

September 2016

To: Honourable Minister of Education, Mike Bernier, and Chair of the Vancouver School Board, Mike Lombardi

Re: We support our local schools!

After years of underfunding, the BC government announced that Tecumseh Annex, McBride Annex, and Gladstone Secondary schools are on a possible school closure list. Tecumseh and McBride Annex schools are excellent, viable and dynamic schools that are an integral part of Vancouver's history.

Their possible closure would be a big blow to their communities.

Gladstone Secondary has over 1,000 students, and no school of that size has ever been closed; this would be a first in the history of BC. From its famous robotics, to academics and sports, Gladstone is an outstanding public school.

I support our local public schools – Tecumseh Annex, McBride Annex, and Gladstone Secondary.

Our schools should not be closed.

I support the Vancouver School Board in its fight to secure sufficient resources for classroom education.

Sincerely,

Name (Please Print)

Address

City, Postal Code

Signature

E-mail if available



Petition Instructions

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