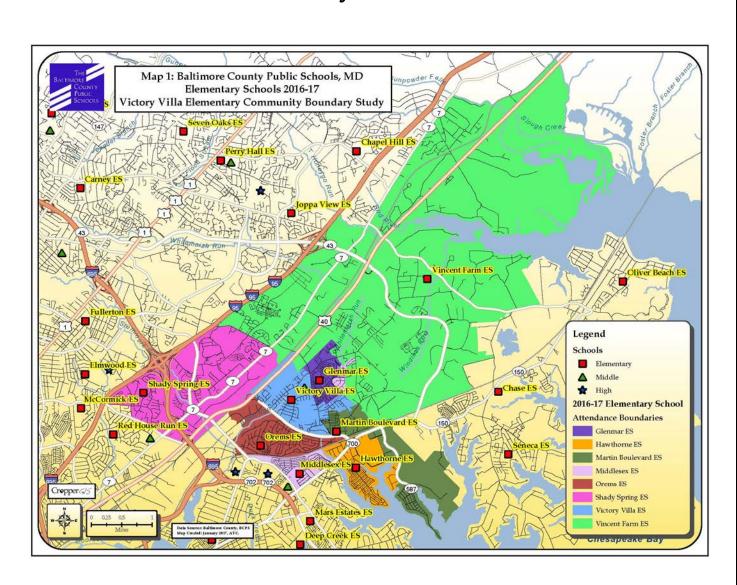


# Baltimore County Public Schools Victory Villa Elementary Community Boundary Change Study

# **Public Information Session Survey Results**



# **Online Survey Results**

#### <u>Introduction</u>

Approximately 250 community members attended the 3/28/17 public information session, hosted by the Victory Villa Elementary Community Boundary Change Study committee and BCPS staff. Cropper GIS facilitated the meeting and shared information about the committee goals, guidelines, and process and introduced four options developed by the committee that help to meet the boundary study goals. The public then participated in a gallery walk where each option was displayed on large maps along with data tables. Staff and committee members answered questions and heard input from the public as they viewed and discussed the four options under consideration. Computers were available to attendees during and after the gallery walk to facilitate the public's participation in related online survey, and the surveys were made available in multiple languages.

#### Online Survey

Two Hundred and Seventy Four respondents participated in the online survey that was available to the public from 3/15/17 until 4/2/17. The survey asked respondents to provide their thoughts, observations, and overall attitude toward the four options that were presented at the 3/28/17 information session and posted on the BCPS Web site. The data – aggregated, summarized and reported below – is intended to be used by the Boundary Change Study Committee as a tool to help facilitate their deliberation and decision-making regarding the redistricting process. The results of the survey alone do not constitute a decision regarding a boundary change and are not intended to be used in decision-making process independent of other information, discussion, and deliberation.

#### Respondents by Survey Language

Table 1: Survey Language of Respondents

Survey Language	Responses	Percentage of Total Responses
Arabic	1	0.4%
Chinese	2	0.7%
English	269	98.2%
Spanish	2	0.7%
Total	274	

Response to "In which elementary school boundary do you currently live?"

Table 2: Respondent Live-In Elementary Boundary

Live-In Elementary Boundary	Responses	Percentage of Total Responses
Glenmar ES	13	5.1%
Hawthorne ES	2	0.8%
Martin Boulevard ES	19	7.4%
Middlesex ES	9	3.5%
Orems ES	117	45.5%
Shady Spring ES	9	3.5%
Victory Villa ES	21	8.2%
Vincent Farm ES	58	22.6%
Other (Please specify):	9	3.5%
Total	257	

# Option Attitude Summary Tables for All Submitted Comments

The following provides a general summary on the community's overall attitude related to the Options.

# Summary of Overall Opinion for Each Option

The table below shows the results to the question when asked 'What is your overall opinion towards an Option?'

Table 3. Summary of Overall Opinion for Each Option

Overall Opinion	Opti	on A	Opti	on B	Opti	on C	Option D		
Overall Opinion	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
Strongly in favor	41	19.5%	44	23.7%	43	23.4%	18	9.9%	
Somewhat in favor	8	3.8%	10	5.4%	9	4.9%	10	5.5%	
Neutral	13	6.2%	11	5.9%	18	9.8%	16	8.8%	
Somewhat opposed	7	3.3%	6	3.2%	12	6.5%	15	8.2%	
Strongly opposed	141	67.1%	115	61.8%	102	55.4%	123	67.6%	
Total	210	100.0%	186	100.0%	184	100.0%	182	100.0%	

# Overall Opinions for Each Option by Respondent Live-In Elementary Boundary

The tables below shows the results to the question when asked 'What is your overall opinion towards an Option?' and are broken out by the Respondent's Live-In Elementary Boundary.

Table 4: Summary of Overall Opinion for Option A by Live-In Elementary Boundary

						Optio	on A					
Live-In Elementary Boundary		ongly oosed		what osed	Neı	ıtral		what in vor		gly in vor	To	tal
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	8	72.7%	0	0.0%	1	9.1%	0	0.0%	2	18.2%	11	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	12	80.0%	2	13.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	6.7%	15	100.0%
Middlesex ES	4	66.7%	1	16.7%	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
Orems ES	99	96.1%	1	1.0%	2	1.9%	0	0.0%	1	1.0%	103	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	3	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	50.0%	6	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	5	33.3%	2	13.3%	5	33.3%	2	13.3%	1	6.7%	15	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	6	13.0%	1	2.2%	1	2.2%	6	13.0%	32	69.6%	46	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	3	50.0%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	6	100.0%
Total	141	67.1%	7	3.3%	13	6.2%	8	3.8%	41	19.5%	210	100.0%

Table 5: Summary of Overall Opinion for Option B by Live-In Elementary Boundary

		,	, v		,	Optio	on B					
Live-In Elementary Boundary		ongly oosed		ewhat osed	Net	ıtral		what in vor		gly in vor	Total	
	n	,,		%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	3	30.0%	0	0.0%	2	20.0%	1	10.0%	4	40.0%	10	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	11	78.6%	1	7.1%	1	7.1%	0	0.0%	1	7.1%	14	100.0%
Middlesex ES	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	3	100.0%
Orems ES	85	95.5%	1	1.1%	3	3.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	89	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	4	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	6	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	4	30.8%	2	15.4%	2	15.4%	3	23.1%	2	15.4%	13	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	3	7.0%	2	4.7%	1	2.3%	5	11.6%	32	74.4%	43	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	2	33.3%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	1	16.7%	2	33.3%	6	100.0%
Total	115	61.8%	6	3.2%	11	5.9%	10	5.4%	44	23.7%	186	100.0%



Overall Opinions for Each Option by Respondent Live-In Elementary Boundary (Continued)

Table 6: Summary of Overall Opinion for Option C by Live-In Elementary Boundary

						Optio	on C					
Live-In Elementary Boundary		ongly oosed		what osed	Net	ıtral		what in vor		gly in vor	To	otal
	n	0/0	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	3	30.0%	0	0.0%	3	30.0%	2	20.0%	2	20.0%	10	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	11	84.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	7.7%	1	7.7%	13	100.0%
Middlesex ES	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Orems ES	72	80.9%	6	6.7%	5	5.6%	2	2.2%	4	4.5%	89	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	4	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	6	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	4	30.8%	3	23.1%	4	30.8%	1	7.7%	1	7.7%	13	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	3	7.1%	2	4.8%	4	9.5%	2	4.8%	31	73.8%	42	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	2	33.3%	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	2	33.3%	6	100.0%
Total	102	55.4%	12	6.5%	18	9.8%	9	4.9%	43	23.4%	184	100.0%

Table 7: Summary of Overall Opinion for Option D by Live-In Elementary Boundary

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Live-In Elementary Boundary		ongly oosed		what osed	Neu	ıtral		vhat in vor		gly in vor	To	otal
	n			%	n	0/0	n	0/0	n	%	n	0/0
Glenmar ES	3	30.0%	0	0.0%	3	30.0%	1	10.0%	3	30.0%	10	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	11	84.6%	1	7.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	7.7%	13	100.0%
Middlesex ES	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Orems ES	72	80.9%	6	6.7%	2	2.2%	1	1.1%	8	9.0%	89	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	4	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	6	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	4	30.8%	3	23.1%	3	23.1%	3	23.1%	0	0.0%	13	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	24	58.5%	4	9.8%	7	17.1%	3	7.3%	3	7.3%	41	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	2	40.0%	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	1	20.0%	1	20.0%	5	100.0%
Total	123	67.6%	15	8.2%	16	8.8%	10	5.5%	18	9.9%	182	100.0%

# Reasons for Favoring an Option Summary Table

The table below shows the responses to "You indicated that you are in favor of an Option. What is your primary reason?"

