



BULLETIN #5
LONG-TERM CAPITAL & ACCOMMODATION PLANNING



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Did you know . . .
. . . that school boards are required by the Ministry of Education to have a long-term capital plan?

. . . that the draft Long-Term Capital and Accommodation Plan contains no formal recommendations regarding school closure or consolidations?

Public Input is Invited

The public is invited to review the draft plan and provide written feedback until Friday, September 30, 2016 to directors.office@hpedsb.on.ca

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Date extended for public input

The date for public input on the draft Long-Term Capital and Accommodation Plan has been **extended to Friday, September 30, 2016.**

The plan is a collection of data for all schools in Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board. It includes enrolment projections, school capacity data, renewal needs, potential consolidations and the construction of new schools, or additions, including significant renovations.

It is important to point out that the plan **contains no recommendations for school closures or consolidations.** It is **intended to serve as a road map over the next 10 years.**

Sustaining effective programming for students, combined with continued declining enrolment, surplus space, aging facilities and reduced funding by the Ministry of Education over the next three years, are the driving forces behind the development of the new plan.

The draft plan is a **framework for decision making.** It is intended to be a **living document that will be monitored and updated as required.**

All are invited to review the draft plan and provide written feedback to directors.office@hpedsb.on.ca.

Resources

- Upcoming scheduled meetings of the Student Enrolment/School Capacity Committee: Monday, September 12; Tuesday, October 11; and Monday, November 14. Times TBD. All take place at the Education Centre, 156 Ann Street, Belleville. Call for details.
- [Policy 15: Student Enrolment/School Capacity: Pupil Accommodation Review](#)
- Ministry of Education [Guide to Pupil Accommodation Reviews](#)

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