

TORONTO CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

DELEGATION REGISTRATION FORM FOR STANDING OR OTHER COMMITTEES

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ALL STANDING COMMITTEE MEETINGS ARE BEING RECORDED

For Board Use Only
Delegation No.
[] Public Session
[] Private
Session
[] Three (3)
Minutes

Name	Andrew Zur		
Committee	Student Achievement and Well-Being Catholic Education Human Resources		
Date of Presentation	4/6/2017		
Topic of Presentation	St. Gregory Boundary Review		
Topic or Issue	As a parent whose child would be affected by the proposed St. Gregory boundary change, I strongly oppose the proposed boundary change.		
Details	The process followed through the boundary change has been unfair to parents whose children would be affected by the proposed change. We were notified late in the process and were not invited to present alternative proposals. Our concerns with safety and community schooling were treated with exasperation, disrespect and dishonesty. The boundary review did not include neighbouring schools to the south that would not involve a highway crossing, and did not explore alternatives to reduce enrollment pressures on St. Gregory. In addition, I wish to draw attention to a well-funded group of privileged parents at St. Gregory who have effectively taken over the school. They are attempting to effectively expel students from their own community school in order to create a quasi-private school within the publicly funded system.		
Action Requested	The report of the Director of Education should be accepted and there should be no boundary change to St. Gregory.		
I am here as a delegation to speak only on my own behalf		Yes	
I am an official representative of the Catholic School Parent Committee (CSPC)		No	

I am an official representative of student government	
I am here as a spokesperson for another group or organization	
Submittal Date 4/3/2017	