

A photograph of three young students in a science laboratory. They are all wearing clear safety goggles. The student on the left is holding their goggles with their hands. The student in the middle is smiling and looking upwards. The student on the right is holding a test tube with a green liquid inside. They are all wearing white lab coats. In the background, there are shelves with various lab equipment. The right side of the image is overlaid with a teal gradient.

Grandview Secondary School and Boundaries Consultation Report

Public Board Meeting
April 10, 2019

Agenda

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Introduction

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Question, Guiding Principles, Board Policy

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Consultation options review, process and feedback

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Recommendation and actions



Question:

How do we redistribute the students in the South Surrey/White Rock area that both accommodates the current demands and meets the needs of the anticipated long-term projected growth?

Guiding Principles

1. Follow Board Policy
2. Minimize disruption to students
3. Proximity to feeder secondary schools
4. Maximize existing space in all 4 secondary schools
5. Long-term sustainability
6. Minimize crossing of major roadways

Board Policy

Board Policy

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 36 (SURREY)

No. 9320

POLICY: REGISTRATION AND PLACEMENT OF STUDENTS

The Board values the “neighbourhood school” (defined as the school catchment area) and strives to maintain the integrity of student placement in neighbourhood schools.

At the same time, the district reserves the right to restrict and redirect student placement in a manner which limits inefficiencies in the use of space, resources and educational programs.

Students may seek to attend a school outside their catchment area under the conditions outlined in the Regulations and subject to district limitations on capacity.

Board Policy

Priority for enrolment among competing students will be based on the following descending order for applications received on or before the end of the first day of school in September.

- (i) Children who attended the school during and up to the end of the prior school year who are automatically enrolled in the school.
- (ii) Children who in the previous school year attended a school from which the district reassigns students progressing through their educational program to the school (e.g. "feeder school").
- (iii) A sibling of a child who attended the school in the prior school year and will continue to be enrolled in the school in the enrolling year, provided the sibling resides within the school district.
- (iv) Other catchment area children.
- (v) Non-catchment area children who were catchment area children in the prior year and attended the school but were affected by a boundary change.



Options Presented to the Community

New Catchment- Option 1A

New School Catchment: Grandview Heights Secondary

Boundary Change: All of Jessie Lee to Earl Marriott

Option 1A

Basic New Grandview Heights Catchment

New Grandview Heights Feeder Schools

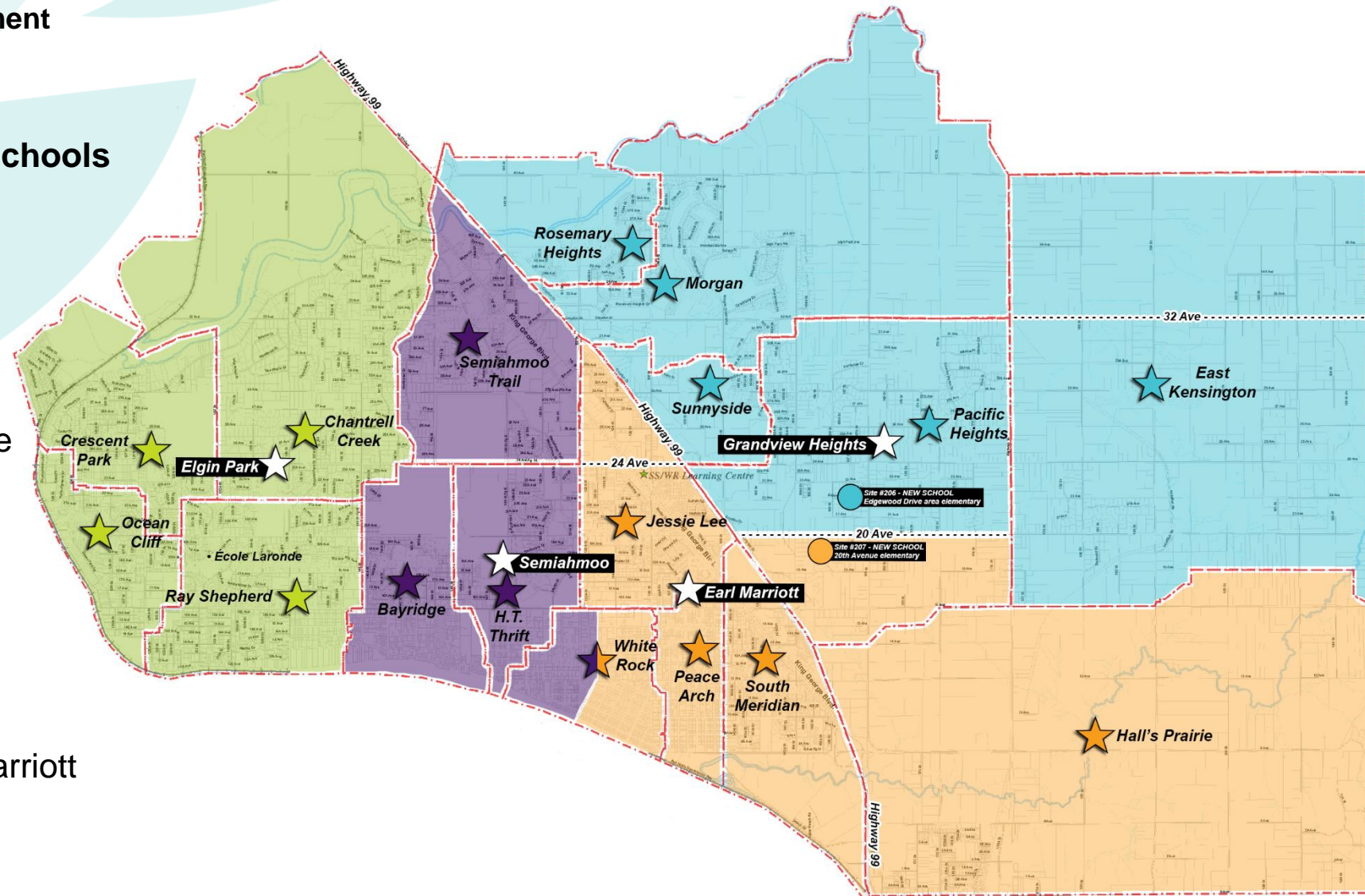
Rosemary Heights
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New Elementary @ Edgewood Drive

