



## **Community Education Council District 20**

### **June Special Meeting - School Zones with the Office of District Planning**

**Date:** Monday, June 26, 2023

**Meeting Start Time:** 5:30 PM

#### **I. Presentation from the Office of District Planning -**

- The presentation included information regarding the new schools opening in the 2024 - 2025 School Year, rezoning process overview and timeline, and the rezoning scenarios and impacts for K053, K676, K322. The new schools are K053 (ES), K676 (ES + D75), K322 (MS + D75), and K464 (D75). The rezoning proposal submitted by the ODP will be reviewed and voted by CEC 20. Proposed changes to elementary school rezoning would primarily impact incoming Pre-K, Kindergarten, and new students entering the school system in the 2024-2025 school year. For middle schools, these changes would primarily impact incoming 6th graders or new students to the system. Students currently enrolled in school will not be affected. The ODP uses potential utilization in order to create proposed zoning lines.

#### **II. Questions**

Various questions and comments from the public and council members were addressed. Some include:

- Implementation of ICT programs in the schools.
- Prioritize recess and street safety around these schools.
- The need for more D75 seats and programs even though D20 needs them
- Addressing overcapacity while also focusing on students proximity to schools.
- Will current students have the option to switch to new schools?
- Issues that arise from long commutes to schools (school engagement, social interactions, participation in programs).
- In relation to street safety and proximity parents voiced their desire to have the P.S. 939 zones changed to K053

#### **III. Meeting Adjourned at 7:30 PM**

The full meeting recording is available here: [YouTube](#)

The Complete written Transcript is available here: [Transcript](#)

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