Table 8. Summary of Reasons for Favoring an Option

Reason for Favoring an Option	Oı	otion A	Oj	ption B	Oj	otion C	Op	otion D
Reason for Pavoring an Option	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	0/0
Maintains or increases diversity	4	8.7%	6	11.5%	5	9.8%	2	7.1%
Maintains existing neighborhoods	27	58.7%	28	53.8%	34	66.7%	11	39.3%
Does not disrupt current walkers, changes bus ridership for students	2	4.3%	3	5.8%	4	7.8%	2	7.1%
Addresses current overcrowding	9	19.6%	6	11.5%	6	11.8%	7	25.0%
Maintains school feeder patterns	1	2.2%	5	9.6%	1	2.0%	0	0.0%
Addresses long term enrollment needs	3	6.5%	4	7.7%	1	2.0%	6	21.4%
Total	46	100.0%	52	100.0%	51	100.0%	28	100.0%



<u>Reasons for Favoring an Option Summary Table by Respondent Live-In Elementary Boundary (Continued)</u>
The table below shows the responses to "You indicated that you are in favor of an Option. What is your primary reason?" and are broken out by the Respondent's Live-In Elementary Boundary.

Table 9: Summary of Reasons for Favoring Option A by Live-In Elementary Boundary

							Option	ı A						
Live-In Elementary Boundary	enro	sses long erm illment eeds	school	ntains I feeder terns	cui	resses crent cowding	Does not current v chang riders stud	es bus hip for	exis	ntains sting orhoods	incre	ains or eases rsity	То	tal
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Middlesex ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Orems ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	0	0.0%	1	2.8%	3	8.3%	2	5.6%	26	72.2%	4	11.1%	36	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Total	3	6.5%	1	2.2%	9	19.6%	2	4.3%	27	58.7%	4	8.7%	46	100.0%

Table 10: Summary of Reasons for Favoring Option B by Live-In Elementary Boundary

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Live-In Elementary Boundary	enro	sses long erm llment eeds	school	ntains I feeder terns	cur	resses rent owding	Does not current v chang ridersl stud	es bus hip for	exis	ntains sting orhoods	incre	ains or eases rsity	То	otal
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%			n	%
Glenmar ES	2	40.0%	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	1	20.0%	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	5	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Middlesex ES	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Orems ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Shady Springs ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	3	60.0%	0	0.0%	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	5	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	0	0.0%	3	8.3%	1	2.8%	2	5.6%	24	66.7%	6	16.7%	36	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Total	4	7.7%	5	9.6%	6	11.5%	3	5.8%	28	53.8%	6	11.5%	52	100.0%

Table 11: Summary of Reasons for Favoring Option C by Live-In Elementary Boundary

			·				Option	1 C						
Live-In Elementary Boundary	enro	sses long erm llment eeds	Maintains school feeder patterns		cur	resses rent owding	changes bus existing		ting	Maintains or increases diversity		To	otal	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	1	25.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	25.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	4	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	2	100.0%
Middlesex ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Orems ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	5	83.3%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	0	0.0%	1	3.0%	1	3.0%	2	6.1%	25	75.8%	4	12.1%	33	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Total	1	2.0%	1	2.0%	6	11.8%	4	7.8%	34	66.7%	5	9.8%	51	100.0%



Table 12: Summary of Reasons for Favoring Option D by Live-In Elementary Boundary

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Live-In Elementary Boundary	enro	sses long erm llment eeds	school	ntains I feeder terns	cur	resses rent owding	Does not current v change ridersl stud	walkers, es bus hip for	exis	ntains sting orhoods	incre	ains or eases rsity	То	tal
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	1	25.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	25.0%	4	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Middlesex ES	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Orems ES	3	33.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	1	11.1%	9	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	0	0.0%	3	50.0%	0	0.0%	6	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Total	6	21.4%	0	0.0%	7	25.0%	2	7.1%	11	39.3%	2	7.1%	28	100.0%

# Primary Concerns Summary Table

The table below shows what the primary concerns were for those that *opposed* a plan.

Table 13. Summary of Primary Concern for Each Option

Primary Concern	Opti	on A	Opti	ion B	Opt	ion C	Option D	
Timary Concern	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Does not support maintaining or increasing diversity	8	5.6%	5	4.1%	6	5.3%	7	5.1%
Divides existing neighborhoods	97	67.8%	89	73.6%	74	64.9%	86	63.2%
Is disruptive to current walkers, changes bus ridership for students	15	10.5%	10	8.3%	5	4.4%	8	5.9%
Does not address current overcrowding	11	7.7%	9	7.4%	19	16.7%	19	14.0%
Is disruptive to school feeder patterns	6	4.2%	3	2.5%	6	5.3%	8	5.9%
Does not address long term enrollment needs	6	4.2%	5	4.1%	4	3.5%	8	5.9%
Total	143	100.0%	121	100.0%	114	100.0%	136	100.0%

Primary Concerns Summary Table by Respondent's Live-In Elementary Boundary

The tables below shows what the primary concerns were for those that *opposed* a plan and are broken out by the Respondent's Live-In Elementary Boundary.

Table 14. Summary of Primary Concerns Option A by Live-In Elementary Boundary

	Option A													
Live-In Elementary Boundary	Does not address long term enrollment needs		Is disruptive to school feeder patterns		Does not address current overcrowding		Is disruptive to current walkers, changes bus		Divides existing neighborhoods		Does not support maintaining or increasing diversity		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n %		n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	5	71.4%	0	0.0%	7	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	1	7.1%	1	7.1%	4	28.6%	1	7.1%	2	14.3%	5	35.7%	14	100.0%
Middlesex ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	25.0%	0	0.0%	3	75.0%	0	0.0%	4	100.0%
Orems ES	2	2.1%	4	4.1%	4	4.1%	10	10.3%	75	77.3%	2	2.1%	97	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%	5	71.4%	0	0.0%	7	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	3	42.9%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	1	14.3%	7	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Total	6	4.2%	6	4.2%	11	7.7%	15	10.5%	97	67.8%	8	5.6%	143	100.0%
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Table 15. Summary of Primary Concerns Option B by Live-In Elementary Boundary

Option B Does not Is disruptive to Does not Does not address long Is disruptive to current walkers, Divides support Live-In Elementary address term school feeder changes bus existing maintaining **Total Boundary** current enrollment patterns ridership for neighborhoods or increasing overcrowding needs students diversity % % % % % n n <u>Glenma</u>r ES 0 0.0% 0 33.3% 0 3 0.0% 0 0.0% 1 2 66.7% 0.0% 100.0% Hawthorne ES 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 1 100.0% 0 0.0% 1 100.0% Martin Boulevard ES 1 8.3% 1 8.3% 3 25.0% 1 8.3% 25.0% 25.0% 12 100.0% Middlesex ES 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 100.0% 0 0.0% 100.0% Orems ES 2 2.3% 2 2.3% 5 5.8% 5 5.8% 82.6% 1.2% 100.0% 71 1 86 0 0 0 2 Shady Springs ES 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 50.0% 2 50.0% 0 0.0% 4 100.0% Victory Villa ES 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 1 16.7% 1 16.7% 4 66.7% 0 0.0% 6 100.0% 100.0% Vincent Farm ES 2 40.0% 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 40.0% 20.0% 5 0.0% 0 2 1 0 0.0% Other (Please Specify) 0.0% 0 0.0% 0 0.0% 0 2 100.0% 0 0.0% 2 100.0% 5 5 **Total** 2.5% 10 8.3% 89 73.6% 4.1% 121 100.0% 4.1% 3 7.4%