Elementary Boundary Moves

Jessie Lee to Earl Marriott (phased)

District Program Change

French Immersion to stay at Earl Marriott
IB Program to stay at Semiahmoo



Projected Enrolment: Option 1A

Basic New Grandview Heights Catchment

	2020 Proposed Enrolment				2027 Proposed Enrolment			
	<i>Grandview Heights</i>	<i>Earl Marriott</i>	<i>Semiahmoo</i>	<i>Elgin Park</i>	<i>Grandview Heights</i>	<i>Earl Marriott</i>	<i>Semiahmoo</i>	<i>Elgin Park</i>
Capacity	1500	1500	1300	1200	1500	1500	1300	1200
Option 1A	848	1431	1529	1078	1301	1749	1302	1054
Utilization	56%	95%	118%	90%	87%	117%	100%	88%

- Includes International
- Based on 2016 City of Surrey Housing Counts and Baragar September 1701 Enrolment

Program Change – Option 1B

New School Catchment: Grandview Heights Secondary

Boundary Change: All of Jessie Lee to Earl Marriott

Program Change: French Immersion to Elgin Park + IB remains at Semiahmoo

Option 1B

Moving FI Program to Elgin Park

New Grandview Heights Feeder Schools

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Morgan

Sunnyside

Pacific Heights (partial catchment)

