



# **Northern SS, Lawrence Park CI, North Toronto CI, York Mills CI, and Leaside HS Boundary Change Review**

## **Public Meeting**

Thursday, March 27, 2025  
7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Note: this meeting will be recorded**

# Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge we are hosted on the lands of the Mississauga's of the Anishinaabe, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Wendat. We also recognize the enduring presence of all First Nations, Métis and the Inuit peoples

# Agenda

1	Welcome, Land Acknowledgment, and Introductions	Jennifer Chan, Superintendent FOS10
2	Opening Remarks	Shelley Laskin, Trustee, Ward 8 & Stacey Cline, Trustee, Ward 11
3	How to Participate in Zoom Webinar & Virtual Meeting Norms	Dan Castaldo Strategy & Planning
4	Setting the Context	Daniel Stojc, Strategy & Planning
5	Proposed Attendance Boundary Change	Daniel Stojc, Strategy & Planning
6	Next Steps & Helpful Information	Daniel Stojc, Strategy & Planning
7	Feedback: Comments, Questions, and Answers	Dan Castaldo, Strategy & Planning
8	Adjournment	Jennifer Chan, Superintendent FOS10

# Introductions

<b>Stacey Cline</b>	Trustee, Ward 11
<b>Shelley Laskin</b>	Trustee, Ward 8
<b>Cassandra Alviani-Alvarez</b>	Superintendent, FOS 06
<b>Jennifer Chan</b>	Superintendent, FOS 10
<b>Kurt McIntosh</b>	Superintendent, FOS 13
<b>Nadira Persaud</b>	Superintendent, FOS 14
<b>Lesley Gage</b>	Principal, York Mills CI
<b>Michael Griesz</b>	Principal, Lawrence Park CI
<b>Jane Lee</b>	Principal, North Toronto CI
<b>Adam Marshall</b>	Principal, Northern SS
<b>Barbara Nixon</b>	Principal, Leaside HS
<b>Reiko Fuentes</b>	Centrally Assigned Principal, Secondary Program and Admissions
<b>Daniel Castaldo</b>	System Planning Officer (Interim), Strategy & Planning
<b>Joyce Kwong</b>	Manager, Accommodation Planning, Strategy & Planning
<b>Safiyyah Omar-Saleh</b>	Planner, Strategy & Planning
<b>Daniel Stojc</b>	Planner, Strategy & Planning

# Opening Remarks

Shelley Laskin, Trustee, Ward 8

Stacey Cline, Trustee, Ward 11

# Zoom Webinar

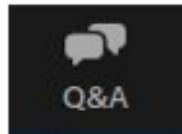
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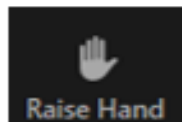
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# Setting the Context: Long-Term Program and Accommodation Strategy

- The LTPAS advances the system goal to “provide equity of access to learning opportunities for all students”
- The document identifies a number of studies to be undertaken to resolve existing and future accommodation pressures in the City
- **Boundary Change Studies:**
  - Explore opportunities to expand the collegiate boundary for Northern Secondary School.*
  - Explore a review of shared attendance areas that are currently directed to either Northern SS or York Mills CI to determine a single home school.*
  - Explore a review of shared attendance areas that are currently directed to either Northern SS or Lawrence Park CI to determine a single home school.*

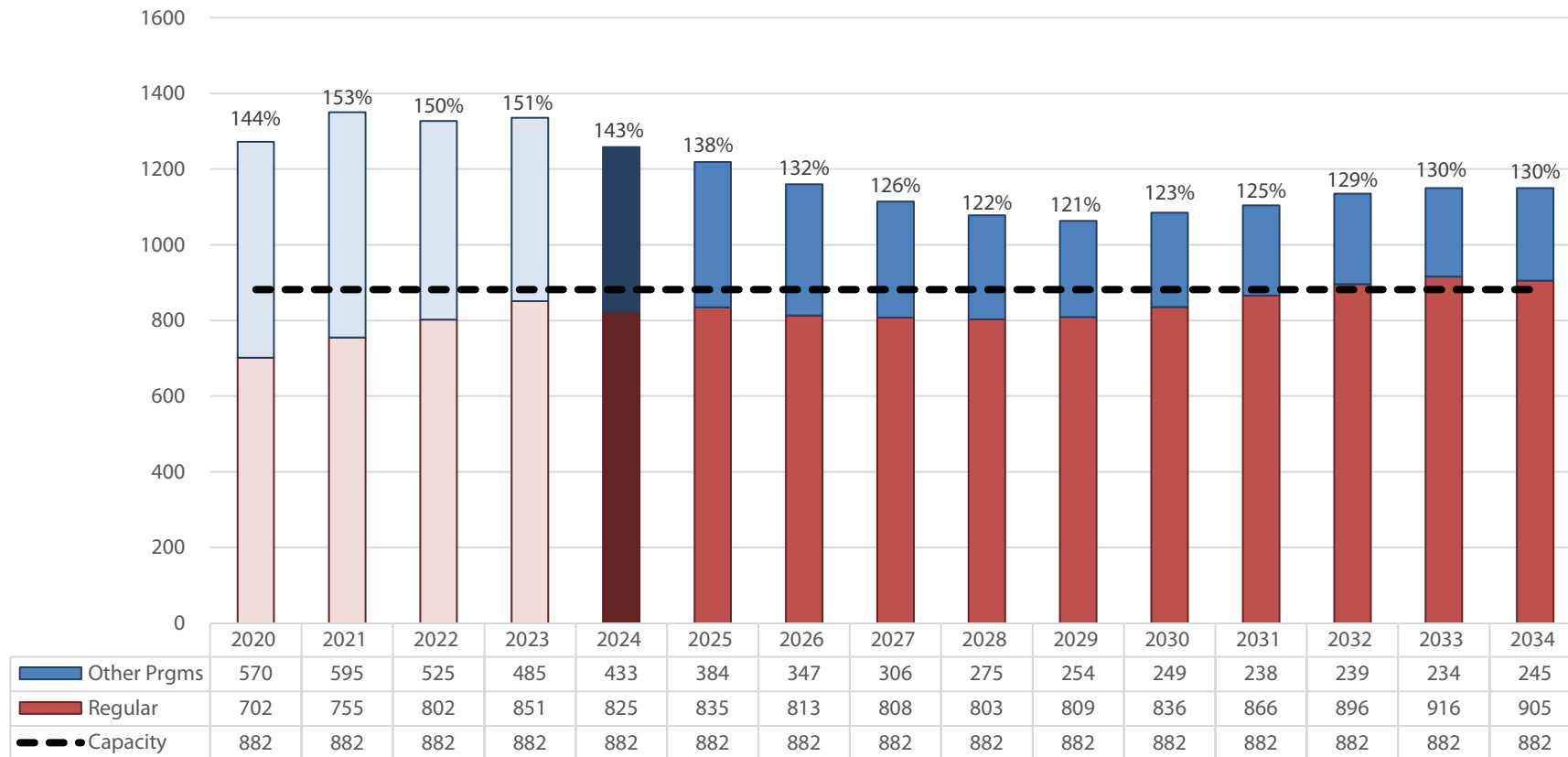




# Setting the Context: Why are we here?

- TDSB's Long-Term Program and Accommodation Strategy (LTPAS) outlines several guiding principles:
  - **Consistent attendance boundaries** – *establish consistent attendance boundaries across the TDSB by reviewing instances of shared boundaries where multiple schools serve students based on home addresses and split attendance boundaries that separate graduating cohorts among multiple schools.*
  - **Optimal utilization rate of 90%** – *Ensure that school buildings are used efficiently by targeting utilization rates of 90% while recognizing the importance of child care – address issues of... overutilization (schools operating at 110% utilization or greater) – use existing space in schools efficiently to balance enrolments.*
- The purpose of this boundary change is to:
  1. Eliminate the shared attendance areas between Northern SS, Lawrence Park CI, York Mills CI, and Leaside HS.
  2. Address accommodation pressures at North Toronto CI.

