



**RE: Environmental stewardship action plan**

Thank you for letter urging the Board of Education to move forward with the Environmental Stewardship Action Plan (the “Plan”). Your letter was shared at a Special Board meeting held on August 31, 2022.

As I am sure you are already aware, the Board discussed this topic at a special meeting held on July 6, 2022 and voted in favour to begin a consultation period and gather the community’s feedback on the Plan.

Like you, those on the Board agree that taking critical steps forward by rethinking our relationship with the land on which we live will equip our youth to become thoughtful stewards of the environment.

Your feedback will be included with the emails we received between the July meeting up until the engagement period closed, on August 31, 2022. We expect to discuss this once again at the September 28, 2022 Regular Board meeting.

Thank you for support and we encourage you to continue having these conversations with your children and friends in the community. Together we will work towards the Board of Education’s goal to be a leader in environment stewardship and sustainability for today and future generations.

Sincerely,

Charlene McKay  
Board Chair