East Kensington

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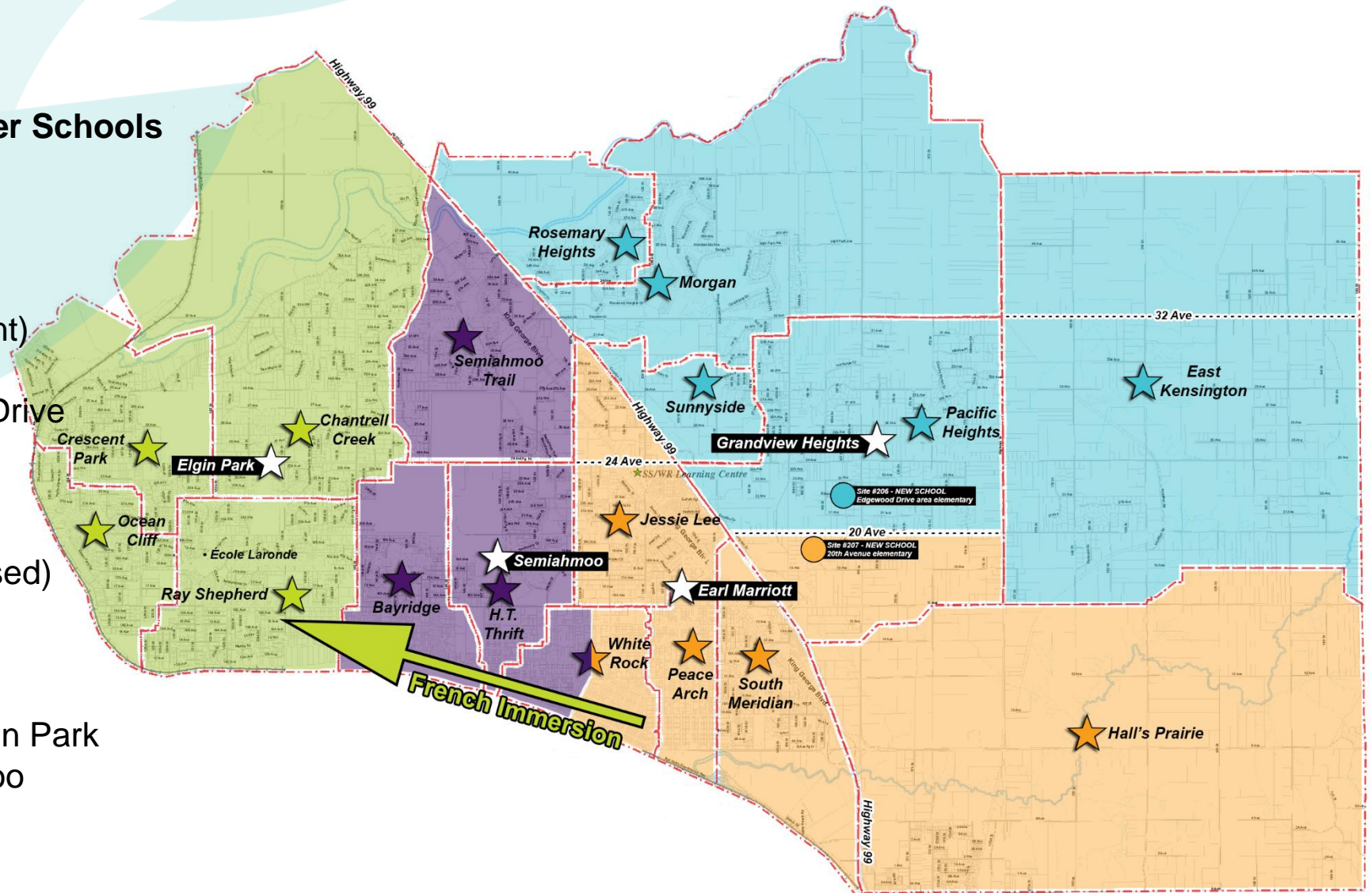
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Moving FI Program to Elgin Park

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Capacity	1500	1500	1300	1200	1500	1500	1300	1200
Option 1B	848	971	1529	1538	1301	1289	1302	1514
Utilization	56%	65%	118%	128%	87%	86%	100%	126%