## Status Quo Enrolment Projection – Lawrence Park CI



**Grade Range:** 9-12

**Existing Programs:** Regular, French Extended, French Immersion

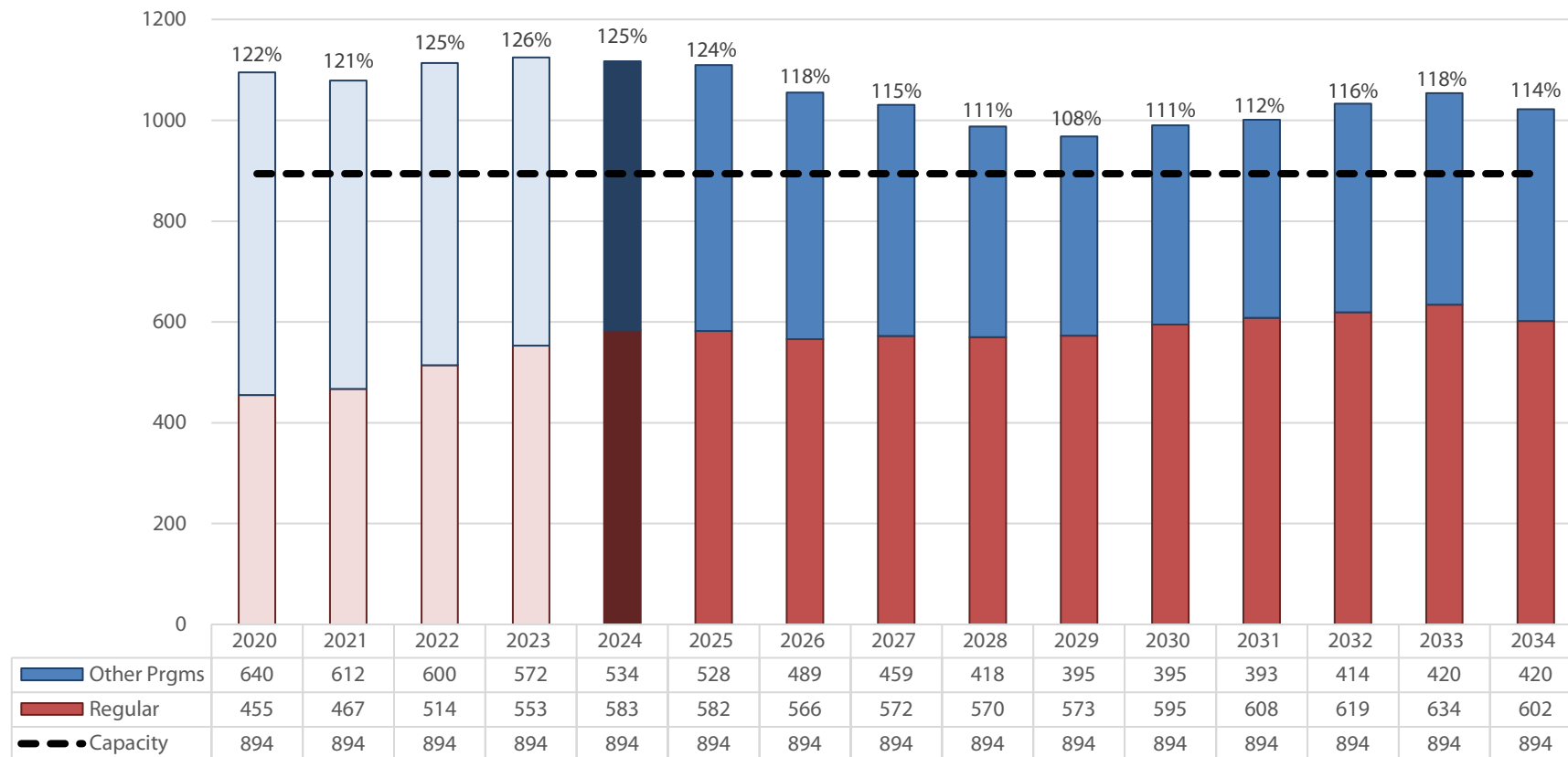
**Portables on site:** 4

**Building Capacity (2024):** 882 pupil places

**Actual Enrolment (Oct 31, 2024):** 1258 pupils

**Current Building Utilization:** 143%

## Status Quo Enrolment Projection – Leaside HS



**Grade Range:** 9-12

**Existing Programs:** Regular, French Extended, French Immersion

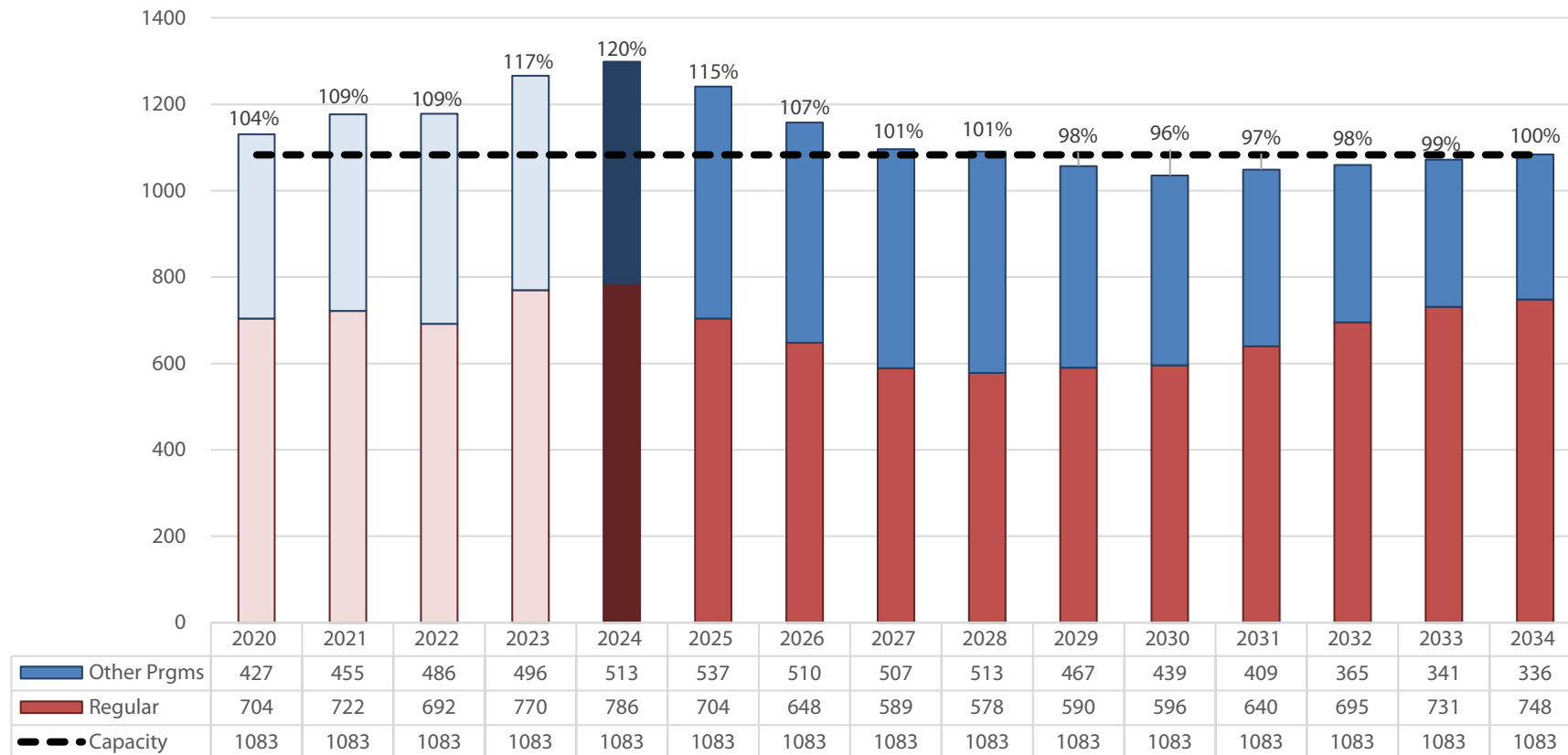
**Portables on site:** 0

**Building Capacity (2024):** 894 pupil places

**Actual Enrolment (Oct 31, 2024):** 1117 pupils

**Current Building Utilization:** 125%

# Status Quo Enrolment Projection – York Mills CI



**Grade Range:** 9-12

**Existing Programs:** Regular, French Immersion

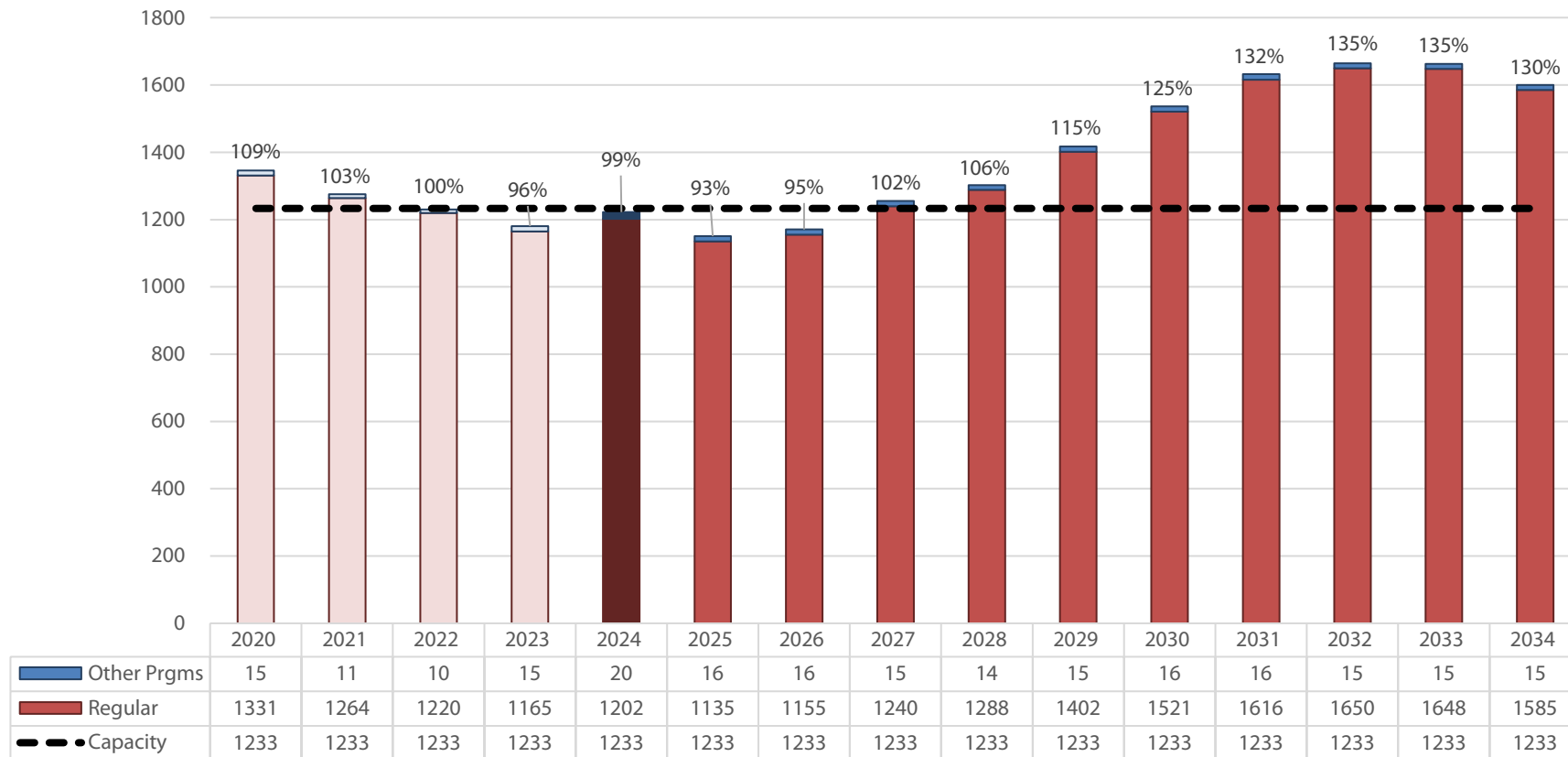
