

Kristy Cook - Planning for Return to School – 9 July 2020

My written statement is to ask if the Board will look at alternative options to allow elementary (k-8) children to attend school 5 days/Week given smaller class sizes and social distancing measure such as utilizing vacant schools/ recreational community Centers or even high schools where those high school kids may be linked in on a virtual only program.

Any Sanitization/cleaning should occur in the evening so that every day can be maximized for kids attending and learning in person. There shouldn't need to be cleaning during day time hours on a week day that is solely to clean so to allow parents to work outside the home.

How nimble is the board in being able to move between phases? If you plan for a scenario (ie worse case) but If that does not happen, how will you change the plan to suit a moderate or best case as the year unfolds? How much notice will occur if a change is to take place?