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Bayridge Move – Option 2A

New School Catchment: Grandview Heights Secondary

Boundary Changes: Bayridge to Elgin Park + White Rock to Semiahmoo

Program Change: None

Option 2A

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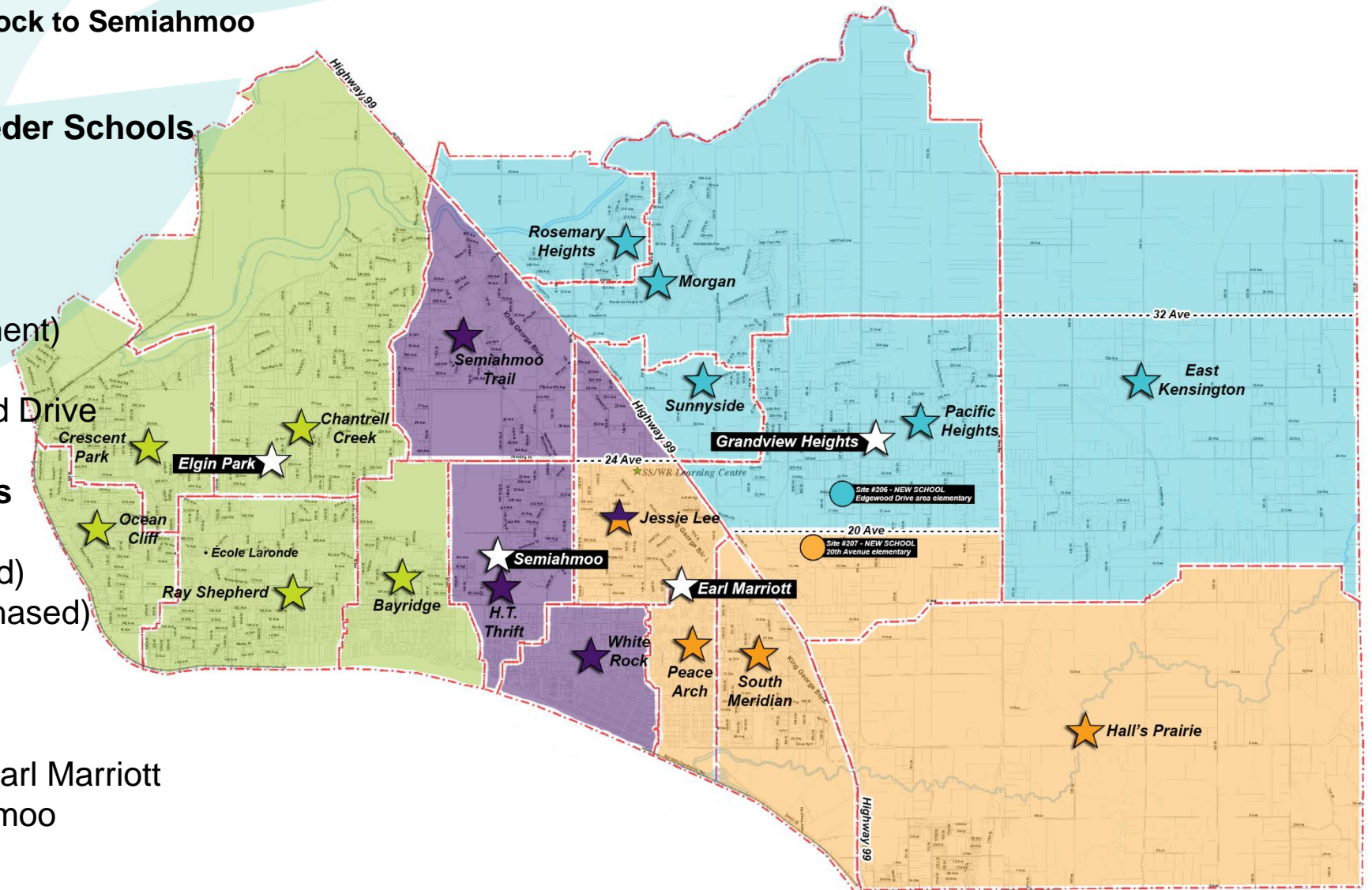
Bayridge to Elgin Park (phased)

White Rock to Semiahmoo (phased)

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Projected Enrolment: Option 2A

Bayridge to Elgin Park + White Rock to Semiahmoo

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Capacity	1500	1500	1300	1200	1500	1500	1300	1200
Option 2A	848	1490	1417	1131	1308	1525	1308	1265
Utilization	57%	99%	109%	94%	87%	102%	101%	105%

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Semiahmoo Trail Move - Option 2B

New School Catchment: Larger Grandview Heights Secondary

Boundary Changes: Semiahmoo Trail to Elgin Park + White Rock to Semiahmoo + all of Jessie Lee to Earl Marriott

Program Change: None

Preferred

Option 2B *Preferred*

Semiahmoo Trail to Elgin Park + White Rock to Semiahmoo + All Jessie Lee to Earl Marriott

