



## ANGLOPHONE SOUTH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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To the Parents/Guardians of Students at M. Gerald Teed School:

On August 22, 2018 the Anglophone South School District Education Council (DEC) voted in favour of beginning Phase 3 of a sustainability study for the Saint John Central City Schools under the process outlined in the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development Provincial Policy 409: Multi-year Infrastructure Planning.

The sustainability study follows a process that includes three public meetings. The first public meeting for M. Gerald Teed will be held on Tuesday, November 6, 2018 at 6:30 pm at the school. This meeting will be for a presentation of facts about the school and information on the proposal the DEC is considering. The second public meeting will be held in December and will allow for interested individuals, stakeholders and parties to present information to be considered in the decision-making process. A registration process for this meeting will be shared following the first meeting.

The third public meeting will occur on January 9, 2019 at the regular monthly meeting of the District Education Council in the Saint John Office.

As one part of Phase 3, Council will look at reconfiguring M. Gerald Teed from a K-2 to a K-5, and the reconfiguration of Millidgeville North School to a middle school (grades 6-8). This change would require either an addition or construction of a new school (depending upon cost) for M. Gerald Teed to accommodate the grades 3-5 from Millidgeville North School. More information will be available at the meetings.

If the DEC recommendation is to proceed with Phase 3, the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development must approve the decision.

Policy 409 can be found by going to the Government of New Brunswick website ([www.gnb.ca](http://www.gnb.ca)) and choosing the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development site under "Departments". Under the title, "Information", you can choose "Policies", and this will bring you to a selection of policies, including Policy 409. The direct link to the Policy is <https://www2.gnb.ca/content/dam/gnb/Departments/ed/pdf/K12/policies-politiques/e/409A.pdf>

No final decision has been made on reconfiguration and/or an addition or new school for M. Gerald Teed and we would encourage you to come out to the meeting and learn about Phase 3 of the proposal and share your thoughts.

Yours truly,

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Superintendent

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