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MANAGER'S REPORT NO.	44
COUNCIL MEETING	1982 07 12

RE: PROPOSED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
BURNABY 200 (HAROLD WINCH PARK)

MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT the report of the Director Planning & Building Inspection be received for information purposes.*

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER 1982 JULY 05

FROM: DIRECTOR PLANNING & BUILDING INSPECTION OUR FILE: 15.902

SUBJECT: PROPOSED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
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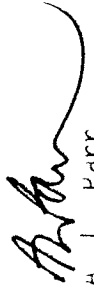
REPORT

Attached is a letter from Brian Smith, Minister of Education, respecting the status of planning for the proposed elementary school in the Burnaby 200 Community Plan Area (Harold Winch Park). This report is being submitted to provide further information on this topic, based on discussions with School Board staff.

The School Board is currently having working drawings prepared for the subject school, on the basis of verbal approval from the Ministry of Education. Under current guidelines no approval for construction or release of funds for a new school is possible until sufficient students actually reside in the area concerned.

The reference in the Minister's letter to the next Schools Capital Budget cycle would appear to refer to a process whereby School Board officials will meet with Ministry of Education officials in October or November of this year, in order to review existing school enrollments. On the basis of this review, Ministry officials will make recommendations, as a result of which (assuming all relevant criteria have been met) final approval of the capital expenditure for the subject school could be expected in February or March of 1983. This would allow a January 1984 opening for the proposed School, as currently planned by the School Board.

A conclusion which may be drawn from the above is that the level of actual elementary student enrollments from the Burnaby 200 area in the fall of 1982 will be a critical factor in determining whether the planned January 1984 opening of the proposed school will be possible.

  
A. L. Parr,  
DIRECTOR PLANNING &  
BUILDING INSPECTION

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cc: Assistant Director -  
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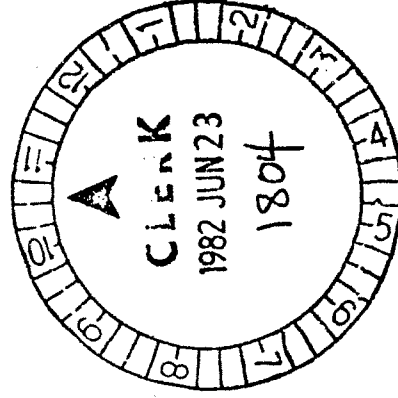
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June 17, 1982



Mr. B.D. Leche  
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Dear Mr. Leche:

Thank you for your letter of May 31, 1982 on the proposed new elementary school in Harold Winch Park.

The planning of the new school has been somewhat delayed by the current economic slow-down and the resultant change in enrolment projections for the area. However, the Board of School Trustees for School District No. 41 (Burnaby) has received approval to proceed with the planning of the new facility.

It is my understanding that, given present conditions, sufficient enrolment support for a new school will not be available until at least the next Schools Capital Budget cycle. Planning initiatives now being taken should enable the School Board and my Ministry to respond quickly once the normal guideline requirements for a new school are met.

Thank you for informing me of your Council's position on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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- DIRECTOR PLANNING &  
BUILDING INSPECTION MINISTER

*Brian R.D. Smith*

c.c. Mr. P. Boyle - Secretary-Treasurer  
S.D. No. 41 (Burnaby)

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