



ANGLOPHONE WEST SCHOOL DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

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Dear Parents/Guardians of Students at Millville Elementary School:

On May 21, 2015, the District Education Council (DEC) of Anglophone West School District voted in favour of conducting a sustainability study of Millville Elementary School, under the process of Provincial Policy 409 – Multi-Year Infrastructure Planning. This policy serves as a foundation for determining the sustainability of a school, taking into account many aspects, such as:

- Enrolment
- Health and Safety
- Quality of Education
- Transportation
- Impact on Community
- Finances
- Economic Development
- Impact on Other Schools

On January 29, 2016, the DEC held the third public meeting in this process. At that meeting, the Council voted in favour of making the recommendation to close Millville Elementary School and move students to Nackawic Elementary School. This recommendation is made to the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development. The decision and corresponding study report are being shared with the Minister and staff within his department. In line with Provincial Policy 409, the Minister must approve the recommendation of the DEC prior to the District proceeding with this decision. The Minister and his staff will review the study information for procedural fairness and reach a final conclusion no sooner than 30 days and no later than 60 days from now. I will write to you again upon word from the Minister.

With this decision, the sustainability study of Millville Elementary School is now complete. Should the Minister approve the recommendation of the DEC, we will work diligently to provide a smooth and welcoming transition for your children as they prepare for and begin attending a new school.

I wish to thank you for your interest in this study and your continued commitment to your child's education.

Sincerely,

David McTimoney
Superintendent