



January 30, 2018

Mr. Rob Fowler, Chair District Education Council Anglophone South School District 490 Woodward Avenue Saint John, NB E2K 5N3

Dear Mr. Fowler:

Thank you for your letter on behalf of the District Education Council (DEC) for the Anglophone South School District advising me the DEC intends to conduct a sustainability study of Hazen-White-St. Francis School and Centennial School with construction of a new K-5 school in a central location to both as phase two of a multi-phase process. I am confident the DEC will conduct an open and transparent review in accordance with the direction of Policy 409.

The Acting Director of Educational Facilities and Pupil Transportation, Mr. André Paulin, and the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development staff members are available to assist the district in your endeavor. Mr. Paulin may be reached by e-mail at: <a href="mailto:Andre.Paulin@gnb.ca">Andre.Paulin@gnb.ca</a> or by telephone at (506) 457-6703.

Undertakings such as these can be challenging and I appreciate your efforts on behalf of the people of New Brunswick.

Sincerely.

Hon. Brian Kenny

Minister

C. Mr. André Paulin, Acting Director, Educational Facilities and Pupil Transportation

Ms. Zoë Watson, Superintendent, Anglophone South School District

Ms. Rachel Dion, Director, Policy and Legislative Affairs