Table 16. Summary of Primary Concerns Option C by Live-In Elementary Boundary

,,,,	Option C  Option C													
Live-In Elementary Boundary	Does not address long term enrollment needs		Is disruptive to school feeder patterns		Does not address current overcrowding		Is disruptive to current walkers, changes bus ridership for students		Divides existing neighborhoods		Does not support maintaining or increasing diversity		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	1	9.1%	0	0.0%	3	27.3%	0	0.0%	3	27.3%	4	36.4%	11	100.0%
Middlesex ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Orems ES	2	2.6%	3	3.8%	12	15.4%	2	2.6%	58	74.4%	1	1.3%	78	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	4	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%	4	57.1%	0	0.0%	7	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	1	20.0%	2	40.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	40.0%	0	0.0%	5	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	1	33.3%	3	100.0%
Total	4	3.5%	6	5.3%	19	16.7%	5	4.4%	74	64.9%	6	5.3%	114	100.0%



Primary Concerns Summary Table by Respondent's Live-In Elementary Boundary (Continued)

Table 17. Summary of Primary Concerns Option D by Live-In Elementary Boundary

	Option D													
Live-In Elementary Boundary	Does not address long term enrollment needs		Is disruptive to school feeder patterns		Does not address current overcrowding		Is disruptive to current walkers, changes bus		Divides existing neighborhoods		Does not support maintaining or increasing diversity		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Glenmar ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Hawthorne ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%
Martin Boulevard ES	1	8.3%	1	8.3%	2	16.7%	0	0.0%	3	25.0%	5	41.7%	12	100.0%
Middlesex ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%
Orems ES	4	5.3%	3	3.9%	12	15.8%	4	5.3%	53	69.7%	0	0.0%	76	100.0%
Shady Springs ES	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	4	100.0%
Victory Villa ES	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%	4	57.1%	0	0.0%	7	100.0%
Vincent Farm ES	3	10.7%	3	10.7%	1	3.6%	1	3.6%	19	67.9%	1	3.6%	28	100.0%
Other (Please Specify)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	1	33.3%	3	100.0%
Total	8	5.9%	8	5.9%	19	14.0%	8	5.9%	86	63.2%	7	5.1%	136	100.0%

# Conclusion

To summarize, the data presented in this summary report will be utilized as a tool to help the committee prioritize the options. However, the results of the community forum should not be the only deciding factor when reviewing the options due to the uneven distribution of respondents across the district.

# **Additional Comments**

Respondents also provided comments regarding each option. Those comments can be read in their entirety in the Exhibits that accompany this report.

Exhibit #1 - Option #A

Exhibit #2 - Option #B

Exhibit #3 - Option #C

Exhibit #4 - Option #D

# Exhibit #1 - Option #A

# What are your thoughts regarding Option A?

Not only does this option split the community to add a whole other community. DOES NOT MAKE SENSE AT ALL AWFUL AWFUL.

Option A is not beneficial for Orems! Orems was originally built for the Aero Acres community and now those children are to be removed. The trip from my house to Orems is 1.1 mile. When she is bussed to Middlesex her bus ride will almost triple to 2.8 miles. this is unacceptable! No child should be forced from a school in their own neighborhood!

Against it.

Better diversifies both Middlesex and Orems

Addresses school capacities

Too much student movement

I do not want the neighborhood divided

Does not fit into our school community. Students should not be bussed across major highways. Not all parentsn are comfortable with their children riding that far and some do not like them riding busses at all, this makes it very inconvient for parents who need to pick their students up. Also it iss imperitive in case of student illness.

Safety needs to be the #1 concern for these children. Both Orems and Shady Spring kids will need to be bussed further across very dangerous roads and intersections.

Orems ES was built for the community of Aero Acres. Children that live less than a mile away and walk to school will now have to be bused significantly further to Middlesex during high traffic times on dangerous routes. Not to mention the kids from Shady Springs being bused over 3.5 miles further crossing Pulaski Hgwy. SAFETY needs to be a priority!!!

I have no thoughts,, things should stay as they are.

I like to remain the same boundary as before if possible. My girls will go to school separately if option A

this options just not good for my zone

It has the smallest reduction of percentage of overcrowding which sadly seems to be the goal of all of this

This spilt up areo acres for no apparent reason, sending kids in areo acre to Middlesex elementary. There no direct path to Middlesex because of the railroad tracks. This will cause longer bus commutes and more traffic. Also route 40 is a major highway and busing kids over to diversify a school is absurd, the traffic is awful and only going to make it worst and have a higher risk of auto/bus accidents

Keep Orems a Community School

Glenmar is a community school and an all walking school. Half of the street would go to Glenmar and half would go to Victory Villa. We need to stay as a community.

Martin Blvd elementary has the smallest area. Why not leave Wilson Point residents where they are to make the area roughly the same as the others

keep the lines they way they are

It would break up our neighborhood and bus students that currently walk to school.

Very good idea.



Glenmar students living in White Marsh commons get to continue to attend Glenmar Elem. however, the community that Glenmar is surrounded by gets divided up (Miramar Landing). It makes no sense to divide Miramar Landing by relocating the single family home residents to Victory Villa and allowing another development to stay at Glenmar. Currently both of these communities attend Glenmar. However, if 1 section must go to Victory Villa it should be White Marsh Commons (Planning Block 78).

Thus loosing planning block 79 would be ok because it is not part of Miramar Landing. It does not surround the school.

Loosing planning block 78 would be ok because it is not part of Miramar Landing. It does not surround the school.

HOWEVER, LOOSING PLANNING BLOCK 67 IS PART OF MIRAMAR LANDING. IT DOES SURROND THE SCHOOL. IT WOULD BE DIVIDING A COMMUNITY UNNECESSARILY!

LET'S KEEP GLENMAR ES A COMMUNITY SCHOOL BY KEEPING ALL STUDENTS IN MIRAMAR LANDING AND NOT DIVIDING UP THE BOUNDRIES IN THE COMMUNITY.

it removes the kids currently going to the school they have come to know and the kids that they have come to know and grow with.

#### IT SPLITS OUR FAMILY UP

i do not feel that splitting the kids from their neighborhood home school is going to help any situation.

living in aero acres which puts me in orems boundary, it makes no sense to have my son go any where else than orems, its only a few blocks away his daycare is also at the end of my street, we have a schedule in place with work and daycare which options and and b would severely disrupt and complicate our schedule

My biggest concern is how is my child going to get to school every day from Glider Dr to Middlesex... Bus routes changing? Will my son spend even more time on a bus because of this boundary option?

too stretched out for orems enrollment rt 40 is a dangerous rd to have to cross daily

My thought are that there should not be cutting into th Orems students neighborhood at all. These children are at a 7\*school and want to make them go to a lesser level. It's horrible and it should not be allowed to dissect our children's education. You should not especially be able to split our neighborhood into sections and tell children to go somewhere else. It's not fair to our children. They are our future!

More students are travelling farther distance to get to school. the routes that these buses will be taking are dangerous. Kids have to get up and leave earlier in the morning and return home later in the day.

some of the 4 remaining options under utilize while other schools would be more overcrowded.

The option keeps our neighborhood together and allows our children to continue attending Vincent Farm Elementary.

I believe that bringing kids into Victory Villa from across Route 40 is ridiculous. Our kids make friends at school but some will be unable to strengthen the friendship outside of school because kids are being brought in from miles away. As young as they are in elementary school, parents want them to have friends local. Driving kids to and from their friends homes shouldn't come into play until middle school. Elementary school is for local children.

I specifically moved to Wilson Point mostly because of the zoned schools! If I wanted my children to go to Hawthorne schools I would have moved there!

I did not move to Wilson point so my children can go to Hawthorne. I moved here because of the school they are attending now!!!



I think the residents and children of Wilson Point will suffer from this option.. Many bought our houses duev to the school district we now how

Keeps my student in his current school where he is thriving

The children that grew up together will now be separated. Hawthorn is a lower district and the housing amount will decrease severely in Wilson point

I live in the Wilson Point neighborhood and my kids have went to Martin Boulevard since 2012. It has been a great school for us. My daughter is in 3rd grade and to take her out of the school she's always known and the friends that she has had since Pre-K just isn't right. There are only a few of us residents here in Wilson Point that attend Martin Boulevard. There is only one bus and the majority of that bus is for our neighborhood. The rest of the school is pretty transient, but our neighborhood makes that school a stable ground for everyone. We have been told by the teachers that we are the school's "bread and butter." My husband and I feel like we are being forced to move out of the neighborhood we planned to forever stay in due to this change. We will not have our kids going to Hawthorne Elementary. And not only will this force us to move, but it will affect our housing sales because Hawthorne has a lower school rating than Martin Boulevard and a lot of people buy their houses according to the school district. Therefore, we would not only be forced to move, but we are taking a chance of not selling our house for what we would expect to get in return, all because of the re-districting. I think it is a terrible idea.

