



SD61 *Catchment
Boundary Review*



Catchment Boundary Review: *Phase Three Consultation*

Goals of Tonight

Review the purpose of the Catchment Boundary Review

Provide a brief update on the three-year planning and consultation process to date

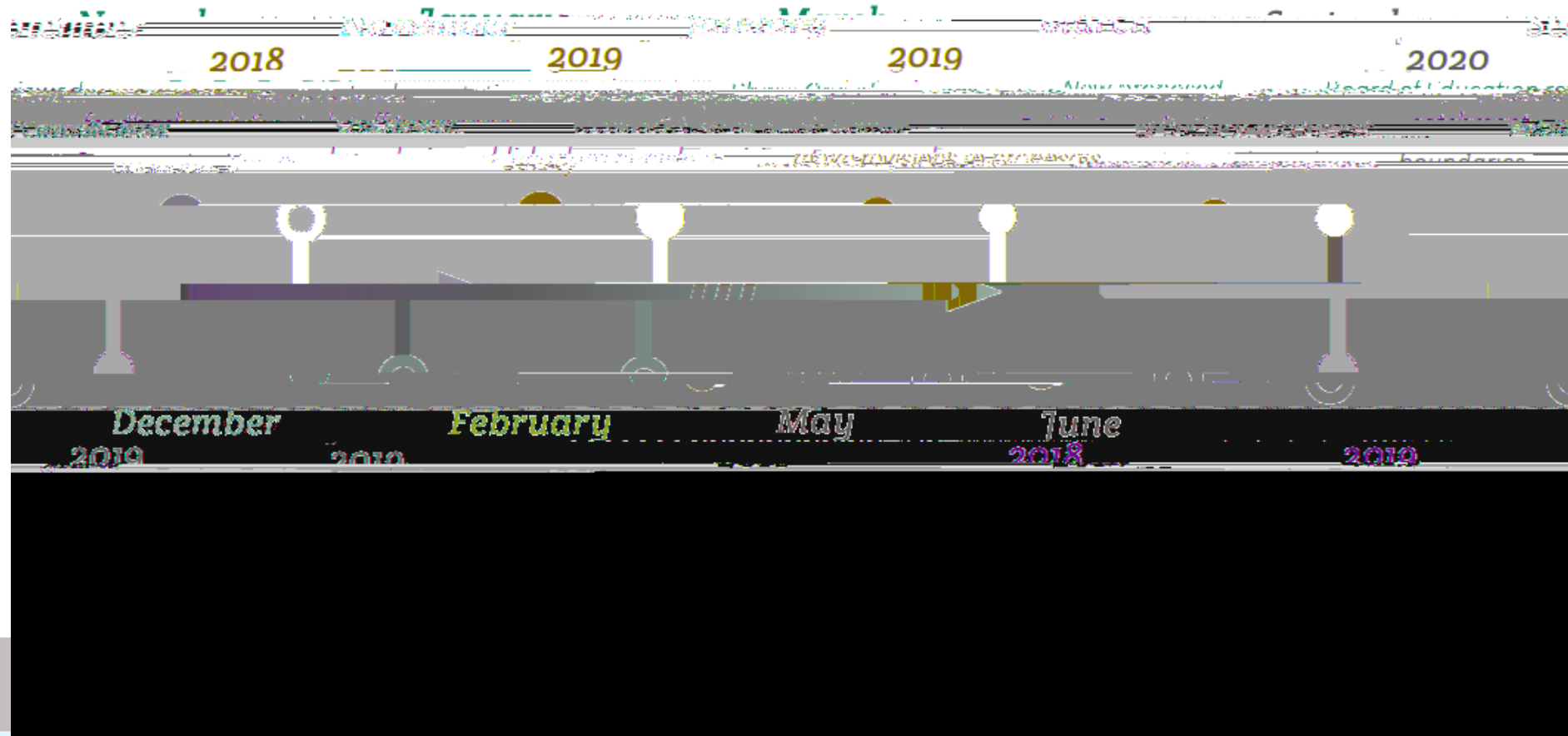
Review the current proposed plan for your school/area

Report out in groups on:

- Any final input on specific topics
- Any questions about how implementation of changes will happen over the next year

- **Limited capital resources available (would involve land disposition)**
- **Goals is to balance all the needs of:**
 - 47 different schools
 - 20,000+ students
 - Thousands of parents
 - Passionate and dedicated community members
- **Ensure equitable access to amenities in all of our schools**

Overview of Consultation



Staff recommendations

Community input through consultation

The goal is to both refine plans based on our input and create as much certainty as possible

The Board of Education will make the final decision in June



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Spring 2018 – Thetis Vale Consultation

The District engaged its community in the Thetis Vale area of the District to help address capacity issues.

While this consultation showed strong preferences in this specific community, it was clear that due to class size and composition requirements as well as increased enrolment, that the process needed to be broader.



What Goes into Our Considerations?

