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To:	Delegations
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Subject:	St. Gregory Boundary Review
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To the TCDSB,

I am writing to express my deep concern regarding the proposed boundary change for St. Gregory's Catholic elementary school. My family and I live on Agar Crescent in Etobicoke, a location that would be excluded by the proposed boundary change thus diverting our daughter to attend Nativity of Our Lord. Although we have no concerns about the school itself (Nativity), I am deeply concerned about the safety risk of having elementary school children cross Hwy 427 to get the their school. This would involve crossing 8+ lanes on an overpass with several unregulated crossings. I think that this in and of itself makes it completely unreasonable to proceed with such a proposition, not mentioning other factors such as poor quality data on which the decision was based, income inequality of families resulting from the proposed changes at the two schools, the challenges of busing children reliably to address the safety risk, and so forth.

I urge the TCDSB not to proceed with the proposed plan and alter the existing boundary.

Sincerely,

Monika and Oskar Singer