

District Education Council

490 Woodward Avenue Saint John, New Brunswick E2K 5N3

June 17, 2021

Hon. Dominic Cardy Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development P.O. Box 6000 Fredericton, NB E3B 5H1

Dear Minister Cardy:

At the June 9, 2021 meeting of the Anglophone South District Education Council, a motion was made and passed to approve the 2021-2022 draft expenditure plan that was presented to Council by Director of Finance & Administration, John MacDonald. A copy is attached for your records.

The plan presented forecasts a break-even position; however, as you are aware, there are serious concerns with regard to chronic underfunding for replacement costs for staff and in funding for Education Assistants which Council wanted to bring to your attention.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

Robert Fowler

Chair

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