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City of Brantford Attendance Boundary Review: Committee Recommendation

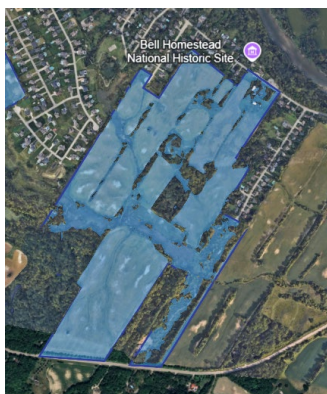
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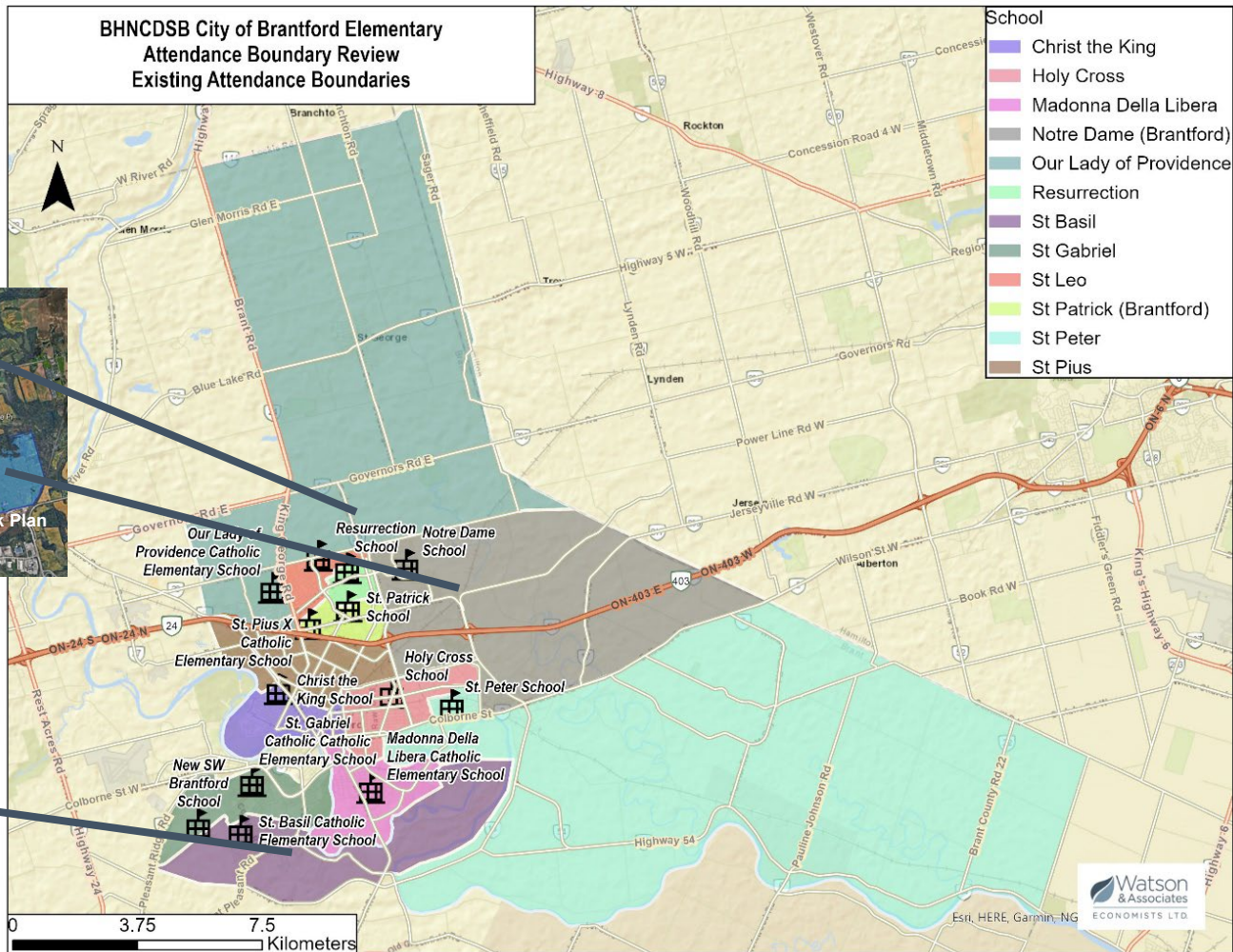
Current Situation

