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PSSC of Lincoln Elementary Community School
2475 Lincoln Road Route 102
Lincoln, NB E3B 7E6

Mr. David McTimoney
Superintendent
1135 Prospect Street
Fredericton, NB
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Dear Mr. McTimoney,

The PSSC of Lincoln Elementary Community School is again requesting that Anglophone School District West revisit the catchment area for LECS. We had sent a request in July 2018 and November 2019 that were not granted and would like the district to reconsider at this time.

Previously students from Sunpoke Road, Post Road, the entire Rusagonis Road and Route 655 from the flashing lights on the 655 to Lincoln Road Highway 102 (Camp Road), as well as Richmond Estates attended Lincoln Elementary Community School. Those students were re-zoned to Oromocto schools that could support the numbers when district found that LECS was not suitable. This made sense when capacity was an issue, but now that LECS has been rebuilt we have a bigger and better school equipped to take on more than the 154 students we currently have.

We are only at around 56% capacity and could have as many as 288 students. An expanded zoning area would allow the school to bring in more children. We have a beautiful new building with space that can help take the weight off student enrollment numbers in the Oromocto schools.

LECS is the only school in this area between Oromocto and Fredericton, making it the most logical option for students living in Lincoln, Waasis and Rusagonis (including Wilsey Road) to attend. We are a community school ready to welcome new students as we have lots of room to grow.

We are requesting that a review of the the catchment area be done by ASD-W to include more students from the aforementioned areas.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Best Regards,

PSSC Members of Lincoln Elementary Community School