

Victory Villa Elementary Community Boundary Study

Committee Meeting 3
February 8, 2017

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Tonight's Goals & Agenda

- To follow-up with new information and answer questions regarding the project
- To review DRAFT baseline options and handouts
- Small group exercise to perform review and additional creation of DRAFT options concepts.



Tonight's Goals & Agenda

- 6:00 - 6:25 Review of new information and handouts
- 6:25 - 7:10 Break into 6 small working groups and review and develop additional options concepts
- 7:10 - 7:25 Discuss thoughts regarding DRAFT baseline options and concepts created
- 7:25 - 7:30 Discuss next steps and adjourn



Requests & Questions – Follow-up

From Meeting 1- Request for Information:

Materials in tonight's handouts:

- Maps with planned/approved residential development and number of units
- Projections and utilization by school
- Students residing in/out of boundary
- Birth data trends
- Emails received from public

All information may be revised as needed for future meetings.



Requests & Questions-Follow Up

Per committee discussion and requests:

Approved residential development information is ready to share:

- Map showing the location of approved developments
- Tables accompany the map that provide more details on each development
- Full details are available in tonight's handouts



Additional DRAFT Option

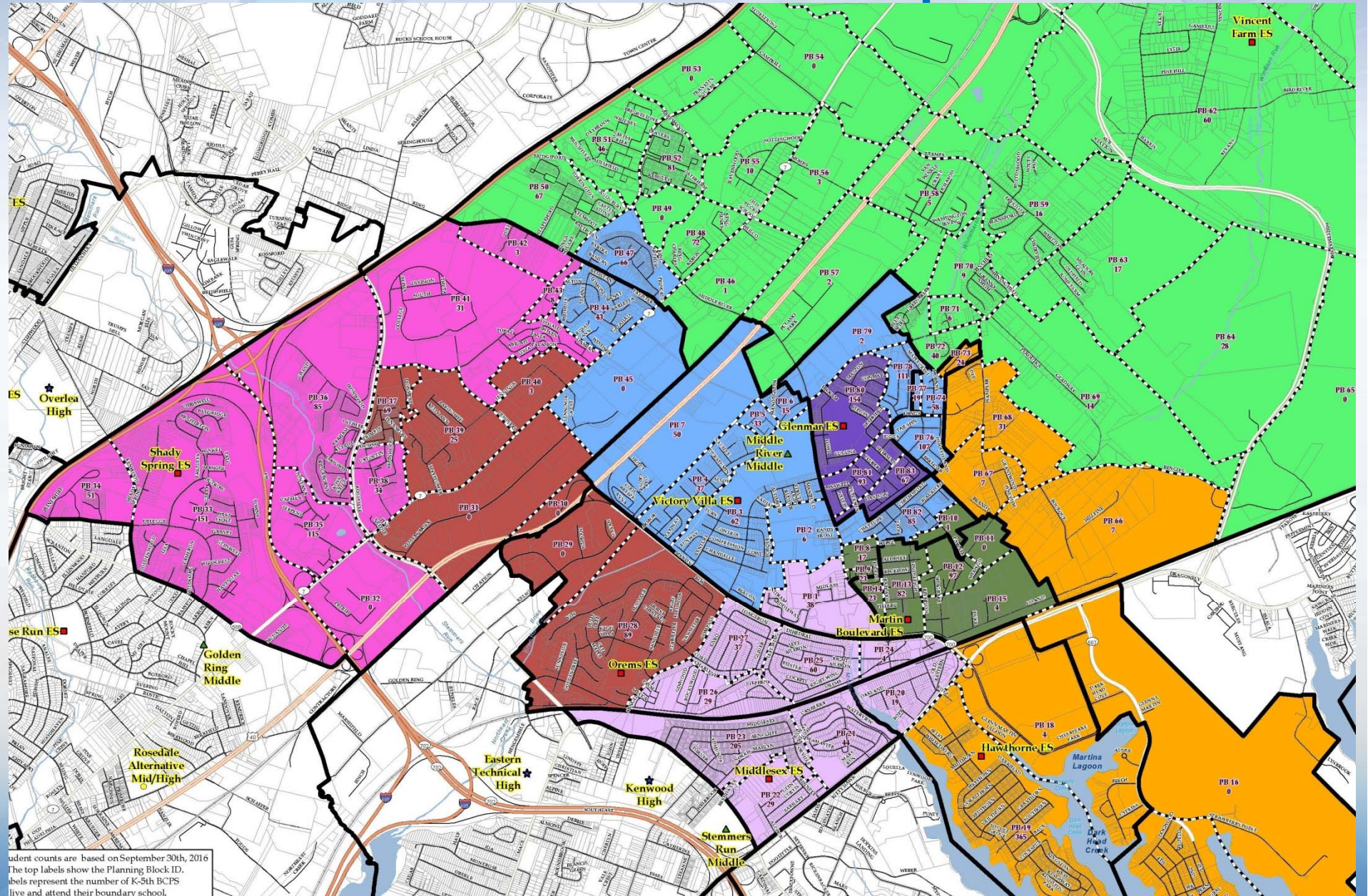
Option 4 has been drafted

Per committee feedback and discussion during meetings

- Option 4 provides an additional configuration for schools in the southern part of the study area
- Victory Villa is assigned to more communities north of Glenmar (Northrop Ln, Shipfriend Rd, Charbank Ln, Avro Rd) than in prior options, and fewer communities south of Glenmar (Davidson Rd, Langley Rd, south of Biggs Rd.)
- There were notes regarding suggested moves for various planning blocks, which have been incorporated into some of the DRAFT options



Additional DRAFT Option 4



Review of DRAFT Options

Remember that everything is considered DRAFT!

- Nothing is written in stone
- Existing DRAFT options are subject to change
- New options can/will be created

Focus isn't on picking the best solution YET, but to openly explore the various options to present to the public for feedback



Boundary Study Objectives

The community-based, comprehensive boundary study is tasked with meeting the following key objectives:

- Reduce overcrowding in the region.
- Create viable, successful boundaries to effectively utilize the added capacity at Victory Villa ES.
- Support diversity among schools that reflects the community and the school system.



