



ANGLOPHONE WEST SCHOOL DISTRICT

DISTRICT EDUCATION COUNCIL

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Minister Brian Kenny
Department of Education and Early Childhood Development
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, NB
E3B-5H1

Dear Minister Kenny:

I am writing to inform you that the Anglophone West District Education Council met on October 18, 2018, to consider all required criteria pertaining to the sustainability of Kingsclear Consolidated School under Provincial Policy 409 – Multi-year School Infrastructure Planning. The study was launched on January 26, 2017 and had followed the guidelines as outlined in Policy 409.

On May 4, 2017, the District Education Council held the third public meeting and at that meeting, the DEC voted in favour of tabling a decision on the outcome of the sustainability study until February 2018. On February 22, 2018 a motion was carried to table the discussion again around Kingsclear Consolidated School and bring it back to the meeting in October 2018. At this time, the following motion was carried:

..... I would like to make a motion that we recommend as a District Education Council to keep Kingsclear Consolidated School open and that we request an investment (sprinkler system, ventilation and gymnasium) into the school, down the road.

After a vote by Council, the motion was carried.

Section 6.6 of Provincial Policy 409 calls for the Minister to approve a school closure or capital investment based on a recommendation from the DEC, as such, I simply write to you now to inform you of the decision and bring a full sense of completion to the study.

If you require any additional information or wish to learn more about our process or the study, please feel free to contact Catherine Blaney, Acting Superintendent, or myself.

Sincerely,

Kimberley Douglass, Chairperson
District Education Council
Anglophone West School District