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Minister Rousselle,

On June 11, 2015, the Anglophone West School District Education Council (ASD-W DEC) held its monthly public meeting at the Central New Brunswick Academy in New Bandon, NB. Added to the agenda that night was a discussion on Burton Elementary School as a potential school for a sustainability study.

You may recall that Burton Elementary School is a “trigger school” under EECD Provincial Policy 409: Multi-year School Infrastructure Planning. At our May 21, 2015, Public DEC Meeting, a motion was passed to request that Burton Elementary School be exempt from study for one year. Subsequently, a letter was written to you and is on file at your office at this time.

Subsequent discussion and a formal vote at last night’s meeting has led to our district taking a new direction with respect to a study at the school. We have now reached a conclusion to conduct a sustainability study on **Burton Elementary School**.

The following motion was presented:

“I put a motion on the floor that we do a sustainability study on Burton Elementary School.”

The motion was passed with a majority vote.

In accordance with Policy 409, Section 6.4.2, this letter will serve purpose as written notice to you, as Minister, of our intent to conduct this sustainability study in the defined timeline of May, 2015 to January, 2016.

On behalf of the District Education Council, I wish to assure you that we will follow the process outlined in Policy 409, pertaining to sustainability studies. In doing so, we will ensure quality public consultation and transparent sharing of information.

We plan on writing to you, again, in January, 2016, with the results of our study.

Sincerely,

Mark Noël
Chair, District Education Council
Anglophone West School District