Existing Attendance Boundaries and Growth Areas

Powerline West, Central and East Block Plans & Balmoral Block Plan
Our Lady of Providence
(Area 2, Area 3, Area 4, and Area 5)



BHNCDSB City of Brantford Elementary Attendance Boundary Review Existing Attendance Boundaries



Current Situation

Existing and Projected Enrolments and Facility Utilization by School



2025-26 Status Quo Enrolment / Utilization

School	OTG	Enrolment (Oct 2025)	Utilization %	# of Portables (2025)
Notre Dame (Brantford)	429	307	72%	2
Our Lady of Providence	340	285	84%	0
Resurrection	187	136	73%	0
St Patrick (Brantford)	164	143	87%	0
St. Leo	288	377	131%	6
St. Peter	167	187	112%	2
St Pius	337	302	90%	0
Christ the King	187	269	144%	4
Holy Cross	236	308	131%	3
Madonna Della Libera	466	359	77%	0
St. Basil	484	674	139%	10
St. Gabriel	389	515	132%	6
Total	3,674	3,862	105%	33
Note: Enrolment based on October 31, 2025 enrolment data. Number of portables as of September 2025.				

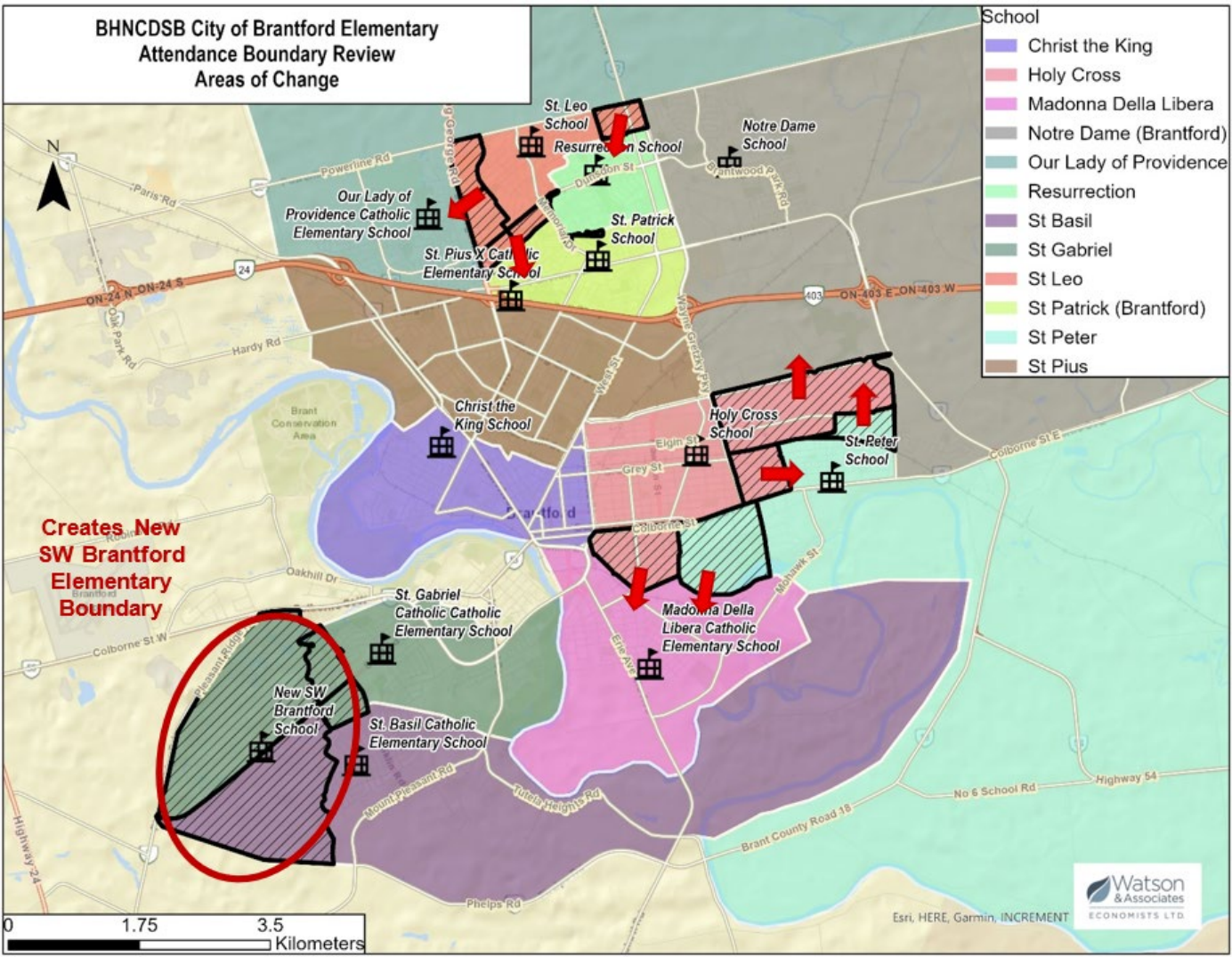
Note: Analysis based on April 2026 student plots.