**Portables on site:** 0

**Building Capacity (2024):** 1083 pupil places

**Actual Enrolment (Oct 31, 2024):** 1299 pupils

**Current Building Utilization:** 120%

# Status Quo Enrolment Projection – North Toronto CI



**Grade Range:** 9-12

**Existing Programs:** Regular, Autism

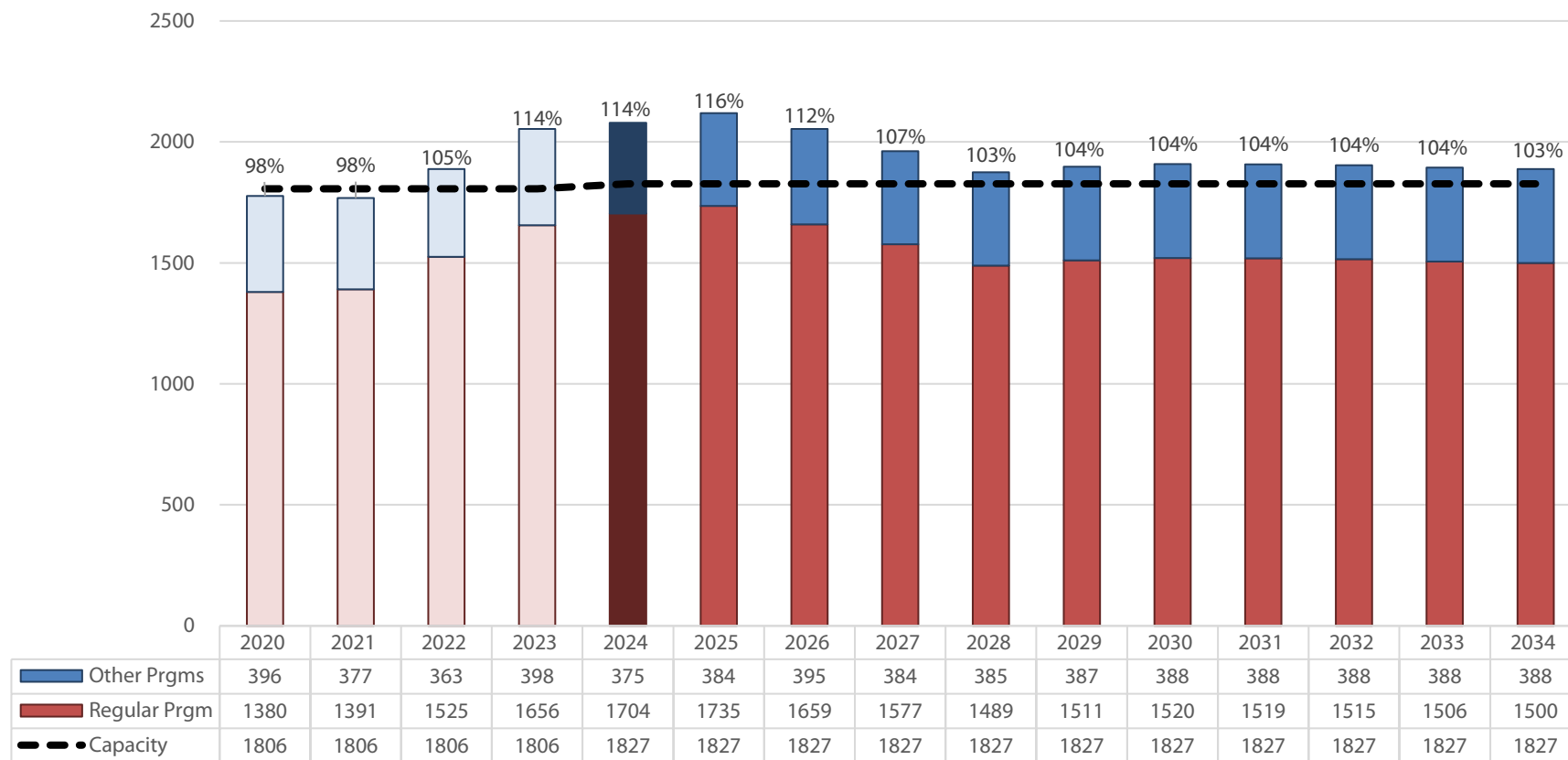
**Portables on site:** 0

**Building Capacity (2024):** 1233 pupil places

**Actual Enrolment (Oct 31, 2024):** 1222 pupils

**Current Building Utilization:** 99%

## Status Quo Enrolment Projection – Northern SS



**Grade Range:** 9-12

**Existing Programs:** Regular, Deaf-Hard of Hearing, Gifted, Learning Disability

**Portables on site:** 0

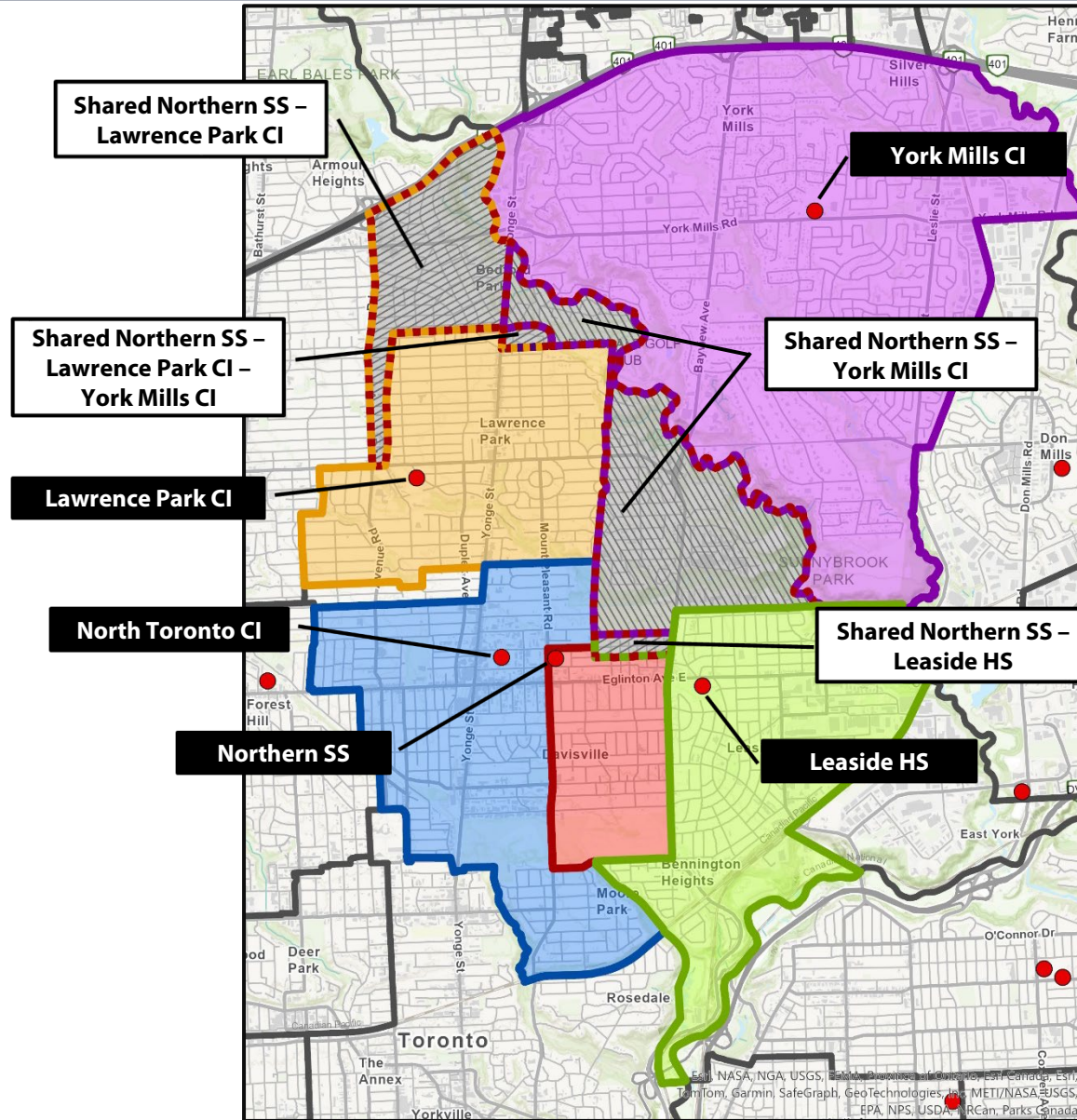
**Building Capacity (2024):** 1827 pupil places