It alleviates some overcrowding but logistically does not make sense to split up a neighborhood and make students go to a school that is further away and take them out of their community.

Not a good choice for us

splits orems neighborhood in half

Give us a map that keeps orems community in tact

Splits orems community in two

None at this time.

My kid will have to travel far to school. It's dangerous.

Students travelling too far on buses. More kids on buses. More money.

You should move some of the children from the overcrowded schools to the ones that are not full no

Takes too many of current Orems children and forces them to travel by bus on busy main roads to new school as the area that the new school is in and the orems community is divided by a rail road track. this causes a longer commute for the children and the main road (Stemmers Run Rd) that the bus will need to travel currently has a high school and middle school on it and is already congested in the am due to these schools which increase risk of accidents involving buses.

Divides neighborhood

It divides a neighborhood in half

I think there are better options.

Unfortunately, the diversity issue persists as well as FARMS, but overcrowding at many schools is helped immensely.

Keep Orems a community

Keep Orems a Community school

This option would keep my child in the same schools as other children that he has grown up with in our neighborhood.

It's stupid choice making.

I want my child to remain at Vincent Farm

we need to keep the neighborhood kids going to the school in their district.

The historic neighborhood of aero acres and Goldentree should not be split



This option leaves Orems with 89 of its current students. That is about 30% of its current enrollment. How could any school system even consider this option. I think this goes way beyond destroying a neighborhood.

Orems should remain a community school. Housing prices will decrease, students will not have friends in their neighborhood, test scores will decrease and there may be discipline problems which will not allow all students to learn.

This divides the Orems community and does little to relieve capacity concerns.

This option removes several existing children who have attended Orems for years. Breaking up the community would have devastating effects on our community.

I am in favor of this option as it maintains our currently neighborhood and Vincent Farm as our elementary school, where my son is currently in third grade and my daughter will be in kindergarten this fall.

its bad for the students and the community

Awful and bad for students

Shady spring students need to be dispersed to other schools they are 200 students over capacity, it needs to be fixed or another school made

It would be awful for the students

Not thought out at all financially. Cost more in tax payer dollars.

Ridiculous! Why would BCPS pay more in transportation fees to bus out neighborhood kids to bring in more farther away?

My thoughts on option a are it is disruptive to the current neighborhood I live in and my wife and I would not be able to attend school events as often as we would like with this option. I don't see the point of changing something that is not broke. Things should go back to the way they were when the old victory villa was around

My thoughts on option A is complete crap. We are a Community who want best for our children an pulling children from Orems there home school, isn't right. Orems is Like there second home.

Removing students from their neighborhood schools will reduce community support of schools, as the parents don't live in the school community. Also, spending money to bus students away from their home school when you can't afford to air condition existing schools or give teachers a raise is ridiculous.

Awful

Transportation would be farther to Middlesex than Orems. Financially, this is not responsible. You are also splitting a neighborhood in half. Unacceptable.

Awful for students

Bad for students

Disruption to students

Awful for students

Awful for students

Awful for students

It divides a great community and uproots my child's surroundings and learning habits and she will not be able to continue attending amped up before and after care! No thought was given to the children that these options negatively affect!

Divides the community and disupts students' consistency and security

Awful



We purchased our house with the intention that Vincent Farm would be our home school. We would not have purchased in the area had we not been zoned for Vincent Farm. We have been there for 2 years and it is an amazing school.

Orems Elementary was built for the Golden Tree, Victory Villa and Aero Acres neighborhoods. It does not make sense to take kids that live that close to a school and bus them further away. If kids from Shady Spring are going to be bused 3.3 miles to Orems, why can't they be bused to Middlesex Elementary and keep Orems and the neighborhood together?

I do not like having to cross a major HighwAy

I am opposed to it.

This is extremely disruptive and all of the reasons mentioned prior to this question are valid. This option does NOT assist is the current over crowding situation. It moves students from what was the primary school and replaces them, not only hurting some schools capacity but not helping others.

Currently there are no options provided that do not divide the Orems students.

Breaks up the current Glenmar walking students and divides a neighborhood and moves them to VVES. The neighborhood surrounding Glenmar was built with the sole purpose of feeding into Glenmar alone.

My family lives off of King Avenue and significantly closer to Victory Villa than to Orems.

Currently a Vincent Farm household right on Philadelphia RD north on Middle River Rd. Were in a group of about three homes that would shift Victory Villa. This would be devastating to myself and neighbors

This seems to meet the goals of the committee.

leave orems alone

It divides the neighborhood and my children would be moved to a new school. We specifically bought our home in Aero Acres in 2013 because of the low minority percentage and high school rating at Orems. We love the school and staff and I would like my children to continue at the school the way it is. In 2018-2019 I will have a 5th grader and one starting kindergarten. I also would hate to see the affects that adding so many minority students from surrounding neighborhoods will have on the current students at Orems.

# Leave Orems the way it is!!!!!

It tears a neighborhood in two. Tax paying homeowners that bought their homes in the Orems area so their children would go to a school with children of families that hold similar values will be hurt.

Don't care for the division of our neighborhood

I want option a because my child goes to Vincent farm elementary and I did not buy my house to send my children to Hawthorne elementary!

This option divides the community and over populates the school

Victory Villa extends far across Rt 40. It doesn't seem like part of the neighborhood.

Students who are doing well at Orems are going to be abruptly bused to a school totally outside their community. Why?

Orems will be more overcrowded than they already are but the new kids from Shady Spring may be in my neighborhood during the day and after school. Some of these kids have been arrested!!!

Do not want additional traffic in my neighborhood due to more buses bringing kids from other neighborhoods.

Orems ES is being split. Why take children from their neighborhood school (less than 2 miles away) and bus them to another school while bussing other children in from over 3 miles away?



Strongly oppose to split up students at such a young age we want them to feel safe an good in there school with there family an friends

Lower performing school is not acceptable for my children

Why bring in students from the other side of Pulaski Hwy for a longer bus ride were there is no need to move any students from there existing neighborhood.

I strongly oppose breaking up an entire community to help put a band aid on the overcrowding problem the school system is having in the Northeast. Seems as though your major and most overcrowding is in the Rosedale area. Orems Elementary is in a community that is fully developed and wont see a major overcrowding come its way. I bought my house for my Grandchildren who I have custody of to go to. I didn't buy a house in Middlesex because I didn't want them going to that school. I live 1.0 mile from Orems Elementary. I live 1.8 miles from Middlesex and completely on the other side of the train tracks. The kids you would be moving my kids out of Orems for from Shady Spring live up to 4 miles from Orems!!!! Now just tell me how that is fair??? Seriously now how would you feel if you bought a house based on the school in your community knowing you aren't able to up and move anytime soon and all of a sudden someone comes in and says your children can no longer go to that school, matter of fact they are going to go to a downgraded school in a neighborhood that just isn't as nice. And they are going to give the spot your child had to kids that are coming from a downgraded school in a not so great neighborhood?? I worked very very hard to get where I am today to be able to do the best I can for my kids and your going to up and take that away and give it to someone that don't care as much as I do nor has earned the right to be where you are sending them. I'm sorry if this doesn't sound so nice or isn't politically correct but my children earned the right to be at Orems not kids from 4 miles away..

Orems was build to serve the community as it is right now. It is very disruptive to the community to divide it. This will also affect property values in certain communities by changing the schools.

I do not agree with splitting the area in balf

This divides our neighborhood.

Causes over crowding and dividing of the community

Horrible. Removes too many Orems children. Hurts our school. No improvements.

I feel as though the boundaries should stay the same. This change will impact not only the children; but the parents, teachers, and staff.

Keeps new homes value up with staying in Vincent Farm district!

test



# Exhibit #2 - Option #B

# What are your thoughts regarding Option B?

Not only does this option split the community AWFUL AWFUL AWFUL

This option also removes my daughter and takes her three times the distance to another school! It also increases the schools population!

Against it.

diversifies Middlesex

least impact on walkers overall

reduces free and reduced lunch % for Glenmar

Too much student movement

Safety needs to be the #1 concern for these children. Both Orems and Shady Spring kids will need to be bussed further across very dangerous roads and intersections.

