

October 4, 2016

Halifax Regional School Board

Re: Construction for a new High School in Eastern Passage

The Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal (DTIR) has awarded a contract to Bird Construction for the construction of a new high school in Eastern Passage. This new 77,600 square foot school will be located on the vacant land on the west side of Oceanview Drive between Oceanview Drive and Seaside Elementary.

Construction activity will begin this week and will continue until April 2018. For reasons of public safety, the first activity will be the provision of a chain link fence around the construction site as shown in the attached sketch. Please note that the fenced area will include the gravel parking area on the west side of Oceanview Drive, which is currently being used as a parents' drop off for students to Oceanview Elementary. To protect the public, this area will no longer be accessible until the end of construction.

In addition, please be advised that on a few occasions, occupants of Oceanview Elementary may possibly experience minor changes in their water service as water service is extended to the new school. DTIR and Bird Construction will make every effort to minimize any noticeable disruption, and to provide advanced notice to the HRSB.

With construction activity, there is always some degree of noise and dust from machinery. Again, DTIR and Bird Construction will make every reasonable effort to minimize this and the impact it will have on HRSB and the surrounding properties.

Sincerely,



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Attachment: Drawing C-101