New Grandview Heights Feeder Schools

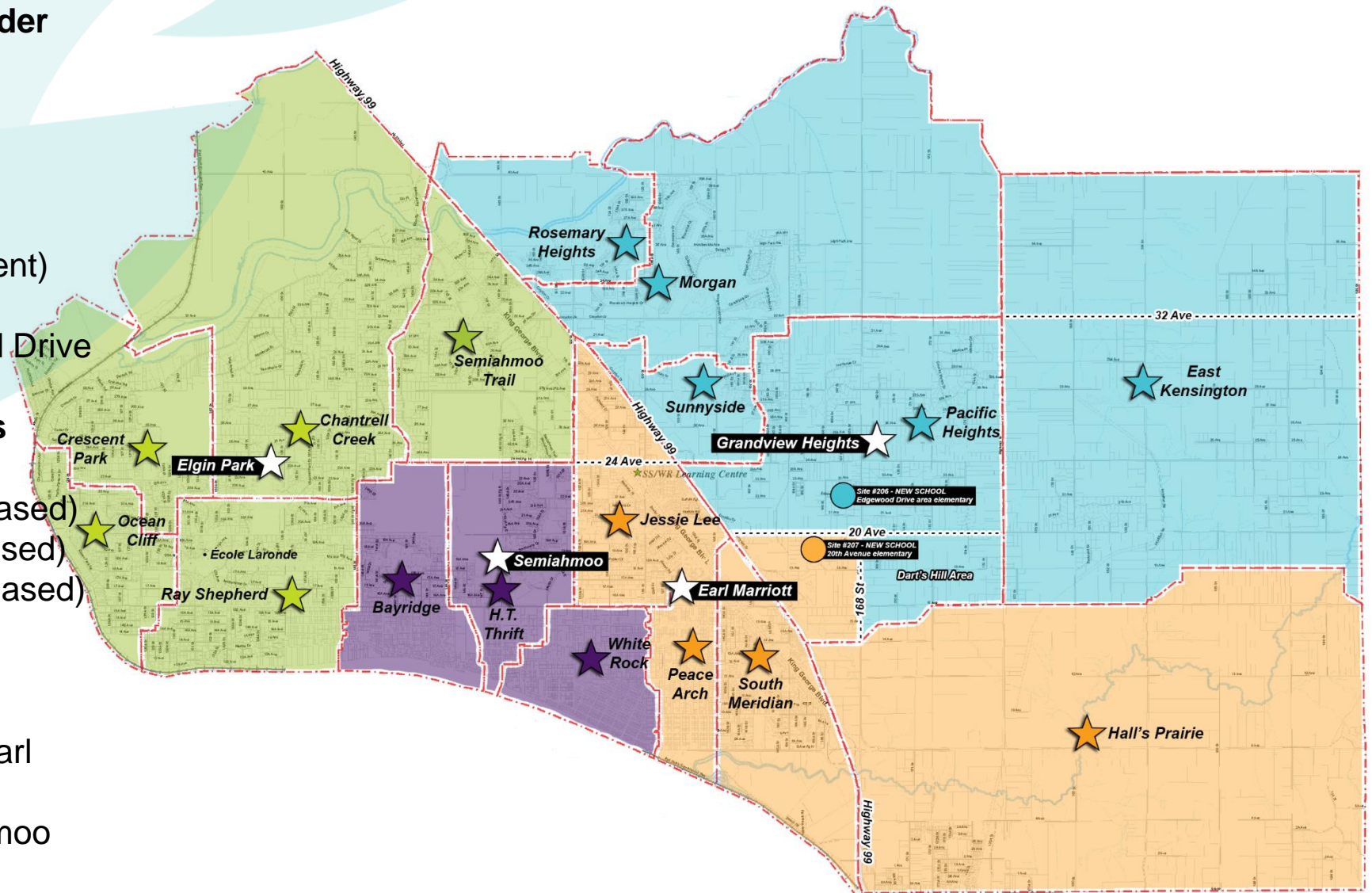
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Enrolment Projections: Option 2B *Preferred*

Semiahmoo Trail to Elgin Park + White Rock to Semiahmoo + All Jessie Lee to Earl Marriott

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Capacity	1500	1500	1300	1200	1500	1500	1300	1200
Option 2B	855	1368	1439	1224	1456	1566	1232	1152
Utilization	57%	91%	111%	102%	97%	104%	95%	96%

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A photograph of six children sitting in a row in front of a dark chalkboard. From left to right: a girl in a red jacket with her right arm raised holding a white stick; a boy in a pink shirt holding a white stick to his mouth; a girl in a black dress with a pink bow in her hair, holding a white stick high; a boy in a blue striped shirt holding a white stick high; a girl in a pink shirt holding a white stick high; and a boy in a yellow shirt holding a white stick high. The text 'Consultation Highlights' is overlaid in the center.