**Actual Enrolment (Oct 31, 2024):** 2079 pupils

**Current Building Utilization:** 114%

# Proposed Attendance Boundary Change

# Boundary Change Review-Public Meeting



## Secondary School Boundaries

### Single-School Collegiate Boundaries

- Lawrence Park CI
- Leaside HS
- North Toronto CI
- Northern SS
- York Mills CI



# Current Attendance Boundary

## Current Situation

### Single-School Collegiate Boundaries

Lawrence Park CI

Leaside HS

North Toronto CI

Northern SS

York Mills CI

### Shared Collegiate Boundaries

Lawrence Park CI - Northern SS

Lawrence Park CI - York Mills CI - Northern SS

Leaside HS - Northern SS

York Mills CI - Northern SS

# Proposed Attendance Boundary Change

## Current Situation

### Single-School Collegiate Boundaries

Lawrence Park CI

Leaside HS

North Toronto CI

Northern SS

York Mills CI

### Shared Collegiate Boundaries

Lawrence Park CI - Northern SS

Lawrence Park CI - York Mills CI - Northern SS

Leaside HS - Northern SS

York Mills CI - Northern SS

## Proposed Changes

### Single-School Collegiate Boundaries



No Change



No Change



Portion of attendance area to Northern SS



No Change



No Change



Lawrence Park CI attendance area



