

TRAFFIC SAFETY

Background

Parents, teachers, students, and school administrators are daily becoming more concerned about the increased volume of vehicular traffic with regard to school-aged children and pedestrians.

The District's jurisdiction over traffic is, however, limited to District property only and it does not receive funding from the Ministry of Education for traffic-related problems.

Procedures

1. Traffic violations are to be reported directly to the applicable law enforcement agency.
2. All requests for, or problems with, signage or markings off school property must be referred directly to the appropriate department of the municipality where the school is located.
3. Traffic safety issues on district property should be addressed by the school administrator in consultation with the school Parent Advisory Council (PAC).
4. Corrective measures to resolve traffic or parking problems on district property are to be requested through the Executive Director of Facilities and Planning Services, or designate, by the school administrator.
5. If any traffic problems remain unresolved traffic issues after the above approaches have been exhausted, the Secretary-Treasurer, or designate, is to be advised so that he can bring the matter forward to the Board/Municipal Liaison Committee for further discussion at the political level.

Reference: Section 65, 85, School Act

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