Consultation Highlights

Community Engagement

- **Community engagement efforts were focused around information sharing, presenting options, providing clarification and seeking feedback.**
- **Information from the community forums, including a Mandarin translation of the PowerPoint presentation, was hosted on the Surrey Schools website.**
- **Through the use of Placespeak and other social media platforms, the community could not only find information but provide feedback that could be shared.**



Public Consultation Meetings

- In-class engagement with Grade 7s at elementary schools
- Grade 8 assemblies at Earl Marriott and Semiahmoo
- Four community forums:
 - April 30, 2018 – Earl Marriott Secondary
 - May 14, 2018 – Earl Marriott Secondary
 - May 15, 2018 – Elgin Park Secondary
 - May 16, 2018 – Semiahmoo Secondary

Social Media/Print



- **Surreyschools.ca News Story and Information Page**
- **PlaceSpeak online public forum – Information and Survey**
- **Media Outreach / Press Release**
“Grandview Secondary catchment discussions,”
***Peace Arch News*, page A3**
- **Social Media (Facebook and Twitter)**
- **Appazur and SchoolLink mobile apps**
- **School Newsletters**



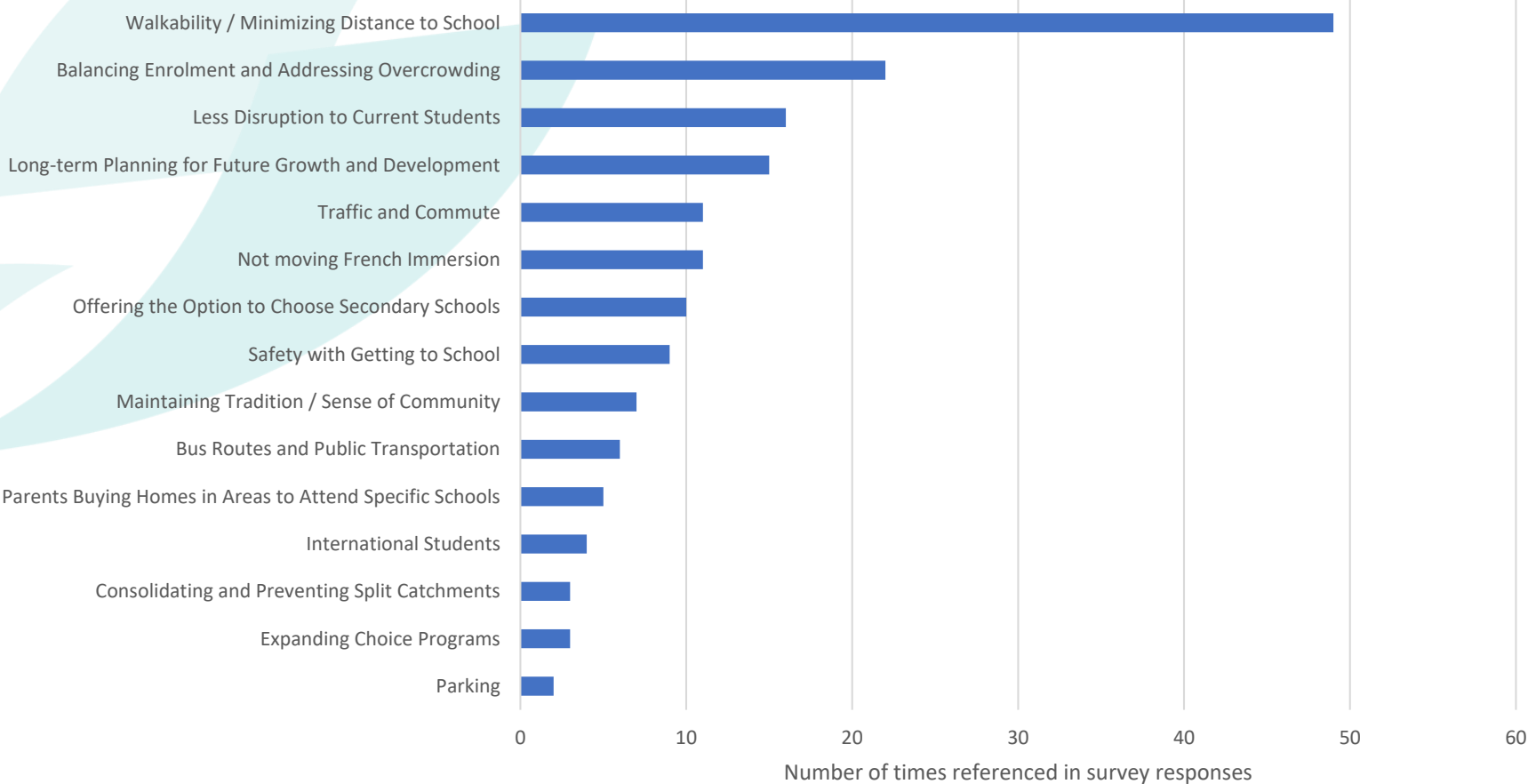
Public Feedback

Community Feedback

- **PlaceSpeak – 1,519 unique views and 162 connections**
- **Survey Feedback: 149 survey responses (136 online)**
- **Online Discussion: 13 comments**
- **The district's efforts involved more than 1,200 parents, students and staff**