Lawrence Park CI attendance area

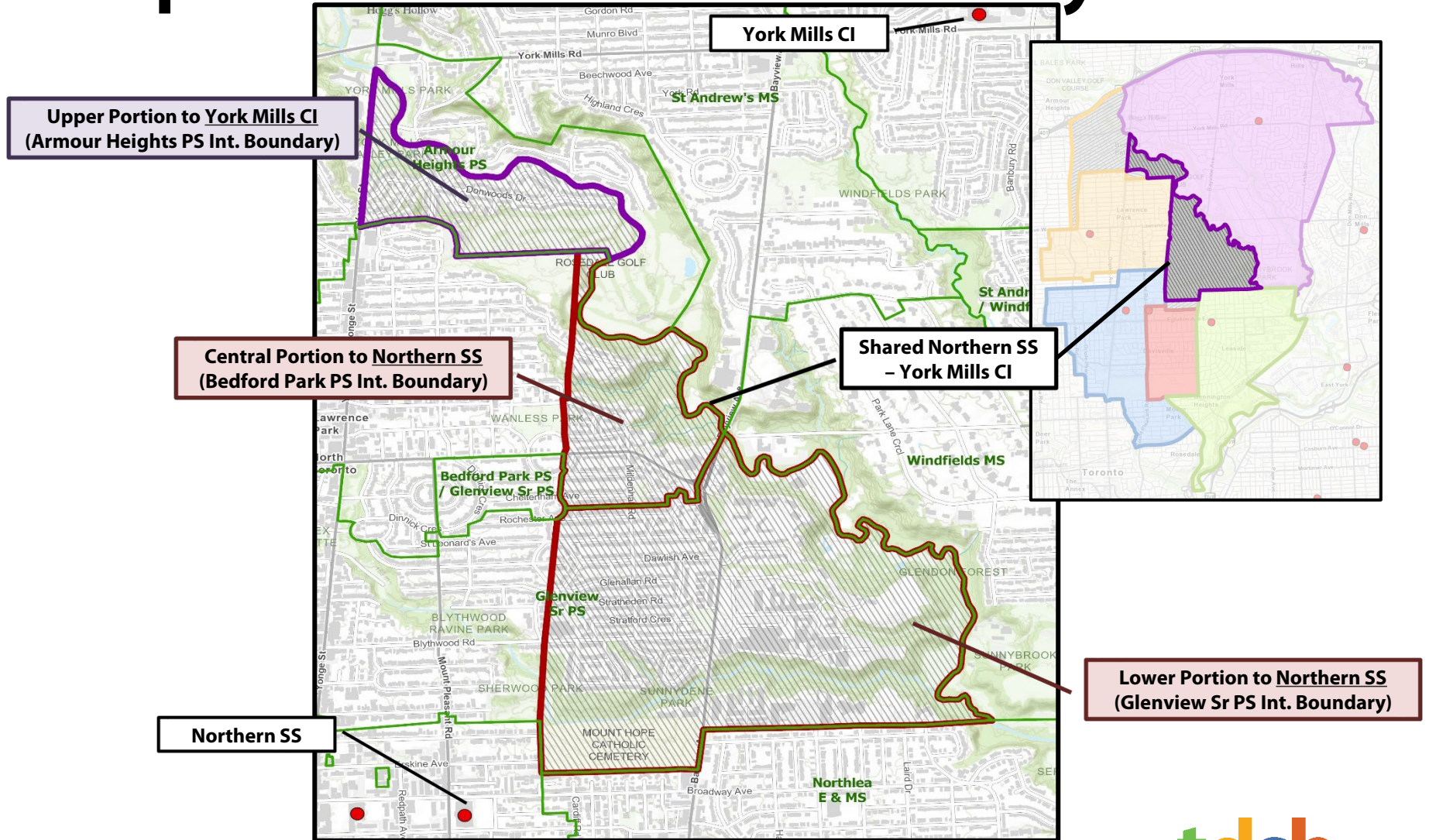


Northern SS attendance area



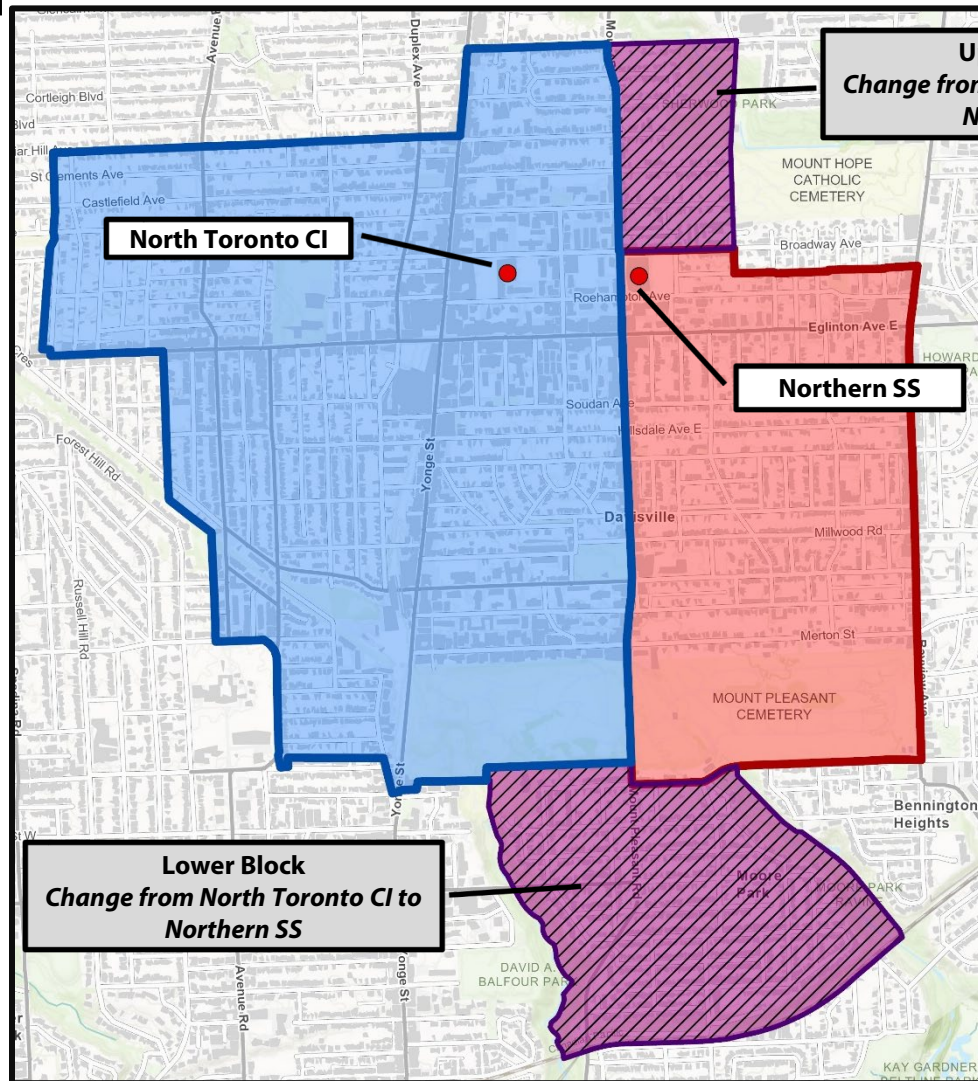
Upper section to York Mills CI, *and*  
Central & lower sections to Northern SS

# Proposed Attendance Boundary





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**Upper Block**  
*Change from North Toronto CI to Northern SS*

## Upper Block Limits

Existing NTCI attendance area:

- South of Blythwood Rd,
- East of Mount Pleasant Rd,
- North of Broadway Ave,
- West of Mount Hope Cemetery.

## Lower Block Limits

Existing NTCI attendance area:

- South of Mount Pleasant Cemetery,
- East of David Balfour Park Trail,
- North of C.P. Railway,
- West of Ravine Beltline Trail.

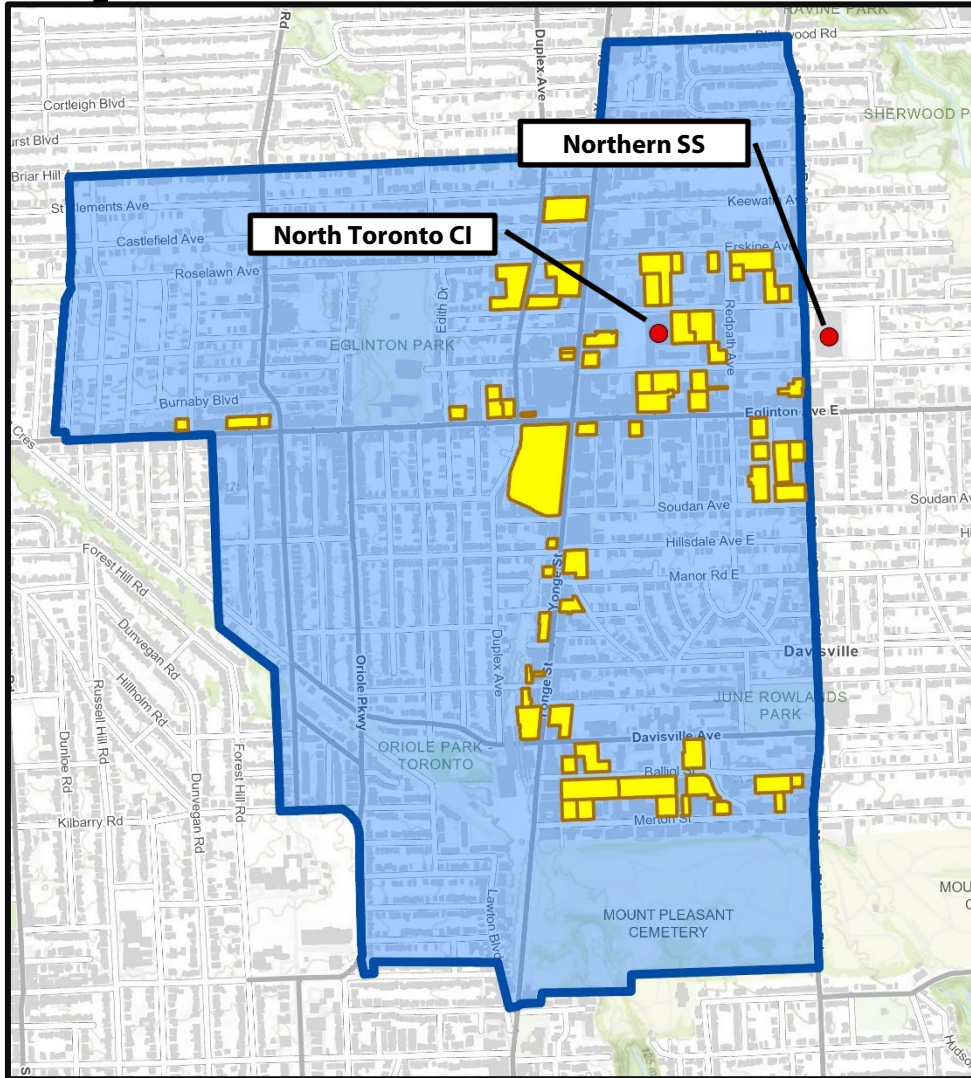
Secondary School Boundaries

Single-School Collegiate Boundaries

North Toronto CI

Northern SS

# Proposed Attendance Boundary



## Additional Change

Redirection of all residential development from North Toronto CI to Northern SS:

- This will be effective following Board approval,
- More than 65 residential projects,
- Approximately 28,000 units,
- All future residential developments will also be redirected.

