

BOARD REPORT

Title:	JK-12 Parry Sound School: Committee Update
Contact:	Gay Smylie, Acting Superintendent
Date Submitted:	May 18, 2021
Mandate:	To construct a new JK-12 school in Parry Sound to open September 1, 2023 on the existing site.
Update:	<p>At the first meeting of the Parry Sound JK-12 Building ad hoc Committee on May 6, 2021, members heard from project leads Edward Bourdeau and Paul Sapounzi from the Ventin Group (+VG). They provided the Committee with updated schematic designs for both the school floorplan and site plan, along with a schedule of key milestones that target an opening date of September 2023.</p> <p>In order to ensure that current students can safely attend school during the new school construction timeframe, +VG has segmented this project into two phases.</p> <p><u>Phase 1: July 2021-August 2021</u> Partial demolition of the north side of the school to allow for adequate space during the build. This includes a separate entrance for construction vehicles, as well as construction fencing around the perimeter of the project. These key safety measures will ensure students and school transportation can continue to function as they currently do.</p> <p><u>Phase 2: September 2021-August 2023</u> Following a stakeholder consultation, design development to 80% will be submitted for Ministry approval in the Fall of 2021 with a goal of tendering the project in January 2022. Construction of the new school will begin in the Spring of 2022 to meet the target of a September 2023 opening.</p> <p>To meet these key milestones, the Parry Sound Building Committee will be supported by two ad hoc sub-committees: a Program Sub-Committee and a Building Sub-Committee.</p> <p>The Program Sub-Committee will be responsible for determining how best to accommodate current programs within the remaining school site during construction. They will also oversee move-management in preparation for the demolition and provide input on program space requirements in the new school floorplan.</p> <p>The Building Sub-Committees will be responsible for overseeing the construction components of Phase 1 and Phase 2 and developing</p>

	<p>communication plans as needed to various stakeholders. A key piece of their work will be maintaining the building schedule.</p> <p>Both Sub-Committees will make regular progress reports to the Parry Sound JK-12 Building Committee. In turn, the Parry Sound JK-12 Building Committee will make regular reports to the Board.</p>
<p>Recommendations:</p>	<p>That the Board receive the update report on the JK-12 Parry Sound School.</p>