

May 16, 2018

Dear Municipal Clerks,

In January 2018, the Simcoe County District School Board (SCDSB) and the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board (SMCDSB) initiated an EDC By-law renewal process. Joint public meetings were held on May 1, 2018 to review the current EDC policies, review the proposed successor By-law and to gather public input.

Based on the input received at these meetings and through formal written submissions, the SCDSB and SMCDSB are deferring the consideration of By-law enactment until the fall of 2018. A public meeting for consideration for passage of a new By-law will be held in the fall. Board staff and consultants will take this time to conduct further analysis in response to the input received and provide further opportunity for public input. This additional information will be provided to the Board for consideration in the passage of a new By-law.

The June 5, 2018 meeting will proceed as a public information meeting and be an opportunity for additional public input.

Please share this information with county council and respective staff.

For more information please contact:

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Sincerely,



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c: SCDSB Trustees
SMCDSB Trustees



EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT CHARGES Simcoe County NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

**PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING
TUESDAY JUNE 5, 2018 @ 6:00 PM
Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board, Catholic Education Centre
46 Alliance Boulevard, Barrie**

TAKE NOTICE that on June 5, 2018, the Simcoe County District School Board and the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board will jointly hold a public information meeting. This meeting was originally scheduled for the purpose of affording the Board of Trustees of each School Board an opportunity to consider the enactment of education development charges by-laws. The public meeting where the School Boards will consider enacting education development charges will now be rescheduled to the fall of 2018 with a date to be determined.

The purpose of this meeting will be to further inform the public generally about the education development charge proposals, to consider next steps, and to solicit public input. Any person who attends the meeting may make a representation to the Boards in respect of the Boards' education development charges and renewal process. The Boards will also consider any written submissions.

All interested parties are invited to attend the public meeting. The education development charge background study required under Section 257.61 of the Education Act (including the current proposed EDC by-laws) which details each Board's education development charge proposal is available at both Boards' administrative offices during regular office hours and on the Boards' websites (www.scdsb.on.ca and www.smcdsb.on.ca).

Any comments or requests for further information regarding this matter may be directed to Brian Jeffs for the Simcoe County District School Board or Peter Derochie for the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board

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