Source: Current enrolment derived from October 31, 2025 headcount data.

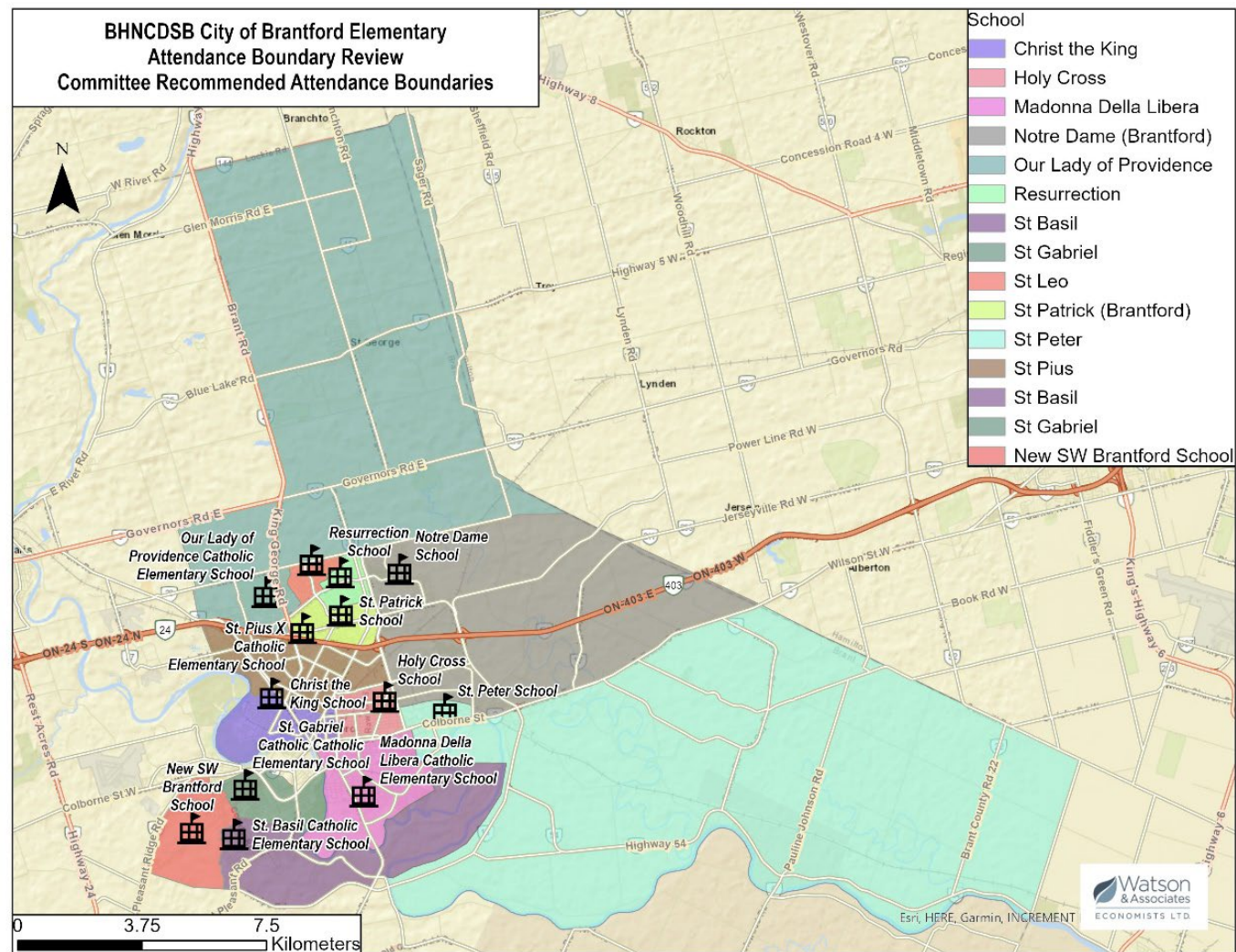
2028-29 Year of Implementation Status Quo Enrolment / Utilization