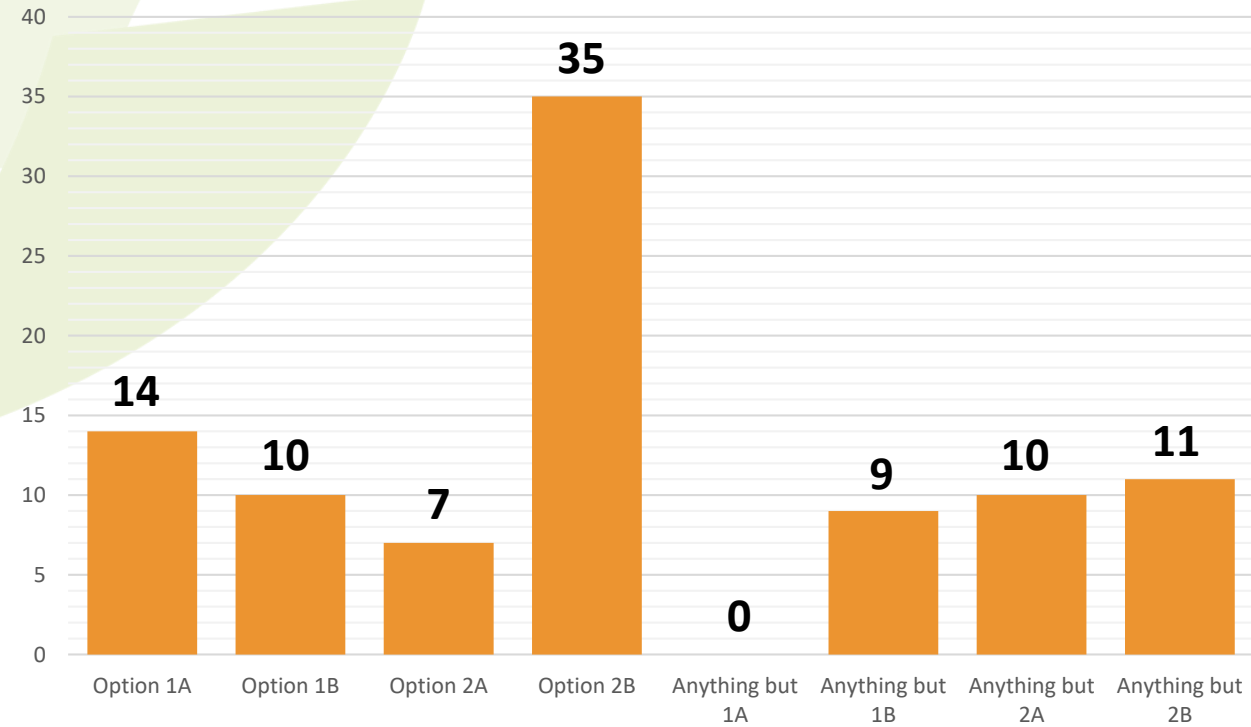
Survey Feedback

What factors would you like the district to consider when implementing the catchment change?