Orems ES was built for the community of Aero Acres. Children that live less than a mile away and walk to school will now have to be bused significantly further to Middlesex during high traffic times on dangerous routes. Not to mention the kids from Shady Springs being bused over 3.5 miles further crossing Pulaski Hgwy. SAFETY needs to be a priority!!!

leave things the way they are.

I like to remain the same boundary if possible so that my girls can go to school together.

its lowermost the same as option A needs reviewing

That as long as housing developments keep on being built that there will never be an amicable solution.

Same as before

Keep Orems a Community School

hate it too

Seems equitable for most schools.

Glenmar students living in White Marsh commons get to continue to attend Glenmar Elem. however, the community that Glenmar is surrounded by gets divided up (Miramar Landing). It makes no sense to divide Miramar Landing by relocating the single family home residents to Victory Villa and allowing another development to stay at Glenmar. Currently both of these communities attend Glenmar. However, if 1 section must go to Victory Villa it should be White Marsh Commons (Planning Block 78).

Thus loosing planning block 79 would be ok because it is not part of Miramar Landing. It does not surround the school.

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LET'S KEEP GLENMAR ES A COMMUNITY SCHOOL BY KEEPING ALL STUDENTS IN MIRAMAR LANDING AND NOT DIVIDING UP THE BOUNDRIES IN THE COMMUNITY.

removes kids from the community and a school they have come to know and the kids they have come to know and grow with.

#### DONT WANT OUR COMMUNITY DIVIDED

do not care for taking our kids from thier home based schools and dividing them up into other communites

Same response as to Option A

same as option a divides the orems children across disparate neighborhoods



More students are travelling farther distance to get to school. the routes that these buses will be taking are dangerous. Kids have to get up and leave earlier in the morning and return home later in the day.

some of the 4 remaining options under utilize while other schools would be more overcrowded.

The option keeps our neighborhood together and allows our children to continue attending Vincent Farm Elementary.

Of all the options, I probably can deal with this option the best. However, I still find bringing kids from across Route 40 to be a less than ideal situation.

specifically moved to Wilson Point mostly because of the zoned schools!. If I wanted my children to go to Hawthorne schools I would have moved there!

I did not move to Wilson point so my children can go to Hawthorne. I moved here because of the school they are attending now!!!

Again you are taking the children if Wilson Point into another invoriment

Wilson point students attending Hawthorne elem. instead of Martin Blvd elem. Wilson point residence have gone to Martin Blvd elem for over 55 years. That shouldn't change. Send the new residential areas to Hawthorne

Keeps my student in his current school where he is thriving.

Same as option a

I live in the Wilson Point neighborhood and my kids have went to Martin Boulevard since 2012. It has been a great school for us. My daughter is in 3rd grade and to take her out of the school she's always known and the friends that she has had since Pre-K just isn't right. There are only a few of us residents here in Wilson Point that attend Martin Boulevard. There is only one bus and the majority of that bus is for our neighborhood. The rest of the school is pretty transient, but our neighborhood makes that school a stable ground for everyone. We have been told by the teachers that we are the school's "bread and butter." My husband and I feel like we are being forced to move out of the neighborhood we planned to forever stay in due to this change. We will not have our kids going to Hawthorne Elementary. And not only will this force us to move, but it will affect our housing sales because Hawthorne has a lower school rating than Martin Boulevard and a lot of people buy their houses according to the school district. Therefore, we would not only be forced to move, but we are taking a chance of not selling our house for what we would expect to get in return, all because of the re-districting. I think it is a terrible idea.

Only adds 3 students to our school, if this is truly the case, why move our students to another school out of their community. It doesn't make sense to have them walk further or have to ride a bus to a school that is further away.

No a good choice for us

splits orems neighborhood in half

Give us a map that keeps orems community in tact

Splits orems community in two

I like this option a lot. I think the Orems community is being very petty and selfish. They are only thinking of their own school and do not realize that every school's population will be changing. I believe Option B should be strongly considered.

My kid will have to travel far to school. It's dangerous.

Students travelling too far on buses. More kids on buses. More money.

Disrupts all schools instead of just the overcrowded ones

Takes too many of current Orems children and forces them to travel by bus on busy main roads to new school as the area that the new school is in and the orems community is divided by a rail road track. this causes a longer commute for the children and the main road (Stemmers Run Rd) that the bus will need to travel currently has a high school and middle school on it and is already congested in the am due to these schools which increase risk of accidents involving buses.

Divides aero acres from going to the school that was built for them!



Divides a neighborhood in half

Option C is better

It actually increases the stratification of FARMS students at some schools (victory Villa). On the map, Glenmar's lines are completely surrounded by Victory Villa. That means kids will be bussed past another school to get to theirs. What is the ECONOMIC sense in that one???

Keep Orems a community

Keep Orems a community school

Splitting up the children to go to different places is pointless we live in our neighborhoods for a reason!

I want my child to remain at Vincent Farm

again spliting aero acres and goldentree

For Orems this option is the same as A. Orems keeps 89 students or 30% and looses 70%. No reason to move students out of a school and move other students back into the same school. Almost all of the Orems students live within a mile radius of the school.

Orems should remain a community school. Housing prices will decrease, students will not have friends in their neighborhood, test scores will decrease and there may be discipline problems which will not allow all students to learn.

This divides the Orems community and does little to address school capacity concerns

Breaks up our community causing our children to go to another school which has horrible†ratings would be hurtful to our community.

I am in favor of this Option as it maintains Vincent Farm as our Elementary school where my son is currently in third grade and my daughter will be in kindergarten in the fall.

Bad for students and neighborhoods

Awful and bad for students

Awful for students

Not thought out at all financially. Cost more in tax payer dollars.

Ridiculous! Why would BCPS pay more in transportation fees to bus out neighborhood kids to bring in more farther away?

My thoughts on option a are it is disruptive to the current neighborhood I live in and my wife and I would not be able to attend school events as often as we would like with this option. I don't see the point of changing something that is not broke. If it's not broke don't try to fix it. Things should go back to the way they were when the old victory villa was around Once the new building is built . Orems is a school that reminds me of Mayberry everyone knows you by your name and we are a community within a community

My thoughts on option B is crap as well, we are in the school District, an cutting it off at compass is senseless. We can walk to school from where I live, my daughter has asthma an sometimes has to leave school I can walk to go pick her up because I don't drive, an now you's are going to make stuff so much harder. I feel there isn't a lot of thought being put into this process.

Sending students away from their home school will reduce community support of the school, since many parents don't live in the same neighborhood as the school. Businesses are less likely to support schools if the parents don't live in the area. Spending money to bus students away from their home school when many schools aren't air conditioned and teachers aren't receiving raises is ridiculous.

Awful

Divides communities

Transportation would be farther to Middlesex than Orems. Financially, this is not responsible. You are also splitting a neighborhood in half. Unacceptable.

Awful for students

Bad for students



Bad for students

Awful for students

Awful for students

Strongly disagree

It divides a great community and uproots my child's surroundings and learning habits and she will not be able to continue attending amped up before and after care! No thought was given to the children that these options negatively affect!

It is not beneficial for students

Inserting children with issues is not the option!

Awful

We purchased our house with the intention that Vincent Farm would be our home school. We would not have purchased in the area had we not been zoned for Vincent Farm. We have been there for 2 years and it is an amazing school.

My thoughts are the same for Option B as with Option A. You are taking surrounding neighborhoods and dividing them without care. If kids from Shady Spring are going to be bused to Orems, why can't they be bused to Middlesex rather than moving kids from Orems? Residents move into the Golden Tree, Victory Villa and Aero Acres neighborhoods so their kids can go to a school that is rated 7 out of 10. Moving the boundary lines for Orems will do nothing but hurt the kids and the real estate market surrounding Orems.

In all honesty, this option is (for me) the same as option A. At the most, it increases diversity but that is possible without splitting the neighborhood and increasing the capacity by this much in schools that are not currently as overcrowded.

In my opinion, this is the BEST option for not only Glenmar but ALL of the schools involved.

Once again, I am in the small group of homes off of Philadelphia RD North of Middle River RD, this would change our school Victory Villa from Vincent Farm. My son along with our neighbors would be devastated, they flourish at Vincent Farm

This seems to meet the committee's goals.

leave orems alone

My concerns are the exact same as Option A. The only difference between these are what middle schools they feed. Currently, my children would go to Stemmers Run Middle. With the new option, they would attend Golden Ring - this is something that would 100% without a doubt result in us moving from the area completely.

