Northeastern Catholic District School Board

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December 1, 2015

Mayor Steve Black
City of Timmins
220 Algonquin Blvd. East
Timmins, ON P4N 1B3

Dear Mayor Black

The Northeastern Catholic District School Board of Trustees approved a motion at their Board of Trustee Meeting on Wednesday, November 25, 2015 to move forward with an Accommodation Review of O'Gorman High School, O'Gorman Intermediate Catholic School, Sacred Heart School, St. Paul School, the ACCESS Centre and the Catholic Education Centre. This Accommodation Review process is limited to all of the English Catholic Schools and Board facilities located in the Timmins area (with the exception of St. Joseph School, located in South Porcupine).

The Accommodation Review will officially begin January 4, 2016 and will follow the timeline and process outlined by the Ministry of Education and NCDSB Policy F-3.   Each school/facility will be reviewed as to current enrolment and future enrolment projections and its current physical condition. Long-term capital planning and an open public consultation will take place with all community stakeholders.   The Accommodation Review Committee will have representatives from each of the schools to be reviewed and will include parents/guardians, educators, board officials, as well as business and municipal leaders.

The Northeastern Catholic District School Board would like to invite you and all members of City Council to a luncheon meeting on Friday, January 8th, 2016 at the NCDSB Catholic Education Centre, located at 101 Spruce Street North, starting at 12:00 pm, to review the plans and process for the Timmins Accommodation Review.

If you should have any questions or comments before our meeting, please feel free to reach out to me by telephone or by email (gsheculski@ncdsb.on.ca).

Regards

Glenn Sheculski
Director of Education