

November 6, 2020

Mayor Kennedy Stewart and City Councillors

City of Vancouver
3rd Floor, City Hall
453 West 12th Avenue
Vancouver, BC V5Y 1V4

Dear Mayor Stewart and City Councillors,

At the public meeting of the Board of Education held on October 26, 2020 the Board passed the following motion:

That the Board support the šxʷwəqʷəθət Crosstown Elementary School PAC's requests for a school zone (30 km/hr) on Expo Boulevard and for an agreement to use the parking lot on the south side of Expo Boulevard between Carrall and Abbott for 15 minute parking for drop off and pick up, and

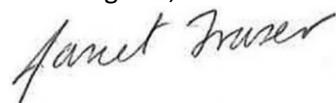
That the City be informed of our support.

The šxʷwəqʷəθət Crosstown community have been advocating extensively for traffic safety measures to be put in place to protect students arriving and departing from school. With a school near such a busy corridor, the request for a school zone to be put in place on Expo Boulevard aligns well with the recommendations that the Council passed after receiving the 2020 Transportation Safety Update in July 2020.

For families who drive, having a designated parking lot during drop off and pick-up will further improve transportation safety for the community. As such, the PAC has determined that the parking lot on the south side of Expo Boulevard between Carrall Street and Abbott Street is the best location.

The Board of Education respectfully asks the City to consider these Board supported requests to enhance the safety of children attending šxʷwəqʷəθət Crosstown Elementary.

With Regards,



Janet Fraser
Board Chair

cc: VBE Trustees
Suzanne Hoffman, Superintendent
J. David Green, Secretary-Treasurer
šxʷwəqʷəθət Crosstown Elementary PAC

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