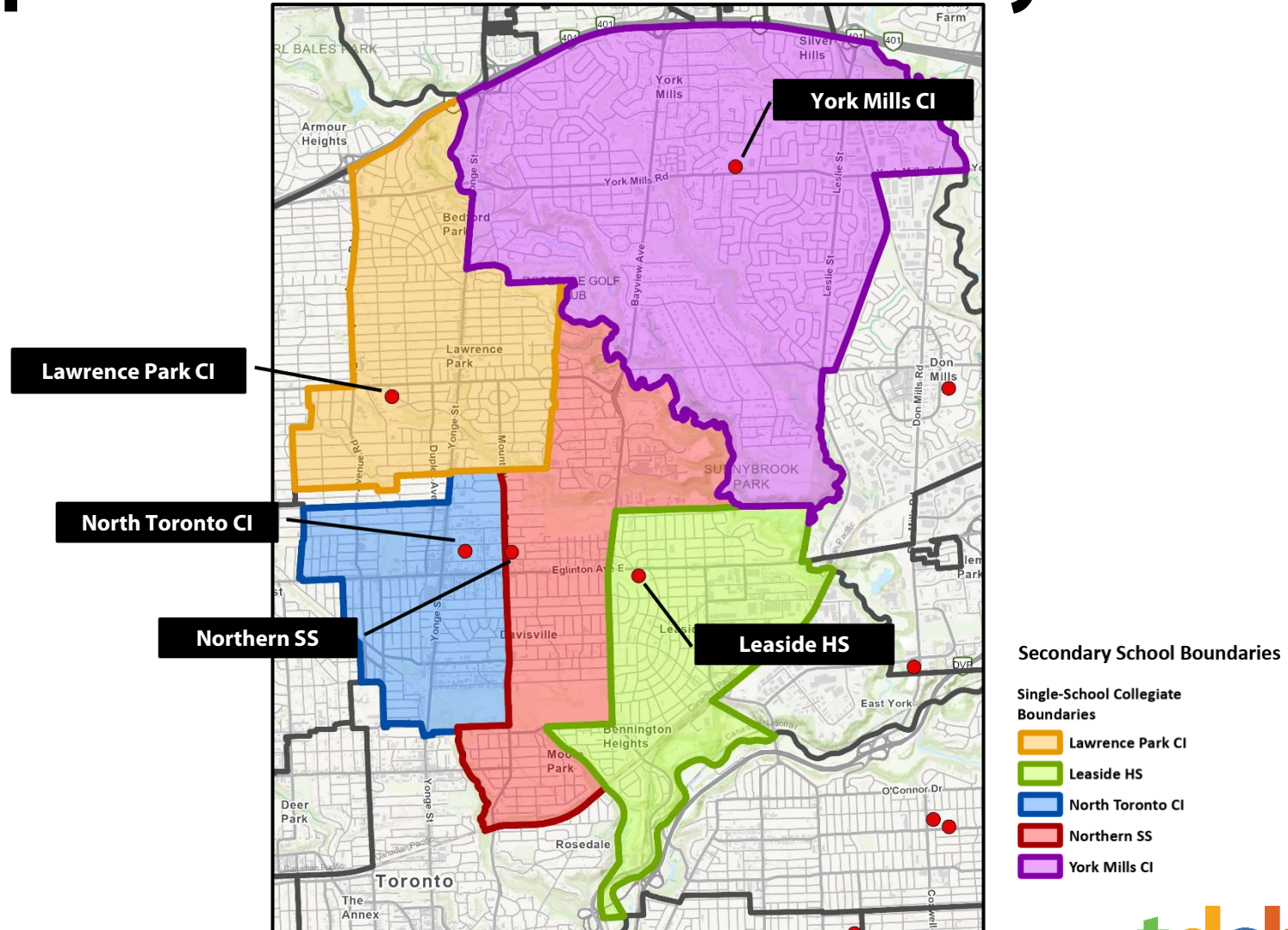
## Secondary School Boundaries

Single-School Collegiate Boundaries

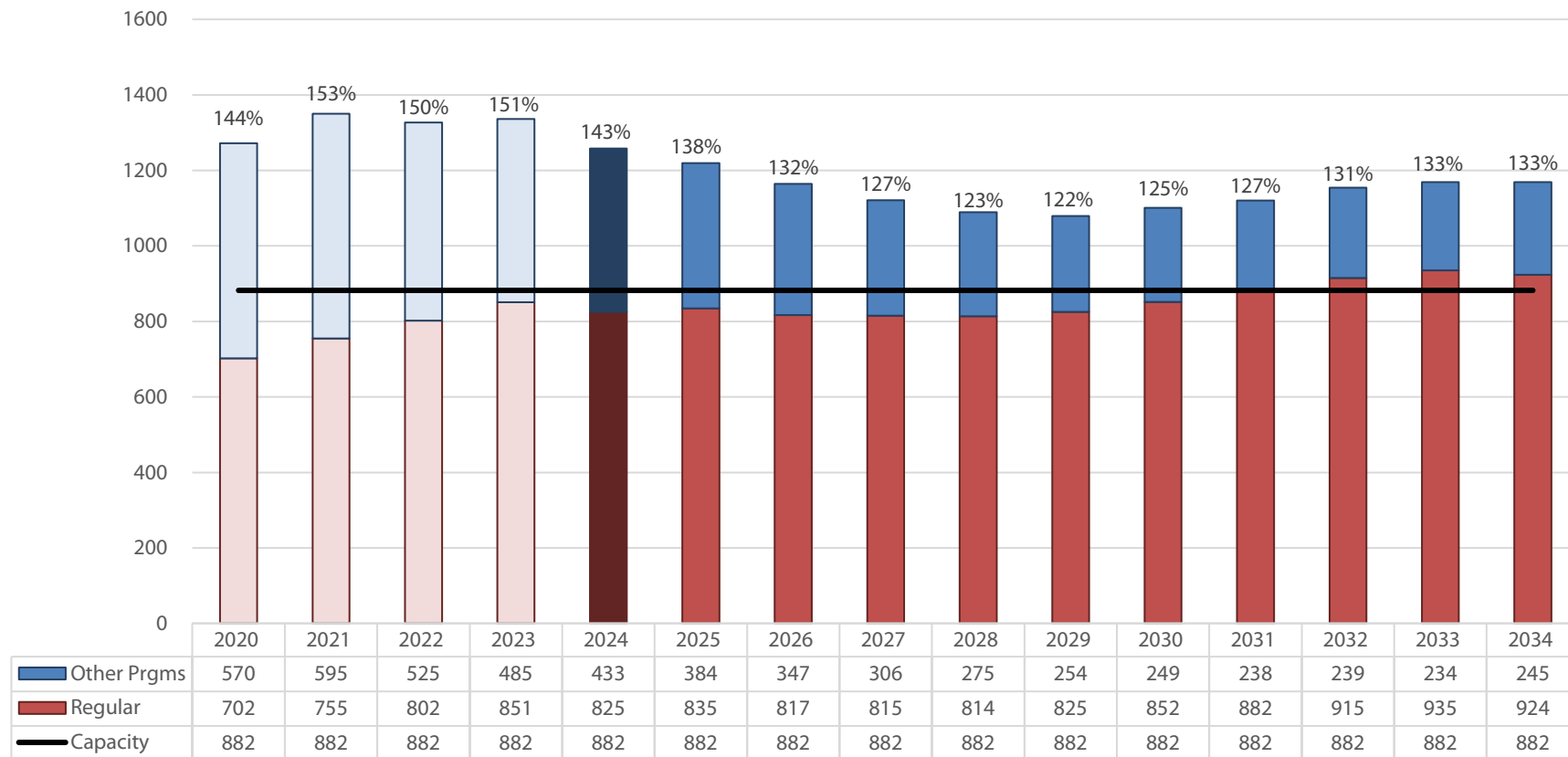
- North Toronto CI
- Residential Development



# Proposed Attendance Boundary



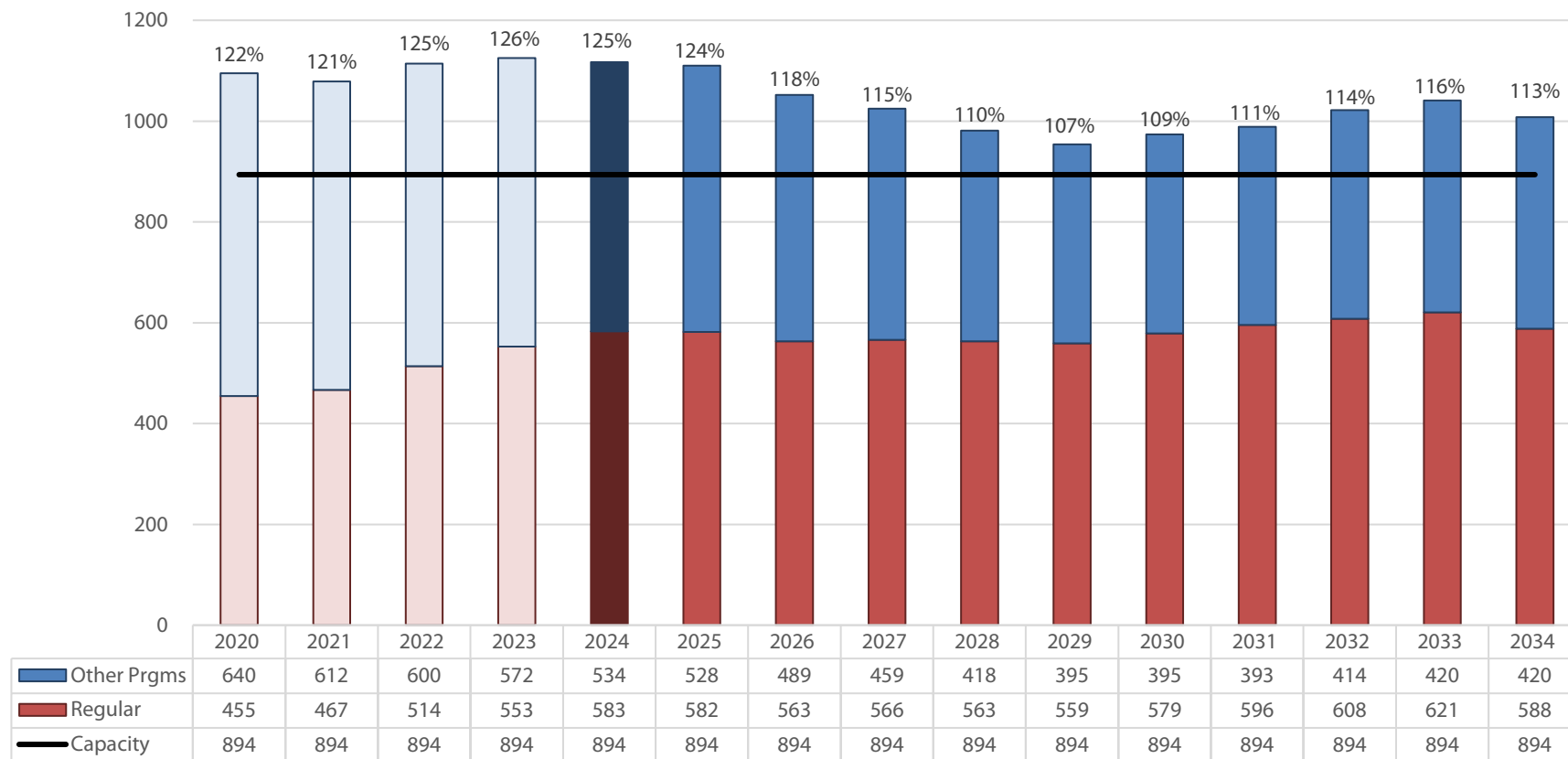
# Boundary Change Enrolment Projection – Lawrence Park CI



## Lawrence Park CI Outcomes:

- Increase of approximately 2% utilization over time.
- Approximately 16 to 19 additional secondary students from Northern SS and York Mills CI.
- Eliminates shared attendance boundaries with Northern SS for consistent secondary attendance boundaries.

