more than 50% FRL rate at Mountain View. This proposal may present another case of inequity.