



**TORONTO CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD**

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Name	Diana Biancolin
Committee	Budget
Date of Presentation	6/27/2016
Topic of Presentation	Transportation and busing
Topic or Issue	TCDSB has just notified parents that transportation to and from school will no longer be provided to those students who live within a 1.5 km radius from the school. This is extremely short notice for the 2015/2016 school year.
Details	<p>I am a current member of the CSPC of St Norbert's school, and my family is one that is also affected by this budget cut.</p> <p>I along with the St Norbert's community am extremely disappointed and concerned about the welfare of our children come September 2016. Both my husband and I work full time. As St. Norbert's school does not have a "before and after care program" we had to find a caregiver to watch our children before and after school. Our caregiver does not drive, but does have a bus stop right in front of her home. This was a perfect situation for my family as there was a bus to safely get my children to and from school along with someone to watch them for an hour before and after.</p> <p>Your decision has created a huge problem for us. My caregiver is elderly and unable to walk all 3 kids to and from school. Furthermore, I can't have my 6 yr old son walk across a busy street like Wilson Avenue without adult supervision.</p> <p>This is a safety concern for young children potentially travelling alone to and from school.</p> <p>There is also a concern of increased traffic congestion around the school which will again pose further risks to those children that are walking.</p>
Action Requested	I am requesting the TCDSB reverse their decision to eliminate transportation for those within a 1.5 km radius of the school. If that is not possible, the board must come up with alternate solutions to those

	families that rely on transportation. Child care before and after school must be provided at an affordable costs to families.
I am here as a delegation to speak only on my own behalf	
I am an official representative of the Catholic School Advisory Committee (CSAC)	{2} I am an official representative of the Catholic School Advisory Committee (CSAC} St Norbert {CSAC Position}
I am an official representative of student government	
I am here as a spokesperson for another group or organization	
Submittal Date	6/24/2016