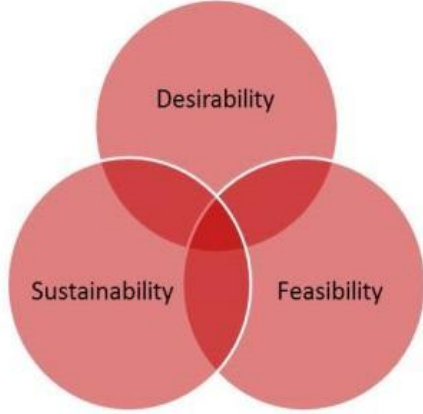


GUIDING CHANGE: Boundary Adjustments 2021

Current Reality	Desired Result	Unacceptable Means
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Growth in the southern part of the district ● Overcrowding at Brookview and Lake Elmo Elementary schools. ● Overcrowding at Oak-Land Middle School. ● Space available in central and northern elementary schools and Stillwater Middle School ● Feeder System to Middle School (elementary schools aligned with a middle school). ● Bus beyond ½ mile for elementary students. ● Bus beyond 1 mile for secondary students. ● Provide transportation to non-public and charter schools. ● Open enrollment transportation begins at the nearest boundary. ● Classroom space set aside for pre-K programming at each of our elementary schools. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Decisions will be based on the best interests of ALL district students. ● A boundary plan will be created that positions us for our current needs and minimize future changes. ● Feedback from various stakeholders will be gathered to provide insight (School Board, administrative team, staff, and community group). ● Provide for a safe and efficient transportation system within board policy and procedures. ● Provide for the efficient utilization of district facilities to enhance learning opportunities for all students. ● Balance enrollment at existing elementary schools. ● Balance enrollment to middle school philosophy in both buildings. ● Alternate and open enrollments will be sent back to their designated attendance area to start the process at the elementary and middle school levels (exception: GATE, Amigos Unidos and Special Education site-based programs). ● To the extent possible, keep the Feeder System to Middle Schools. ● To the extent possible, keep neighborhoods together (This does not mean that students will be sent to the school nearest their home, but rather that all students within a neighborhood be sent to the same school). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● We will not violate state laws, school board policy, or negotiated agreements. ● We will not violate class size ranges for each grade level section. ● We will not create racially isolated schools. <div data-bbox="1423 787 1843 1198" style="text-align: center;">  <p>A Venn diagram consisting of three overlapping circles. The top circle is labeled 'Desirability', the bottom-left circle is labeled 'Sustainability', and the bottom-right circle is labeled 'Feasibility'. The circles overlap in the center, and each pair of circles also overlaps.</p> </div>