

May 19, 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Thank you for all your e-mails and questions that continue to express your concerns regarding the development next to the school and the report that was presented at the Board's Planning and Priorities Committee on May 17. We also want to thank those who made deputations. We hope that the discussion at the Committee along with the attached Qs&As will provide you with additional clarity.

This report, which included a detailed mitigation plan as part of a proposed agreement between the Toronto District School Board and KG Group, was adopted unanimously by the Committee. To view the report, please visit:

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A final report will be brought to the Board of Trustees during a public session on May 24 at 7 p.m. Parents are welcome to attend the meeting; however, there are no deputations at Board meetings.

If you continue to have questions, please send them to me by end of day Tuesday, so I can discuss them with staff before the Board meeting.

The TDSB will continue to liaise with the City regarding questions raised by the community that are in their control, for example traffic.

By working together with parents, the TDSB feels that we will secure a safe working environment for students and staff on the John Fisher site should the construction move forward.

We'll update you on our next steps after May 24.

Thank you. Have a great weekend,

## **Gerri Gershon**

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