Effective Collaboration

Norms & Expectations

- Be inclusive by allowing each group member adequate time and space to voice ideas, opinions, and concerns. And, allow for wait time between responses
- Spend adequate time considering how each proposed change will impact diverse stakeholders
- Be mindful of the Boundary Study Guidelines and use each as a guide in the collaborative process
- If conflict arises, be mindful of tone, speak, and body language. Use “I” statements to avoid blame and to clarify points and/or feelings



Small Group Exercise

Review and Create DRAFT options

- Break into 6 small groups
- Each group will have 45 minutes to create additional DRAFT options
- Groups will have a blank ‘Sketch’ map
 - The intent is for the group to draw in different boundaries for each school that they feel would best meet the overall considerations
 - Feel free to reference the DRAFT options 1-4 if you want to develop more of a hybrid map
 - Don’t feel the need to complete a full map. Concepts that are created will be used to generate additional options.
- After each group reviews options, there will be a discussion around findings/observations



Small Group Exercise

Roles and Responsibilities

- *Discussion Guide*- Keep discussion on track, makes sure all voices are included
- *Reporter*- Shares group's findings
- *Scribe*- Records group's discussion
- *Parking lot attendant*- Records unanswered questions



Small Group Exercise

Group Discussion and Review of Maps/Data

- Discuss any findings, observations, suggestions or questions your group may have
 - What are the strengths and limitations of each of the options?
 - Are there any concerns, challenges or suggestions related to planning blocks?



Planning Block Consensus

Do we have consensus on the existing planning blocks?

Current Planning Block (PB) configurations seem to support committee input and suggestions from Meetings #1 and #2 regarding possible boundary change options

- Questions about Planning Block adjustments?
- Any other suggested Planning Block adjustments?
- Seeking group consensus on current configuration
 - Changes may be made as needed and as the committee agrees



Next Meeting

- Wednesday, February 22, 2017
- Same location, Middle River Middle School
- Same starting time, 6 – 7:30 p.m.
- See you at the next meeting!



General Announcements

And Upcoming Schedule

February 2017: Upcoming Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
February 5	6	7	8 Committee Meeting 3 6:00 – 7:30 pm	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22 Committee Meeting 4 6:00 – 7:30 pm	23	24	25
26	27	28	March 1	2	3	4