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MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 63
COUNCIL MEETING Oct. 6/75

Re: BURNABY SCHOOL STUDY - 15

Following is the Planning Director's report regarding the 1975 Burnaby School Study as prepared by the Planning Department.

Copies of the report are attached to agendas of Council members only. Interested members of the public and the news media may obtain copies of the report from Planning Department offices.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the Council concur with the use of the Burnaby School Board Study 1975 as a guide for the future development of the school system in the municipality.

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Planning Department,
September 29, 1975
Our File #10.103


TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER
FROM: DIRECTOR OF PLANNING
RE: BURNABY SCHOOL STUDY 1975.

The Burnaby School Study 1975, a copy of which is attached, has been prepared to meet the need for a review of the earlier report of 1966 in the light of the growth that has occurred since that time and the plans which have been prepared for the further development of the municipality in the future.

This study, prepared in consultation with staff members of the Burnaby School Board, was subsequently submitted to the Board as an item in a report from the Secretary-Treasurer. An extract of this item is attached. The recommendation included therein was approved by the Board on September 9, 1975.

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Council concur with the use of the Burnaby School Study 1975 as a guide for the future development of the school system in the municipality.


A. L. Parr,
DIRECTOR OF PLANNING.

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c. c. Secretary-Treasurer, School Board
Chief Building Inspector
Municipal Clerk
Assistant Director - Long Range Planning and Research
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(Report from Secretary-Treasurer to Burnaby School Board)

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4. BURNABY SCHOOL STUDY 1975

Attached is a copy of the "Burnaby School Study 1975" prepared by the Planning Department of the Corporation of the District of Burnaby. In a covering letter forwarded with the report, R. B. Chilton, Assistant Director - Long Range Planning & Research for the Municipality noted:

"The report contains detailed data on past school enrolment and population growth trends, as well as information on current and future development plans and proposals which are presently in various stages of implementation. This material provided the necessary background for the enrolment estimates which were developed on an annual basis for the period between 1975 and 1980, as well as an ultimate figure, for each individual school in the municipality.

It is considered desirable, however, that a further comprehensive school study be prepared within the next five years, due to the continuing growth of Burnaby. In the interim, periodic reports will be submitted on individual areas where proposed developments are likely to have an impact on existing school facilities.

Finally, it should be emphasized that the proposals advanced in Section VI of the study be regarded as a guide, rather than a rigid program, for the future development of the municipal school system."

The original such report was prepared in 1962 by the municipality's Planning Department, and it was followed by an updated plan in a review report in 1966. The current report reviews recommendations in the 1966 report in the light of growth which has occurred since that time, and having in mind plans for future development in the municipality. The data used by Mr. Chilton in preparing the report was also used by Board officials in meeting with the team from the Department of Education when consideration was given to the 1976 Capital Expense Proposals.

Recommendation: That the Burnaby School Study 1975, prepared by the Planning Department of the Municipality of Burnaby, be received and that the proposals advanced in it be used as a guide for the future development of the system; that the Secretary-Treasurer write to the Planning Department of the Corporation of the District of Burnaby commending it for the report; that the Planning Department of the Corporation be advised that the Board supports the view that a further comprehensive School Study be prepared within the next five years by the Planning Department, and periodic reports be received from the Planning Department in the interim to indicate areas where proposed developments are likely to have an impact on school facilities.