## Boundary Change Enrolment Projection – Leaside HS

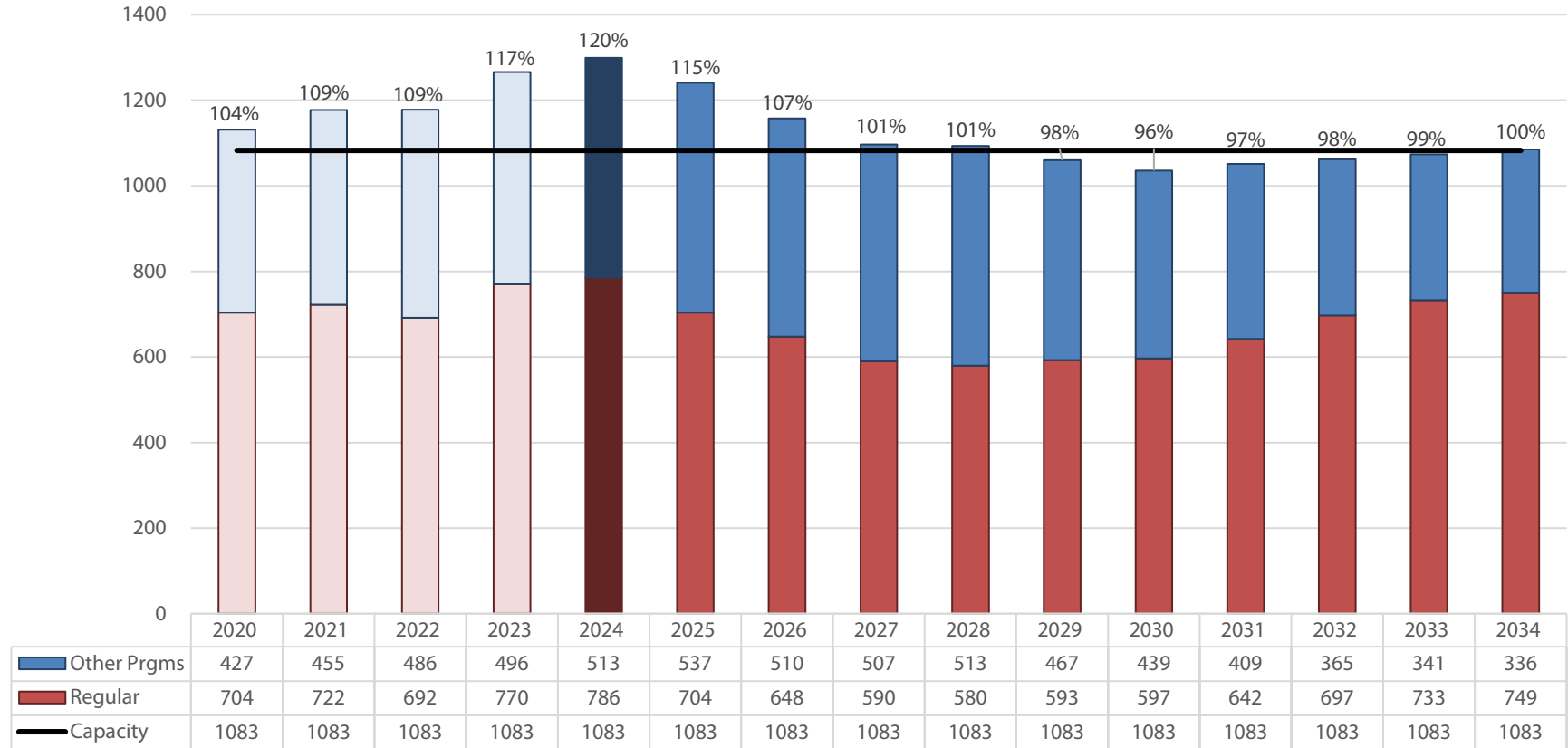


### Leaside HS Outcomes:

- Decrease of approximately 2% utilization over time.
- Approximately 11 to 16 less secondary students. These would be directed to Northern SS.
- Eliminates shared attendance boundaries for consistent secondary attendance boundaries.



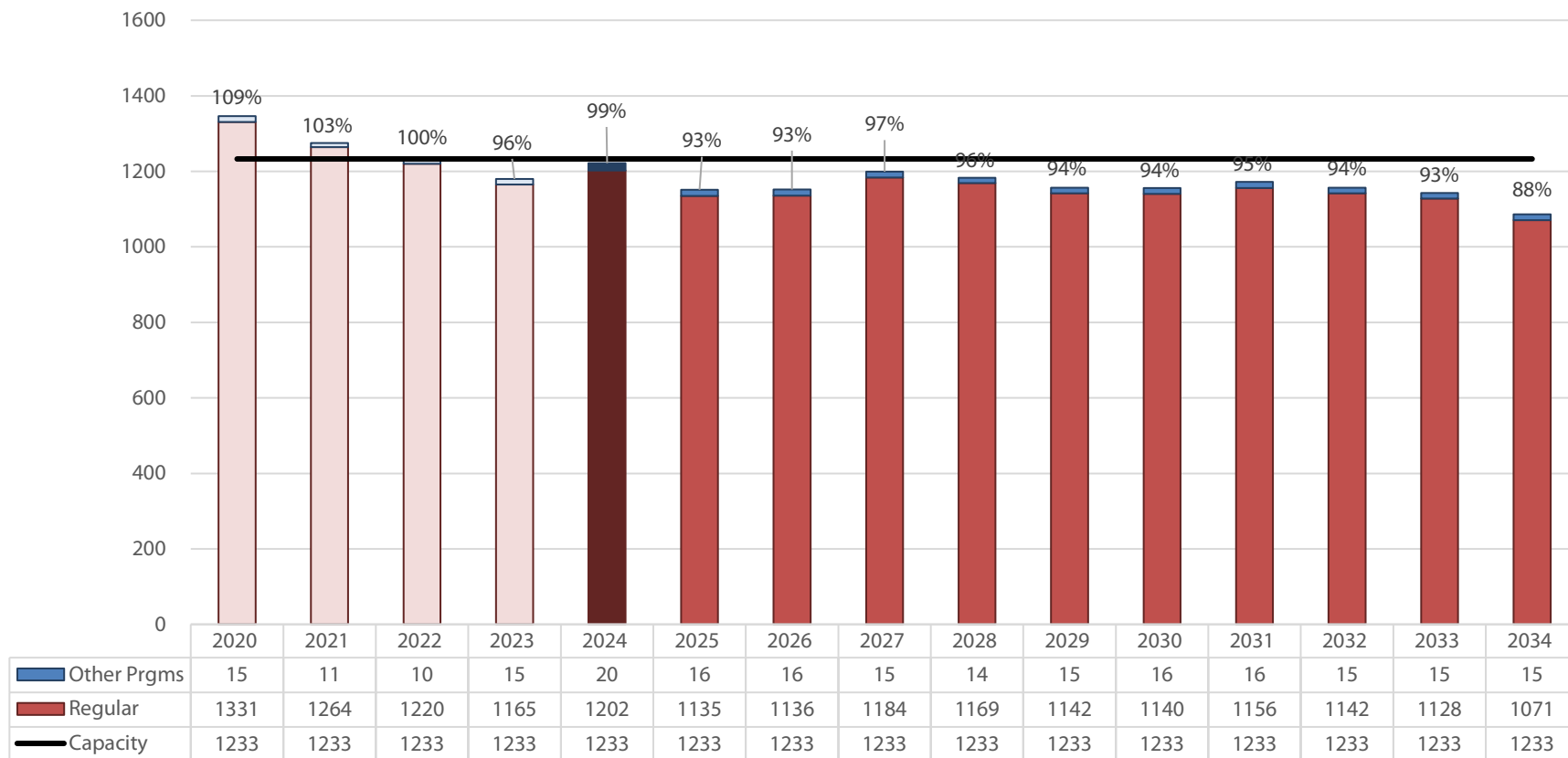
## Boundary Change Enrolment Projection – York Mills CI



### York Mills CI Outcomes:

- Increase of approximately 0.2% utilization over time.
- Approximately 2 to 3 additional secondary students from Northern SS.
- Eliminates shared attendance boundaries for consistent secondary attendance boundaries.