Survey Feedback

Support for Boundary Options



96 Responses were captured

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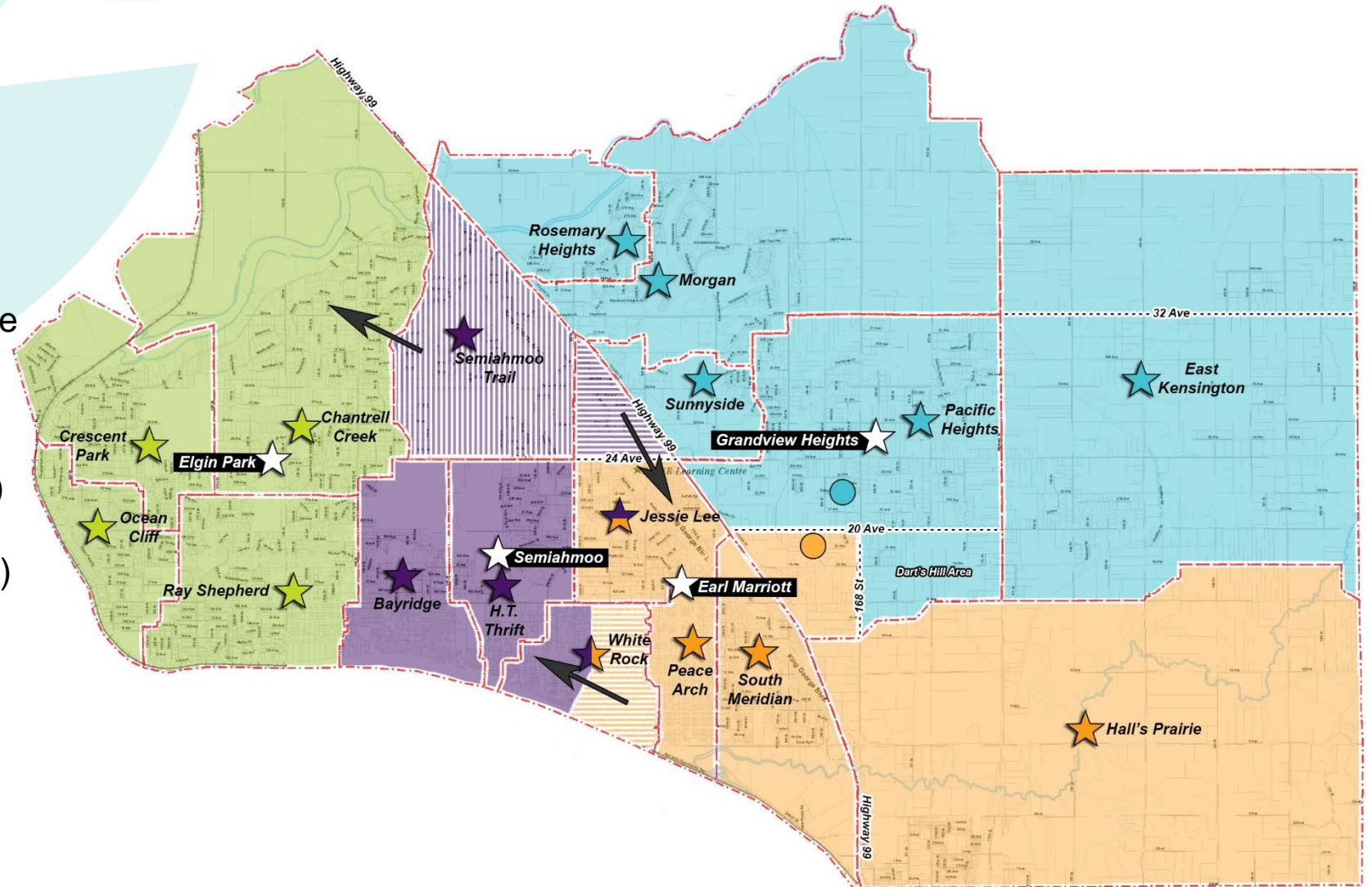
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Next steps

Effective September 2020 Semiahmoo Trail will feed to Elgin Park

- This will be a phased change
- Sibling rule will apply to those students with an older sibling already attending Semiahmoo Secondary

Next Steps

Effective September 2020 White Rock catchment will feed Semiahmoo

- This will be a phased change
- Students in the Intensive Fine Arts Program will be given the option to continue to EMS, due to the nature of their programming
- Sibling rule will apply for those students with an older sibling attending EMS

Next Steps

Effective September 2021 Grandview Heights Secondary catchment

- All students, grades 8 -11 that live in the Grandview Heights Secondary catchment will report to the new school.
- Grade 12 students will remain at their current secondary school to graduate.
- Sibling rule will apply
- EMS and Semiahmoo Secondary will no longer be closed in catchment and
- Regular cross boundary process will be restored

Thank you

A group of young children are participating in an outdoor activity on a green grassy field. They are standing on a series of yellow wooden planks laid out in a line, with red ribbons tied to the ends of the planks. The children are dressed in casual outdoor clothing, including jackets, sweaters, and pants. In the background, there are trees, a basketball hoop, and a building. The word "Questions" is overlaid in white text in the center of the image.

Questions