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[CE SBAC] In support of option E

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Tue, May 7, 2024 at 9:49 PM

Good evening,

Thanks to the SBAC for all the hard work already done to bring us to this point. We voted in favor of the referendum in 2022, and as parents of a current first grader and soon to be kindergartner at Pond Cove, and voters who highly value public education and civic responsibility, we would have been in favor of the maximum level of school project possible (ie a vote for a new elementary and middle school). Since this is no longer on the table, the only viable option in our minds is option E. We understand that option E is also the most fiscally responsible option because of the long term return on investment. We fear that if we continue to "kick the can down the road", each subsequent project will be exponentially more costly and more difficult to pass, leaving us in a frustrating cycle of never building what our kids and staff really need, and losing a lot of money along the way. We honestly cannot see any value in the other two options, not just for the above reasons, but because of how highly disruptive to student learning these options would be, only to require more disruption in 15 years. The fact that this is even on the table if there's a dollar a day difference feels incredibly short sighted. We strongly support option E and hope you will put this forward as your recommendation.

Sincerely, Jessie Kerr and Patrick Butsch 15 Lydon Lane

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