## **COMMUNITY EDUCATION CENTRE – CENTRAL**



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Dear Parents/Guardians of George Street PS and Aurora Senior PS students,

At the Board meeting on February 4, 2013, Trustees approved the decision to proceed with the design for renovations to Aurora Senior PS to accommodate George Street PS students. These renovations will include new kindergarten classrooms and outdoor play area, as well as Science and Art classroom reconfigurations.

The renovations will be complete for September 2015 at which time all students in the George Street PS/Aurora Senior PS boundary from JK to Grade 8 will attend Aurora Senior PS. Full Day Kindergarten will be implemented at George Street PS for September 2014 in existing space. Staff reviewed timelines for approvals and construction, and determined that September 2015 is achievable to have renovations completed at Aurora Senior PS. Additional information will be sent out before construction begins at Aurora Senior PS.

Over the next year, staff will begin a review of internal space requirements for YRDSB. At this point, Trustees haven't yet discussed or made decisions about possible future uses of the George Street building. The school community will be notified of any decision with respect to the George Street building.

After the municipal elections in October 2014, the Trustee for Aurora-King will take the lead role for soliciting school names for the renaming of Aurora Senior PS. Community members are welcome to submit school name suggestions to the Trustee following the elections.

If you have any questions, please contact Principal Jodi Sepkowski or myself.

Sincerely,

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