Leave Orems the same!!!

I think it's crazy to move neighborhood kids (AeroAcres) out of their school to bus in children from ShadySpring. BUT if that is a necessary evil. Option B keeps all of the AeroAcres Kids together at Middlesex instead of splitting them at LeftWing

It will divide our neighborhood

My children go to Vincent farm elementary and I would not want to send them to another school!

It seems odd to put an island of Glenmar in VIctory Villa territory, but this option seems to address most overcrowding issues without leaving one school dramatically over-populated.

Again, students are bused out of their immediate community!!

Orems will be more overcrowded than they already are but the new kids from Shady Spring may be in my neighborhood during the day and after school. Some of these kids have been arrested!!!

Do not want additional traffic in my neighborhood due to more buses bringing kids from other neighborhoods

Orems ES is being split. Why take children from their neighborhood school (less than 2 miles away) and bus them to another school while bussing other children in from over 3 miles away?

Same as a

The school my children will be redirected to is a lower performing and lower rated school than the one they attend



now.

Once again your dividing a community that has very very strong ties. Matter of fact your removing children from a school that was specifically built for them living in this community. I can name and show you at least 10 people on my street who went to the Orems Elementary in the 60s, had their children go to Orems in the 80s, then their children went there in the 2000s and their children will be going to that school in the near future. This has tremendous historical content within this community, and continously helps this community to thrive.

Divides current communities.

Same as a

Our children deserve to attend their neighborhood school.

Cuts the neighborhood in half and sends kids to a school farther from their home.

Same as option A. Very poor for my daughter directly. We bought our home for Orems Elementary and now she is being forced out to provide diversity in our school. Why is my daughter less important.

I feel as though the boundaries should stay the same. This change will impact not only the children, but the parents, teachers, and staff.

Keeps new homes value up with staying in Vincent Farm district!

test

Test

## Exhibit #3 - Option #C

# What are your thoughts regarding Option C?

Not only does this option split the community it overcrowds the school worse than current by almost 100 students. AWFUL AWFUL AWFUL

THIS OPTION CREATES A POPULATION ISSUE! This takes our current population of 356 to 398 how is this ok when this study is in part to address overcrowding?!

Against it.

show the least impact on the number of students affected overall

diversifies Middlesex

reduces free and reduced lunch % for Glenmar

Most neighborhoods are maintained

web did not buy housing in this county to have kids bussed across major highways.

Safety needs to be the #1 concern for these children. Both Orems and Shady Spring kids will need to be bussed further across very dangerous roads and intersections.

Orems ES was built for the community of Aero Acres. Children that live less than a mile away and walk to school will now have to be bused significantly further to Middlesex during high traffic times on dangerous routes. Not to mention the kids from Shady Springs being bused over 3.5 miles further crossing Pulaski Hgwy. SAFETY needs to be a priority!!!

things should remain the way they are

I like to remain the same boundary if possible so that my girls can go to school together.

so far its one of the best best although it don't stop the over crowded but looks ok

All of the decisions have been made, this survey is only to make the less educated members of this community feel like they have contributed when all this is a pacifier

Same as before

Keep Orems a Community School

the area to the east of MBES area is vary sparsely populated and does nothing to address the overcrowding issue

I moved into my neighborhood so my children could go to a certain school now my child will be bussed out of the neighborhood.

How much Tax payer money is being wasted on this

Seems equitable for most neighborhoods.

Glenmar students living in White Marsh commons get to continue to attend Glenmar Elem. however, the community that Glenmar is surrounded by gets divided up (Miramar Landing). It makes no sense to divide Miramar Landing by relocating the single family home residents to Victory Villa and allowing another development to stay at Glenmar. Currently both of these communities attend Glenmar. However, if 1 section must go to Victory Villa it should be White Marsh Commons (Planning Block 78).

Thus loosing planning block 79 would be ok because it is not part of Miramar Landing. It does not surround the school.

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HOWEVER, LOOSING PLANNING BLOCK 67 IS PART OF MIRAMAR LANDING. IT DOES SURROND THE SCHOOL. IT WOULD BE DIVIDING A COMMUNITY UNNECESSARILY!

LET'S KEEP GLENMAR ES A COMMUNITY SCHOOL BY KEEPING ALL STUDENTS IN MIRAMAR LANDING AND NOT DIVIDING UP THE BOUNDRIES IN THE COMMUNITY.

keeps more of the community going to the school they have come to know and grow with and kids they have also come to know and grow/learn with.



KEEP OUR CUMMUNITY TOGETHER WE ARE AND 80 OLD NEIGHBOR HOOD

our kids are still in familiar territory

living on glider dr it makes more sense having my son go to orems his daycare is at the end of our street and with our work schedule it would be easier to address and problems with health issues if he had problems with him at school

My son will spend less time on the bus/shuttles and be right around the corner from our house and his grandparents house where someone is ALWAYS available in case of emergencies. My sons daycare is also on the corner of Glider and Cord. As a single WORKING mother, I already spend less time with my child to focus on homework/after school activities, If he is at Orems it will be so much easier on him throughout the school year.

divides the children attending orems across rt 40

More students are travelling farther distance to get to school. the routes that these buses will be taking are dangerous. Kids have to get up and leave earlier in the morning and return home later in the day.

some of the 4 remaining options under utilize while other schools would be more overcrowded.

The option keeps our neighborhood together and our children will continue to attend Vincent Farm Elementary.

Another option with a ton of kids being bused into our local school. I Don't like it.

specifically moved to Wilson Point mostly because of the zoned schools!. If I wanted my children to go to Hawthorne schools I would have moved there!

I did not move to Wilson point so my children can go to Hawthorne. I moved here because of the school they are attending now!!!

Again, Wilson point residents should stay at their scheduled home school- Martin blvd

Maintains my students current school placement and has the least impact on Orems elementary

Same as a and b

I live in the Wilson Point neighborhood and my kids have went to Martin Boulevard since 2012. It has been a great school for us. My daughter is in 3rd grade and to take her out of the school she's always known and the friends that she has had since Pre-K just isn't right. There are only a few of us residents here in Wilson Point that attend Martin Boulevard. There is only one bus and the majority of that bus is for our neighborhood. The rest of the school is pretty transient, but our neighborhood makes that school a stable ground for everyone. We have been told by the teachers that we are the school's "bread and butter." My husband and I feel like we are being forced to move out of the neighborhood we planned to forever stay in due to this change. We will not have our kids going to Hawthorne Elementary. And not only will this force us to move, but it will affect our housing sales because Hawthorne has a lower school rating than Martin Boulevard and a lot of people buy their houses according to the school district. Therefore, we would not only be forced to move, but we are taking a chance of not selling our house for what we would expect to get in return, all because of the re-districting. I think it is a terrible idea.

School enrollment goes from 313 to 398. That increases capacity but will Orems receive more staff or support staff to help out? Again, why take the children away from our school and out of their community.

Not a good choice for us

This adversely OVERCROWDS OREMS while fixing other schools

splits orems neighborhood in half

Give us a map that keeps orems community in tact

Splits orems community in two

None at this time.

My kid will have to travel far to school. It's dangerous.

Students travelling too far on buses. More kids on buses. More money.



While this option allows more of Orems students to remain at their current homeschool it increases the overcrowding of this school. None of the current options really address overcrowding of the schools there are a few schools (Glenmar, Hawthorne, Middlesex and victory villa in which most of these options have them under their capacity while having Martin blvd, Orems, Shady Springs and Vincent farms are overcrowded.

Overcrowds by more than 85 kids.

Divides a neighborhood in half and forces the children to bus across a railroad track to get to school . It also forces children to bus across route 40 which is a terribly busy, high speed intersection . I do not feel that our children's safety was taken into consideration. I reside in my neighborhood because I want my child to attend her neighborhood school .

It seems to preserve the status quo. Looking at the projections for VFES, though, there is no plan for long term growth. The school is bursting at the seams and you expect an additional 200 kids??? Again, why are kids bussed past Glenmar to get to Victory Villa if not for some nefarious reason?

Keep Orems a community

Keep Orems a community school

These maps are showing nothing, other than making our school districts messed up. & ruining our community!