School	OTG	Projected Enrolment	Utilization %	# of Portables Needed
Notre Dame (Brantford)	429	322	75%	2
Our Lady of Providence	340	377	111%	2
Resurrection	187	125	67%	0
St Patrick (Brantford)	164	136	83%	0
St. Leo	288	414	144%	6
St. Peter	167	195	117%	2
St Pius	337	313	93%	0
Christ the King	187	284	152%	4
Holy Cross	236	334	142%	4
Madonna Della Libera	466	387	83%	0
St. Basil	484	823	170%	15
St. Gabriel	389	582	150%	8
Total	3,674	4,292	117%	43
Note: The number of portables needed is calculated by dividing the number of pupils over capacity by the loading capacity of 23, factoring in existing portables on site that are assumed to remain at that school location.				

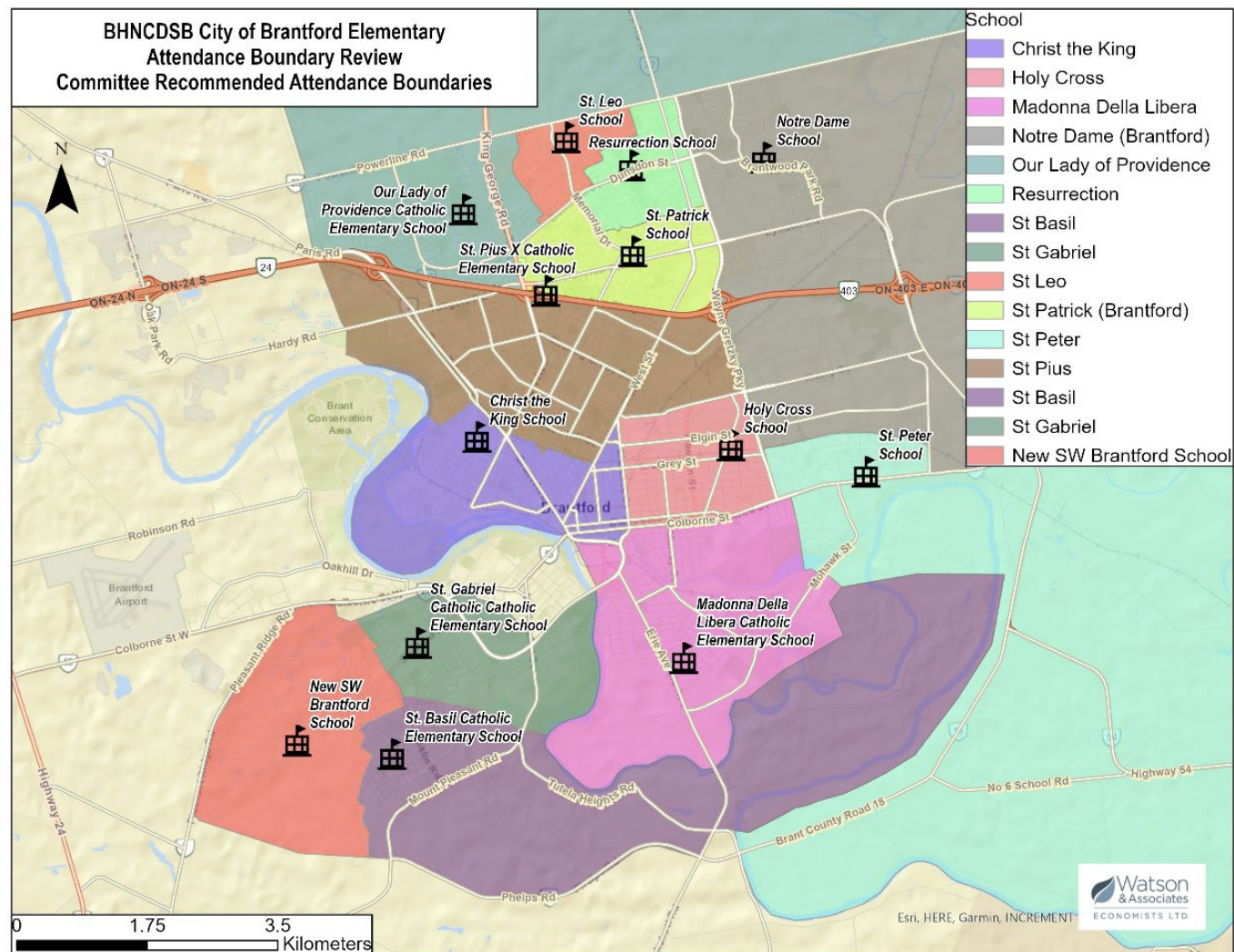
Committee
Recommended Option
Option 2



Committee Recommended Option Option 2



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Committee Recommended Option

Impacts of Proposed Changes (Existing Student Plots – No Legacy Provisions)



2025-26 Status Quo Enrolment / Utilization					Option 2 (April 2026 Student Plots)	
School	OTG	Enrolment (Oct 2025)	Utilization %	# of Portables (2025)	Enrolment	Utilization %
Notre Dame (Brantford)	429	307	72%	2	374	87%
Our Lady of Providence	340	285	84%	0	283	83%
Resurrection	187	136	73%	0	149	80%
St Patrick (Brantford)	164	143	87%	0	156	95%
St. Leo	288	377	131%	6	326	113%
St. Peter	167	187	112%	2	157	94%
St Pius	337	302	90%	0	341	101%
Christ the King	187	269	144%	4	215	115%
Holy Cross	236	308	131%	3	217	92%
Madonna Della Libera	466	359	77%	0	431	92%
St. Basil	484	674	139%	10	381	79%
St. Gabriel	389	515	132%	6	351	90%
New SW Brantford	513	-			493	96%
Total	3,674/ 4,187*	3,862	105%	33	3,874	93%