Winter 2019 - Phase Two of Boundary Review

Three open houses

Over 400 community members attended the open houses

Over 1,000 contributed to input online

Shared with the Board of Education

***Board of Education removed Victor School from the proposal in response to community feedback**

District has heard from the community and revised plans wherever possible

The District has been able to accommodate many of the specific neighbourhood requests it has received

Communities still have the opportunity to influence the outcome



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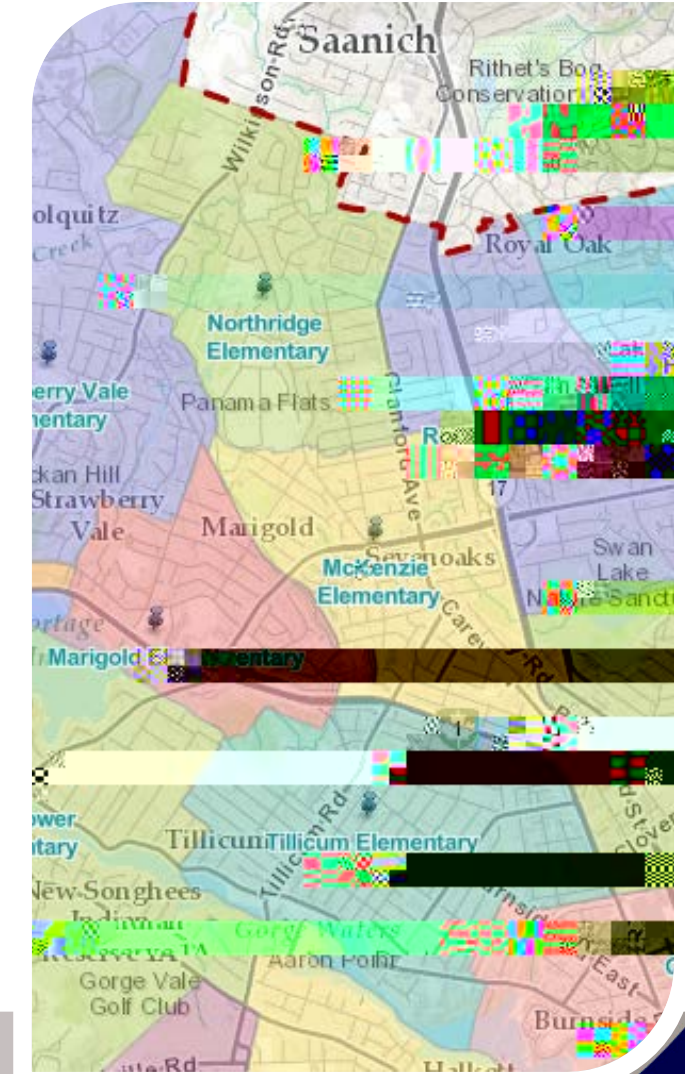
Elementary Students In Proposed Catchments

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS	Total
Bank Street Elementary	102
Brainerd Elementary	214
Overdale Traditional	298
	614


Phase Three – Tillicum/McKenzie Boundary

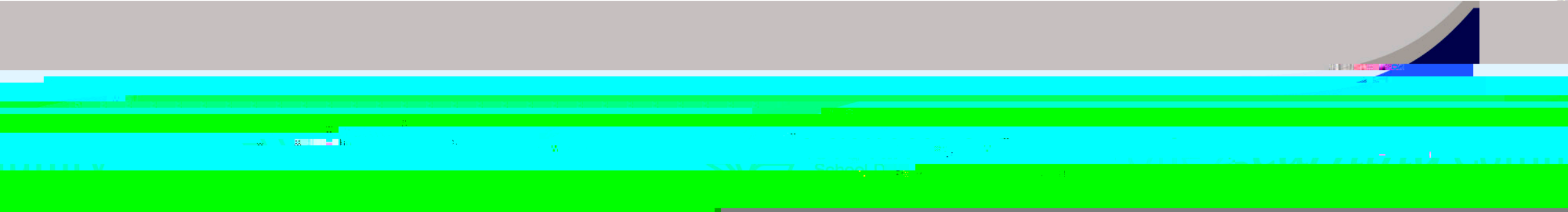
- The Tillicum catchment would be reduced through the creation of an expanded catchment for McKenzie and an adjusted catchment for Quadra.

**Responsive to feedback from the community, the McKenzie boundary was adjusted to avoid students having to cross the highway to get to school.*



Phase Three – McKenzie's Proposed Pathway Changes

Spectrum Family of Schools		
Elementary School	Designated Middle School	Designated Secondary School
Eagle View		
Marigold		
 Jerry Vale	Colquitz	OpSpectrum Community
Tillicum		
NEW McKenzie		
Northridge	Glanford	







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We Value Your Input...

Questions?

In the End Students Benefit from...

- More space
- More balanced access to resources and spaces
- Certainty over what the school pathways will look like for the foreseeable future
- The District has made its best effort to comply with collective agreement restrictions



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Next Steps:

- The proposed recommendations will come back to the Board of Education in June 2019, following the revised enrolment projections for final deliberations.



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Thank you!

- For more information about the proposed boundaries and detailed interactive catchment maps:

www.sd61.bc.ca/schools/school-catchment-boundaries/

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Interactive Boundary Maps:

www.sd61.bc.ca/schools/school-catchment-boundaries/

Link to Report:

www.sd61.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/91/2019/04/Catchment-Boundary-Review-Phase-Two-Summary-Report-042919.pdf