I want my child to remain at Vincent Farm

splits aero acres and goldentree communities

This option for Orems completely divides a neighborhood between planning blocks 25 and 26 and 27. There are no dividing lines in the community. Each neighborhood flows into the next.

Orems should remain a community school. Housing prices will decrease, students will not have friends in their neighborhood, test scores will decrease and there may be discipline problems which will not allow all students to learn.

Like the others, this divides the Orems community and does little to address capacity concerns

More of the Orems family can stay together and build a stronger community better for our children.

I am in favor of this option as it maintains Vincent Farm as our elementary school where my son is currently in third grade and my daughter will be in kindergarten in the fall.

bad for students and communities

Awful and bad for students

Awful students

Not thought out at all financially. Cost more in tax payer dollars.

Ridiculous! Why would BCPS pay more in transportation fees to bus out neighborhood kids to bring in more farther away?

It benefits Orems elementary School students but it takes away from Martin Boulevard students I believe that the students that live in the same community as the school should go to that school and not be separated especially since they could easily walk to school and gor parents that do not drive it's easier for them to get to their children in case of an emergency

Option C, is ok. Keeps a few more children in Orems but not the other half.

Sending students away from their home school will reduce community support of the school, since many parents don't live in the same neighborhood as the school. Businesses are less likely to support schools if the parents don't live in the area. Spending money to bus students away from their home school when many schools aren't air conditioned and teachers aren't receiving raises is ridiculous.

Terrible

Transportation would be farther to Middlesex than Orems. Financially, this is not responsible. You are also splitting a neighborhood in half. Unacceptable.



Awful for students

Bad for students

Bad for students

Awful for students

Awful for students

Awful for students

It divides a great community and uproots my child's surroundings and learning habits and she will not be able to continue attending amped up before and after care! No thought was given to the children that these options negatively affect!

Not beneficial for students

Awful

We purchased our house with the intention that Vincent Farm would be our home school. We would not have purchased in the area had we not been zoned for Vincent Farm. We have been there for 2 years and it is an amazing school.

The cut off for this is literally my backyard! My oldest is currently enrolled in Orems so my oldest and youngest will go to different schools. How is that fair? Leave Golden Tree, Victory Villa and Aero Acres alone, keep the surrounding neighborhoods around Orems together. The people and kids in these neighborhoods are what makes Orems a great school and is the reason that Orems is a 7 out of 10. There is no reason why the kids from Shady Spring cannot move over to Middlesex.

#### leave our school alone

This option and option D are even worse for capacity BUT it is slightly less disruptive than option A & B. More options should be considered. We need to expand currently school and build new - especially to help the Vincent Farm capacity issue.

Once again, while this group extends to Ravenwood, it removes us from Vincent Farm and pulls us into the new Victory Villa.

This seems to meet the committee's goals.

leave orems alone

I selected "divides existing neighborhoods" because that is the closest reason listed. With this option, my children would get to stay at Orems but they would lose some friends who would go to Middlesex. Really why I myself and other parents at Orems are opposed is because of the number of new "minority" children these options will bring in from surrounding neighborhoods. Many people in Goldren Tree and Aero Acres purchased their homes specifically because Orems is the best elementary school in the area and because of the low minority percentage. There is absolutely nothing wrong with parents wanting their children to attend a good school with good students and a low percentage of minority students. It's time to stop being politically correct and start thinking the way real people think!

Leave orems alone!!!!

Still divide our neighborhood

My children go to Vincent farm elementary and I would want to send them to another school!

Do not do it!!!

Orems will be more overcrowded than they already are but the new kids from Shady Spring may be in my neighborhood during the day and after school. Some of these kids have been arrested!!!

Do not want additional traffic in my neighborhood due to more buses bringing kids from other neighborhoods

Orems ES is being split. Why take children from their neighborhood school (less than 2 miles away) and bus them to another school while bussing other children in from over 3 miles away?

Same as A an B

The school my children will be redirected to is a lower performing and lower rated school than the one they attend



now.

My Grand daughter has Down Syndrome. Shes now been in Orems Elementary for 2 years and is a kid that needs structure and the same things to repeat on a daily basis. The same kids she goes to dance and gymnastics with are the same kids she goes to school with. The kids help her, they talk to her, and she continues to thrive because she is included within this very small intimate setting that is Orems Elementary. Her sister went through this elementary school. The staff knew my youngest grandchild before she even entered the school because of the close knit community and the amount of after school activities the school puts on. The amount of activities are in direct coralation with the amount of parents that are involved in the school and make these activities happen. I am hoping what relationships I have spent building in the past decade continue to grow and prosper as my second Grand daughter is about to undertake going into 1st grade in a school that I know everyone and everyone knows my children. We as a community have built something within this school that you dont see so much anymore and that is routine, structure, morals, values and a sense of pride. To split this neighborhood would undoubtedly destroy this community and take away life as we know it.

Divides current communities.

Same as a and b

Keep our small community together!

Overcrowds Orems and splits up the neighborhood

Divides community! Causing worsening of overcrowding!

I feel as though the boundaries should stay the same. This change will impact not only the children, but the parents, teachers, and staff.

Keeps new homes value up with staying in Vincent Farm district!

test



# Exhibit #4 - Option #D

# What are your thoughts regarding Option D?

Not only does this option split the community it overcrowds the school worse than current by almost 100 students. AWFUL AWFUL

This option is identical for Orems as option C they overpopulate the school!!!!!!!!!!!! They DO NOT follow the rules of the study they do not keep up with continuity of the neighborhood! This is not right!!!!!!!!!!!

Against it.

This plan doesn't really have a positive impact in that it does not really change diversity percentages in any school. Orems and Shady Springs will still be over capacity. Doesn't really lower free and reduced lunch for any school.

Our school enrollment should not be cut in half

Safety needs to be the #1 concern for these children. Both Orems and Shady Spring kids will need to be bussed further across very dangerous roads and intersections.

Orems ES was built for the community of Aero Acres. Children that live less than a mile away and walk to school will now have to be bused significantly further to Middlesex during high traffic times on dangerous routes. Not to mention the kids from Shady Springs being bused over 3.5 miles further crossing Pulaski Hgwy. SAFETY needs to be a priority!!!

no opinion. leave our children alone

I like to remain the same boundary as before so that my girls can go to school together.

this option is the best option to me think it take care of all schools that are being affected by this, though i think Orems school will be hurt by this we cant please everyone.

We need a new middle school, all of these overcrowded elementary schools are going to overcrowd that Middle River Middle. I've heard that kids are having sex in the bathrooms and that no one does anything about it. Good job BCPS!

Same as before

Keep Orems a Community School

same as other answer before

Seems to be equitable for most of the neighborhoods!

Glenmar students living in White Marsh commons get to continue to attend Glenmar Elem. however, the community that Glenmar is surrounded by gets divided up (Miramar Landing). It makes no sense to divide Miramar Landing by relocating the single family home residents to Victory Villa and allowing another development to stay at Glenmar. Currently both of these communities attend Glenmar. However, if 1 section must go to Victory Villa it should be White Marsh Commons (Planning Block 78).

Thus loosing planning block 79 would be ok because it is not part of Miramar Landing. It does not surround the school.

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LET'S KEEP GLENMAR ES A COMMUNITY SCHOOL BY KEEPING ALL STUDENTS IN MIRAMAR LANDING AND NOT DIVIDING UP THE BOUNDRIES IN THE COMMUNITY.

ALL MIRAMAR LANDING RESIDENTS CAN WALK TO SCHOOL PB 80, 81 AND 83.



Allows the children in the community to continue to go to the school they have currently grown with and learned with as well as allows kids from other schools to move into the school to allow for less overcrowding and diversity.

IT WILL NOT BE SAFE FOR OUR KIDS TO BE ON THE BUSES THAT LONG THE TIME THEY GET HOME THE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO BE KIDS AN PLAY OUTSIDE BUILD A SCHOOL OVER BY SHADY SPINGS TO SOLVE THIS OVER CROWDING

allows our kids to continue to stay in their home based schools and familiar surroundings

I feel as though this is the best outcome if any of these 4 options were considered it keeps an easy schedule intact and keep the neighborhoods intact

This, in my opinion is the best option of the 4. This is an elementary school we're talking about.... Young children. As young as 5 years old... They're already shaken up and nervous about starting school, or some going into their second and third year.... Why in the world would anyone want to uproot them from what they ALREADY know, to make them adapt and adjust to a completely different environment and surrounding.

disrupts an elementary school walking boundaries with rt 40

More students are travelling farther distance to get to school. the routes that these buses will be taking are dangerous. Kids have to get up and leave earlier in the morning and return home later in the day.

some of the 4 remaining options under utilize while other schools would be more overcrowded.