Note: Enrolment based on October 31, 2025 enrolment data. Number of portables as of September 2025. * OTG of 4,187 when including the New Southwest Brantford elementary capacity.					Note: Recommendation is based on April 2026 student plots, which may cause discrepancies from the October 31, 2025 official headcounts. Recommendation includes returning out-of-boundary students to their home (residing) boundary.	

Legacy Provisions

Recommendation



2028-29 Year of Implementation Enrolment/Utilization Comparison		Status Quo		Boundary Changes Implemented (7/8 and Sibling Legacy)		
School	OTG	Projected Enrolment	Utilization %	Projected Enrolment	Utilization %	Net Enrolment Change (+/-)
Notre Dame (Brantford)	429	322	75%	342	80%	+20
Our Lady of Providence	340	377	111%	388	114%	+11
Resurrection	187	125	67%	135	72%	+9
St Patrick (Brantford)	164	136	83%	159	97%	+23
St. Leo	288	414	144%	371	129%	-43
St. Peter	167	195	117%	178	106%	-18
St Pius	337	313	93%	313	93%	0
Christ the King	187	284	152%	284	152%	0
Holy Cross	236	334	142%	260	110%	-75
Madonna Della Libera	466	387	83%	459	99%	+73
St. Basil	484	822	170%	618	128%	-204
St. Gabriel	389	582	150%	459	118%	-123
New Southwest Brantford Elementary	513	0	0%	327	64%	+327
Total	4,187	4,290	102%	4,290	102%	-

Senior Administration's Recommendation:

- Allow all **Grade 7 and 8 students (current Grade 4 and 5 students as of the 2025–26 school year) and their siblings** at affected schools to **remain at their current school** when boundary changes begin in September 2028.

Reason for Legacy Provision:

- Based on **public and committee feedback**.
- Supports **student stability and continuity**.

Key Outcome:

- Students can **complete their elementary education without disruption** at their existing school.



QUESTIONS