

**WYOMING AREA ACCOMMODATION REVIEW COMMITTEE WORKING MEETING 2**

Thursday, March 31, 2016 @ Wyoming Public School at 6:00 pm

**6. Presentation and Examination of School Accommodation Options**

**Pros and Cons for Wyoming Area ARC Options**

**Please note that this is an incomplete list. The ARC Committee can discuss any of these points and add items as well. Individual members of the Committee should be prepared to choose which option(s) they would like to consider and which option(s) they would not consider.**

6.1 Close South Plympton PS for 2016 and move students to Wyoming PS.

6.2 Close Wyoming PS for 2016 and move students to South Plympton PS.

6.3. Move all students into South Plympton PS and close Wyoming PS to complete Construction. Move all students back to Wyoming PS for 2017 and close South Plympton PS in 2017.

6.4 Move all students into Wyoming PS and close South Plympton PS to complete Construction. Move all students back to South Plympton PS for 2017 and close Wyoming PS in 2017.

6.5 Keep both open for 2016 make renovations to Wyoming PS and close South Plympton PS in 2017. Move all students to Wyoming PS in 2017.

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<b>Close South Plympton PS for 2016 and move students to Wyoming PS</b>		
<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Pros</b>	<b>Cons</b>
6.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming PS remains open</li> <li>* Wyoming PS is a larger school with more student spaces according to the Ministry and would accommodate students with less needed construction</li> <li>* Wyoming PS is located closer to present residential areas of community</li> <li>* reduced bussing needs</li> <li>* Savings to LKDSB to offset funding cuts from Ministry of Education</li> <li>* Wyoming PS has a lower FCI</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* South Plympton PS closes</li> <li>* Timelines of consolidation is a concern</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Students add to the local economy and experience independence</li> <li>* Teachers are excited about</li> </ul>	<p><b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming is more profitable for sale</li> <li>* Safety issue of loitering and going up town for lunch</li> </ul>

	<p>possible teaching opportunities/field trips within the town of Wyoming (examples would be Post Office, Fire Department)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* ALLP is already at Wyoming</li> <li>* Every child would not have to be bussed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* South Plympton has room for parking lot expansion</li> <li>* More toilet facilities at South Plympton</li> <li>* Newer library labs at South Plympton</li> <li>* Wider hallways, simpler layout, and larger tarmac that does not need expansion or repair at South Plympton</li> <li>* Best Start would have to set up</li> <li>* Parking is a concern/drop off safety</li> <li>* Digging into green space</li> <li>* Concerns regarding younger students walking to school</li> </ul>
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<b>Close Wyoming PS for 2016 and move students to South Plympton PS</b>		
<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Pros</b>	<b>Cons</b>
6.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* South Plympton remains open</li> <li>* Savings to LKDSB to offset funding cuts from Ministry of Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming PS closes</li> <li>* The larger school with more student spaces according to the Ministry closes which would mean increased construction costs to accommodate students</li> <li>* Wyoming has a lower FCI</li> <li>* Wyoming PS is located closer to present residential areas of community</li> <li>* All students at present would need to be bussed</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming is more profitable for sale</li> <li>* Keep kids separate from the town. No safety issue of loitering and going up town for lunch.</li> <li>* South Plympton has room for parking lot expansion.</li> <li>* More toilet facilities.</li> <li>* Newer library labs.</li> <li>* Wider hallways, simpler layout.</li> <li>* Large tarmac for tricycles and basketball that does not need expansion or repair</li> <li>* Best Start is already set up</li> <li>* Increased bussing needs as all students would have to be bussed (conversation with town in regard to sidewalk construction)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Students aren't adding to local economy and experiencing independence</li> <li>* Teachers are excited about possible teaching opportunities/field trips within the town of Wyoming (examples would be Post Office, Fire Department)</li> <li>* ALLP is already at Wyoming</li> <li>* Every child would have to be bussed</li> <li>* Would require portables to be installed on a temporary basis to accommodate increased student population while construction occurs</li> <li>* Timelines of consolidation is a concern</li> </ul>

<b>Move all students into South Plympton PS and close Wyoming PS to complete Construction. Move all students back to Wyoming PS for 2017 and close South Plympton PS in 2017.</b>		
<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Pros</b>	<b>Cons</b>
6.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* South Plympton remains open for one more year</li> <li>* Some staff savings to LKDSB to offset funding cuts from Ministry of Education</li> <li>* Allows full access at Wyoming PS to complete construction and updates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* All students would need to be bussed in 2016 to South Plympton</li> <li>* Would require portables to be installed at South Plympton on a temporary basis to accommodate increased student population while construction occurs at Wyoming</li> <li>* Would mean additional transitions for students and staff</li> <li>* Would increase costs to the board to accommodate the temporary relocation of students (both portables and transportation costs)</li> <li>* Septic System concerns</li> <li>* Timelines are a concern</li> <li>* South Plympton PS closes in 2017</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Safer for students and cost effective</li> <li>* Best Start is already set up</li> </ul>	<p><b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Remove septic from con list</li> <li>* Need space for ALLP classroom</li> <li>* Washroom concern</li> <li>* May require portables</li> </ul>

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6.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming remains open for one more year</li> <li>* Some staff savings to LKDSB to offset funding cuts from Ministry of Education</li> <li>* Allows full access at South Plympton PS to complete construction and updates</li> <li>* Reduced bussing needs for one year</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming PS is a larger school with more student spaces according to the Ministry and would accommodate students with less needed construction</li> <li>* Wyoming has a lower FCI</li> <li>* Wyoming PS is located closer to present residential areas of community</li> <li>* South Plympton requires more classroom construction to accommodate number of students</li> <li>* South Plympton would require an upgrade to the septic system</li> <li>* Would mean additional transitions for students and staff</li> <li>* Timelines are a concern</li> <li>* All students would require bussing to South Plympton in 2017 (conversation</li> </ul>

		with town in regard to sidewalk construction) * Wyoming PS closes in 2017
	<b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b> * Safer for students and cost effective * ALLP would not be a concern	<b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b> * No central air * May require portables * Washrooms are a concern * Space needed for daycare

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6.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Both schools remain open in 2016</li> <li>* Wyoming PS has more student spaces according to the Ministry which would mean less construction requirements</li> <li>* Wyoming has a lower FCI</li> <li>* Easier to accommodate construction needs</li> <li>* Only one transition for students and staff</li> <li>* An extended timeline would assist students, staff, parents and the community with the transition</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* South Plympton PS closes in 2017</li> <li>* Concerns regarding younger students walking to school</li> </ul>
	<b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b>	<b>Additional Items from/since previous Working Meeting</b> * More expensive option * Timelines are a concern

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6.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Both schools remain open in 2016</li> <li>* Only one transition for students and staff</li> <li>* An extended timeline would assist students, staff, parents and the community with the transition</li> <li>* South Plympton PS has more land area</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Wyoming PS closes in 2017</li> <li>* Would require construction to occur at South Plympton while students were in the building</li> <li>* Wyoming PS has more student spaces according to the Ministry which would mean less construction requirements to accommodate students than needed at South Plympton PS site</li> <li>* Wyoming has a lower FCI</li> <li>* Wyoming PS is located closer to present residential areas of community</li> <li>* All students would require bussing to South Plympton in 2017 (conversation</li> </ul>

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