

## Second Proposal: OPTION 2 (3/12/19)

### Redistricting Projections

**Includes The Glen (and Railroad Ave) neighborhood to Hamilton ES**

#### The Need for Boundary Realignment:

1. Forest Park El is projected to be over capacity for 2019-20. We are required to take action.
2. Stony Lane El is above 90% capacity. It is recommended we make space.
3. Hamilton is very low compared to capacity. It is recommended that we increase enrollment.

#### Proposed Realignments:

1. Shermantown Road and Glen Neighborhood from SLES to HES. (projected 78 students in year 3)
2. Upper Davisville Road Neighborhood from FPES and QES to SLES. (projected 17 students)
3. **All neighborhood realignments grandfather grades 3-5 over three-year period.**
4. Provide lottery-based bus stops for Hamilton in high concentration neighborhoods from QES, and FCES.

SCHOOL	*cap at 30 for lottery bus; Grandfather gr. 3,4,5 Projected: Year 3	CAPACITY	PROJECTED CAPACITY %
Fishing Cove	348 (290 at once)	335	87%
Forest Park	252	275	92%
Hamilton	409	450	91%
Quidnessett	276	383	72%
Stony Lane	367	450	82%

SCHOOL	PROJECTED ENROLLMENT *cap at 30 for lottery bus; Grandfather gr. 3,4,5 Projected: Year 1	CAPACITY	PROJECTED CAPACITY %
Fishing Cove	348 (290 at once)	335	87%
Forest Park	259	275	94%
Hamilton	351	450	78%
Quidnessett	276	383	72%
Stony Lane	418	450	93%

Neighborhood	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5
Shermantown	6	6	7
Glen	9	5	12
Upper Davisville	0	3	4
Railroad Ave.	3	2	0

#### Benefits of Proposal:

1. Much needed cap space created at Forest Park
2. Much needed cap space created at Stony Lane
3. Cap space at Hamilton would be more consistent with other district schools

4. More consistent demographic distribution throughout district
5. **Glen and Saunderstown Neighborhoods move together. This larger neighborhood group would all be districted for Hamilton Elementary and Wickford Middle. (All remaining SL districted students would attend DMS.)**
6. **Grandfather for grades 3 through 5 means current students at Stony for 2-4 can choose to remain through grade 5 if parents provide transportation to school.**

**Projection: Percentages of Free/Reduced Lunch Eligible Students (after year 3):**

SCHOOL	PROJECTED ELIGIBLE STUDENTS	F/R CURRENT %	F/R PROJECTED %
Fishing Cove	114	34%	33%
Forest Park	57	25%	23%
Hamilton	57	12%	14%
Quidnessett	163	69%	62%
Stony Lane	39	9%	10%

**Notes:**

1. There are no proposed changes to middle school boundaries.
2. **3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade students affected by this change are allowed to stay in current el:**
  - a. **Parents agree to transport to the school.**
  - b. **Does not apply to siblings of 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade students.**
3. Regular transfer requests rules are still in effect:
  - a. Requests need to be to the Superintendent’s office by early August
  - b. Decision made on basis of grade availability.
  - c. One year only approvals.
  - d. Transfer decision is final for year.
  - e. Parents agree to provide transportation to transfer school.

**Option 2: Complete List of Streets Affected:**

**SLES to HES:** Balsam Ct, Blacks Burt Ct, Brigade Drive, Dale Hill Dr, Delta Dr, Douglas Dr, Explorer Dr, Glen Hill Dr, Hunters Ct, Midnight Ct, Prides Crossing Ln, Shermantown Rd, Slocum Rd, Sylvan Ct, Wentworth Dr, Woodridge Dr, Deer Ridge Dr, Antelope Circle, Prides Crossing Ln, Candy Apple Ln, Pamela Ct, Macintosh Ln, Sugarbush Tr, Sycamore Ln, Fieldstone Ln, Stony Fort Rd, Southwick Cir, Thomas Anthony Rd, **Railroad Ave., Liberty Rd, Hidden lake Dr.**

**FPES to SLES:** Davisville Rd, Olde Mill Ln, Charles St, John St, Hunts River Dr, Woodland Dr, Maplewood Dr, Firwood Dr, Elmwood Dr, Dyer Ave, Old Baptist Rd, Grove St, Center St, Pine St, New Ln, Surrey Ln, Love Ln

**HAMILTON LOTTERY BUS STOPS:** Quidnessett Elementary School, Yorktown Playground, Devils Foot Rd @ McConnell Court, Intrepid and Lenox Ct.

- Lottery occurs in spring and is based on Hamilton availability per grade and district staffing.
- Parents agree to provide transportation to a HES Lottery Bus stop or directly to HES.
- Approval for lottery bus will include siblings.
- Approval for lottery bus guarantees Hamilton enrollment through elementary years (includes siblings).