



RESOLUTION NO. 2017/43

DATE: March 15, 2017

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FOR

AGAINST

Councillor Constable

Councillor Dixon

Councillor Gregory

Councillor Malott

Mayor Robinson

WHEREAS the Near North District School Board (NNDSB) has determined that Nobel Public School and McDougall Public School should be replaced with a new school; and
WHEREAS the NNDSB authorized the Accommodation Review Committee to amend their mandate to include the Parry Sound High School which resulted in prejudicial focus against elementary students; and
WHEREAS the Ministry of Education has confirmed that the closure and replacement of these schools is the sole responsibility of the NNDSB; and
WHEREAS rural schools provide an excellent learning and social atmosphere for elementary students; and
WHEREAS numerous acceptable sites in the Municipality of McDougall for a new school have been presented to the NNDSB; and
WHEREAS these potential sites were either not properly investigated or not investigated at all which could result in more expensive and less suitable site selection;
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the NNDSB cease its current closed meeting format for the new site selection and hold a public meeting immediately to advise the public of their intentions;
AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that a new elementary school that will replace the two schools currently in The Municipality of McDougall be located in McDougall.

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MAYOR