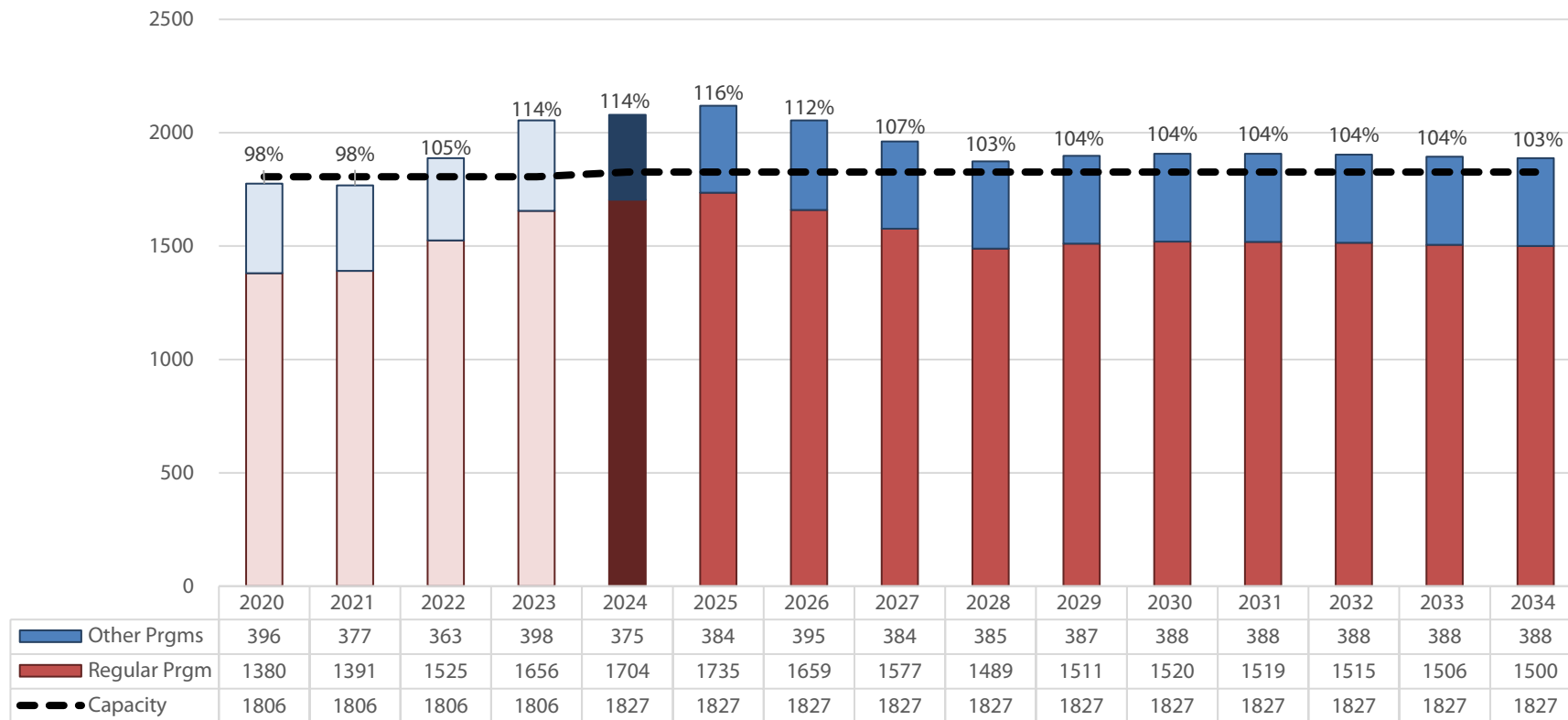
## Boundary Change Enrolment Projection – North Toronto CI



### North Toronto CI Outcomes:

- Decrease of approximately 42% utilization over time.
- Approximately 500 secondary students would be directed to Northern SS.

## Boundary Change Enrolment Projection – Northern SS



### Northern SS Outcomes:

- No change in utilization.
- Net increase of approximately 140 in-area students per year.
- Northern will still be able to accommodate about 130 students through SSWAB (secondary school without a boundary) applications each year.
- Eliminates shared attendance boundaries for consistent secondary attendance boundaries.

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change (Shared Area)

- a) That the shared secondary attendance area between **Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute and Northern Secondary School** be directed entirely to **Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute**, effective September 1, 2026 (Regular Program).

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change (Shared Area)

- b) That the shared secondary attendance area between **Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute, York Mills Collegiate Institute, and Northern Secondary School** be directed entirely to **Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute**, effective September 1, 2026 (Regular Program).

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change (Shared Area)

- c) That the shared secondary attendance area between **Leaside High School and Northern Secondary School** be directed entirely to **Northern Secondary School**, effective September 1, 2026 (Regular Program).

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change (Shared Area)

- d) That the shared secondary attendance area between **York Mills Collegiate Institute and Northern Secondary School** that also falls within the Armour Heights Public School intermediate boundary be directed to **York Mills Collegiate Institute**, effective September 1, 2026 (Regular Program).

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change (Shared Area)

- e) That the shared secondary attendance area between **York Mills Collegiate Institute and Northern Secondary School** that also falls within the Bedford Park Public School and Glenview Senior Public School intermediate boundaries be directed to **Northern Secondary School**, effective September 1, 2026 (Regular Program).



# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change

- f) That the following portions of the **North Toronto Collegiate Institute's** secondary attendance area be directed to **Northern Secondary School**, effective September 1, 2026 (Regular Program):
1. Block 1: south of Blythwood Rd, east of Mount Pleasant Rd, north of Broadway Ave, west of Mount Hope Cemetery,
  2. Block 2: south of Mount Pleasant Cemetery, east of David Balfour Park Trail, north of C.P. Railway, west of Ravine Beltline Trail.

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Attendance Boundary Change (Residential Redirections)

- g) That the residential developments\* located within the North Toronto Collegiate Institute attendance area, that are yet to be occupied, be directed to **Northern Secondary School**, effective immediately (Regular Program).

\* The complete list of addresses will be found in the report to Board.

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Legacy Students

- h) That all students attending their respective secondary school (Northern Secondary School, North Toronto Collegiate Institute, York Mills Collegiate Institute, Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute, or Leaside High School) on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026, be permitted to remain at the school until they graduate.

# Staff Proposed Recommendations

## Legacy Students

- i) That siblings of students described in Part h) be allowed to attend the same school (Northern Secondary School, North Toronto Collegiate Institute, York Mills Collegiate Institute, Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute, or Leaside High School), provided their older sibling is currently attending that school at the time the younger sibling enters, and be allowed to remain until they graduate.

# Next Steps

## Please complete our Public Meeting Survey:

- A Feedback Survey is now open. The link to the survey is also available on the TDSB review webpage

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/About-Us/Strategy-Planning/Search-All-Reviews/id/206>



## **Boundary Change Feedback Survey**

\*Survey will close at 4:00 pm on Thursday, April 3, 2025\*



- Comments and questions can be submitted by e-mail to:  
[accommodationreviews@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:accommodationreviews@tdsb.on.ca)

# Next Steps

- Staff will draft a report to the Board of Trustees for approval.
- The report will be presented to the Planning and Priorities Committee (PPC) of the Board on **Wednesday, May 14, 2025.**
- The PPC Meeting is when the **public has an opportunity to depute to the Board.**

# Next Steps

- To register a delegation, you must submit a [Delegation Request Form](#) by e-mail to [delegates@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:delegates@tdsb.on.ca) by **Monday, May 12, 2025, at 4pm** for the PPC meeting on Wednesday, May 14, 2025 at 4:30pm.
- For more information regarding this process, please visit: <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/leadership/boardroom/delegations>
- The Board of Trustees will make a final decision on **Wednesday, May 21, 2025.**



# Helpful Information

- This presentation will be posted on the study webpage under  
→ **‘Meeting(s) - Community Engagement’**
- We will also post a Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) document on the study webpage under  
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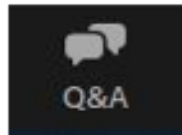
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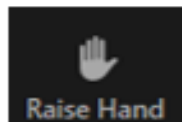
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