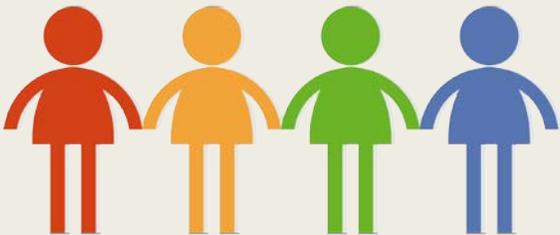


# Ad Hoc Committee for Elementary Enrollment

April 25, 2017



# Review of Last Meeting

- After discussion and consideration, the Committee identified redistricting elementary school students as the current best option to provide a timely and cost-effective solution to address the disparity in building population. This option should allow for uniform delivery of the District's elementary program over the next five years. Redistricting also provides the School Board with flexibility in the event that student enrollment shifts significantly in the future.



# What Principles Informed the Decision to Redistrict?

- The implementation of the Elementary Blueprint for Instruction should be equitable and consistent across all five elementary schools
- The Elementary Blueprint for Instruction should not be modified as a response to the imbalance in student enrollment
- Based on the most recent demographic study, the elementary enrollment for the coming five years can be projected with about +/- 5% certainty and does not appear to correct the current building enrollment disparities
- Redistributing students to schools that have capacity is a cost effective solution and would allow for flexibility in responding to future enrollment experience.



# Which Schools Will Be Involved in Redistricting?

- Target range of students = 450-500 students

Projected Enrollment for 2017-18:

Beaumont = 385

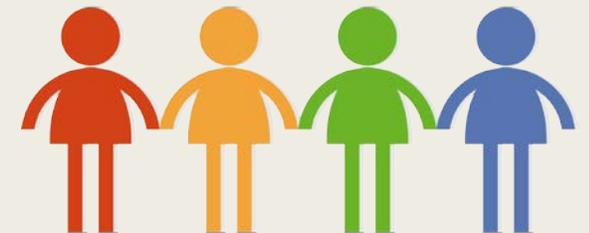
Devon = 600

Hillside = 415

New Eagle = 481

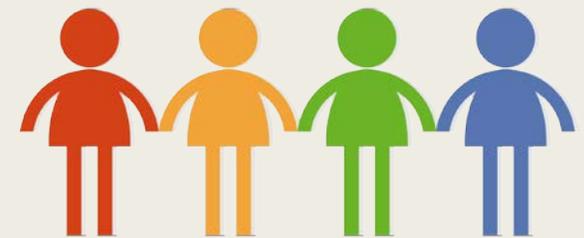
Valley Forge = 500

Beaumont, Devon and Hillside all fall outside of the target range . . . therefore it makes sense at this time to involve these schools in the redistricting plan



# Criteria to be Considered for Balancing Attendance Areas

- Numbers of students – target range for schools 450-500 students
- Transportation routes
- Contiguous neighborhoods
- Proximity to attending schools
- Reasonably shaped districts



# Composition of Redistricting Committee

- Board Members
- Administrative Staff
- Parents
- External Facilitator
- Consultants as needed (Demographer, Transportation Supervisor, etc.)



# Timeline for Redistricting

- May 22, 2017 – Present redistricting option to School Board
- May 2017 – Solicit parent volunteers for redistricting steering committee
- June 2017 – First meeting(s) of redistricting steering committee
- Fall 2017 – Weekly meetings of redistricting steering committee to develop plan along with monthly community update meetings
- December 2017 – Redistricting plan presented to School Board
- January 2018 – School Board votes on redistricting plan
- Spring 2018 – Administration implements transition plan with schools and families
- August 2018 – New attendance boundaries take effect