The option moves our children out of their current elementary school to attend a new school in the middle of their elementary school years. VF is rated an 8 our of 10 school while Martin Boulevard is rated a 4 out of 10. Test scores at this school have consistently declined from 2012 -2014 as indicated on greatschools.org website.

specifically moved to Wilson Point mostly because of the zoned schools!. If I wanted my children to go to Hawthorne schools I would have moved there!

I did not move to Wilson point so my children can go to Hawthorne. I moved here because of the school they are attending now!!!

Again, Wilson point residents should maintain the home school currently designated - Martin Blvd. these residents have been going to Martin Blvd for over 55 years! Those new residents should be sent to hawthorne

My student would be removed from a school where he thrives.

Lowers housing sale prices. Children that grew up together will be separated. As I see the numbers. Hawthorne is already overcrowded

I live in the Wilson Point neighborhood and my kids have went to Martin Boulevard since 2012. It has been a great school for us. My daughter is in 3rd grade and to take her out of the school she's always known and the friends that she has had since Pre-K just isn't right. There are only a few of us residents here in Wilson Point that attend Martin Boulevard. There is only one bus and the majority of that bus is for our neighborhood. The rest of the school is pretty transient, but our neighborhood makes that school a stable ground for everyone. We have been told by the teachers that we are the school's "bread and butter." My husband and I feel like we are being forced to move out of the neighborhood we planned to forever stay in due to this change. We will not have our kids going to Hawthorne Elementary. And not only will this force us to move, but it will affect our housing sales because Hawthorne has a lower school rating than Martin Boulevard and a lot of people buy their houses according to the school district. Therefore, we would not only be forced to move, but we are taking a chance of not selling our house for what we would expect to get in return, all because of the re-districting. I think it is a terrible idea.

School enrollment goes from 313 to 398. That increases capacity but will Orems receive more staff or support staff to help out? Again, why take the children away from our school and out of their community.

Not a good choice for us



This adversely OVERCROWDS OREMS while fixing other schools

splits orems neighborhood in half

Give us a map that keeps orems community in tact

Splits orems community in two

I like this option a lot. I think the Orems community is being very petty and selfish. They are only thinking of their own school and do not realize that every school's population will be changing. I believe Option D should be considered.

My kid will have to travel far to school. It's dangerous.

Students travelling too far on buses. More kids on buses. More money.

While this option allows more of Orems students to remain at their current homeschool it increases the overcrowding of this school. None of the current options really address overcrowding of the schools there are a few schools (Glenmar, Hawthorne, Middlesex and victory villa in which most of these options have them under their capacity while having Martin blvd, Orems, Shady Springs and Vincent farms are overcrowded.

### Overcrowds Orems by more than 85 kids!

Divides a neighborhood in half and forces the children to bus across a railroad track to get to school . It also forces children to bus across route 40 which is a terribly busy, high speed intersection . I do not feel that our children's safety was taken into consideration. I reside in my neighborhood because I want my child to attend her neighborhood school .

Under this one, Victory Villa stays under capacity, but Orems gets screwed and overcrowded. Diversity remains untouched.

Keep Orems a community

Keep Orems a community school

I don't want any parts of the Orems community split up!

I want my child to remain at Vincent Farm

divides aero acres and goldentree

When you look at all the schools, each school keeps their main community together except Glenmar and Orems. Glenmar is over crowded and if students are moved they must come from the main school community. Orems is not over crowded and is already losing 90 students because of special permission. Moving 60 more would be 50% of the school total.

Orems should remain a community school. Housing prices will decrease, students will not have friends in their neighborhood, test scores will decrease and there may be discipline problems which will not allow all students to learn.

This is the better option for Orems, but still divides the community,

This does not support our neighborhood, as it changes our elementary school to a much less rated school

It keeps our community kids together.

This option does not maintain our neighborhood and would separate our younger kids starting school in the next year or two from their older siblings and friends who would most likely be given the option to finish at Vincent Farm.

Not good for Students or the Community.

Awful and bad for students

Not thought out at all financially. Cost more in tax payer dollars.

Ridiculous! Why would BCPS pay more in transportation fees to bus out neighborhood kids to bring in more farther away?



Option d not only maintains or increases diversity in schools but it also address the long term enrollment goals it also does not disrupt bus ridership or walkers routines

My thoughts on option D is fair. My question is why do you need to bring children across 40 to Orems an our Orems children have to go to middle sex elem which is a lower ranking school.? That means earlier mornings waiting for the bus an later evenings waiting for drop off.

Sending students away from their home school will reduce community support of the school, since many parents don't live in the same neighborhood as the school. Businesses are less likely to support schools if the parents don't live in the area. Spending money to bus students away from their home school when many schools aren't air conditioned and teachers aren't receiving raises is ridiculous.

#### Bad for kids

Transportation would be farther to Middlesex than Orems. Financially, this is not responsible. You are also splitting a neighborhood in half. Unacceptable.

Awful for students

Bad for students

Bad for students

Awful for students

Awful for students

Awful for the students

It divides a great community and uproots my child's surroundings and learning habits and she will not be able to continue attending amped up before and after care! No thought was given to the children that these options negatively affect!

This is not beneficial for the students.

#### Awful

My thoughts and concerns are the same for Option D as with Option C. The boundary for both options is my backyard. There is no reason why Aero Acres needs to be moved from Orems and moved over to Middlesex.

if yiou have a problem with overcrowding why not build more schools

This option and option D are even worse for capacity BUT it is slightly less disruptive than option A & B. More options should be considered. We need to expand currently school and build new - especially to help the Vincent Farm capacity issue.

This would make for overcrowding at Martin Blvd ES as well as not keep feeder patterns intact for the middle schools.

leave orems alone

My comments echo those from option C. Exact same option but with a different percentage feeding the two different middle schools.

Leave orems the same

Still is not a right right for our neighborhood community. Leave the zoning the way it is!

My children go to Vincent farm elementary and with option d my child will have to change schools to go to Martin Boulevard elementary, which I will not send my children too. I will enroll my children in private school, if this option d is chosen!

Some schools will be dramatically over-crowded with this option.

I am against moving students who are doing well in a school to a new school outside their community.

Do not want additional traffic in my neighborhood due to more buses bringing kids from other neighborhoods

Orems ES is being split. Why take children from their neighborhood school (less than 2 miles away) and bus them to another school while bussing other children in from over 3 miles away?



Children at such a young age should not be separated. From there family an friends at such a young age they need to feel safe an comfortable in the school

The school my children will be redirected to is a lower performing and lower rated school than the one they attend now.

Again dividing a neighborhood that has been in existence since the 60s. What history. Grandparents went to school with each other let alone their great grandchildren that are going today. Your going to split up a neighborhood to send 150 kids over to this Orems Elementary which you know as well as I do is just a band aid. Its not going to solve anything for any length of time. And the sad thing is they continue to let our area be overdeveloped and not enough infrastucture put in to support the amount of people moving in as well as schools for the children to go to. My kids earned the right to go to Orems Elementary because I bought a house in the community upon where it is zoned for my kids to go to Orems. Flat and simple. Had I wanted my kids to go to Middlesex I couldve saved close to \$100,000 on a house and moved in that neighborhood. I wanted them in the school they now attend . You wouldnt want the same to happen to your children. And I know youd be blowing your stack if it did . I have a Grand daughter with Down Syndrom that is slowly but surely making friends and making unbelievable strides due to the staff as well as the parents that take their time to volunteer and make our school what it is today. Please dont split up our community. Please do not make my grand daughter loose all the friendships she has. Please do not send her to a school where she will be unfamiliar and unconnected and not have the foundation which has been there for her since shes been 4 years old.

Divides current communities

All the same

We bought our house here so our kids could attend Orems!

Divides the Orems community in half, crowds the school over capacity

Divides community! Causing worsening of overcrowding! M

I feel as though the boundaries should stay the same. This change will impact not only the children, but the parents, teachers, and staff.

Hate it. Puts newer homes built over \$300k in a school district that has 65% reduced lunches and makes home owners values decrease.

test

