

February 6, 2014

Mayor Lehman and Council City of Barrie 70 Collier Street, Box 400 Barrie, ON L4M 4T5

Dear Mayor Lehman and Council

The Simcoe County District School Board (SCDSB) is hosting a public meeting on Monday March 3, 2014, for individuals and organizations interested in proposing financially viable partnerships relating to the shared development and use of the new Barrie South Secondary School.

Organizations and individuals attending this meeting on March 3, 2014 will be presented with information about the SCDSB's partnership policy, the definition of 'viable partnerships', general site and program characteristics for SCDSB schools, the Ministry of Education's capital funding model, and decision timelines.

Following this meeting the SCDSB will be inviting submissions of detailed partnership proposals regarding the above noted school. SCDSB staff will then review and determine the viability, suitability and appropriateness of each submission for future consideration by the Board.

The meeting will be held on Monday March 3, 2014, from 7 pm to 8:30 pm in the Roy Edwards room in the Education Centre, Highway 26, Midhurst.

If you have any questions or inquiries, please contact me at <u>psloan@scdsb.on.ca</u> or (705) 734-6363, ext. 11208.

Sincerely

Paul Sloan

Superintendent of Education - Area 2

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