



Except in emergency circumstances, the decision to close a school shall be announced at least 90 days prior to the date the school is scheduled to be closed, but not later than April 30 of any school year. An emergency circumstance is one where the decision to close a school because of unforeseen circumstances cannot be announced at least 90 days prior to the date a school is scheduled to close or before April 30 of any school year, and be it further

Resolved, That the superintendent be directed to bring to the Board of Education as soon as possible the Long-Range Educational Facilities Policy with any necessary changes to bring it into compliance with State Board Bylaw 13A.02.09.

now therefore be it

Resolved, That Section II.A.2.a) be amended by inserting the following words after "educational program" in the last sentence: "and on the community in the geographic attendance area"; and be it further

Resolved, That Section II.B.2. be amended by deleting: "If there are more requests for oral testimony than can be heard in one hour, written testimony will be accepted.", and substituting: "In addition, written testimony will be accepted;" and be it further

Resolved, That Sections II.B.3. and II.B.5. be amended by adding; "Decisions on school closures shall be made and announced at least 90 days prior to their effective dates, but not later than April 30 of any school year, except in emergency circumstances described in II.B.7;" and be it further

Resolved, That Section II.B.5. be amended by adding to paragraph 3 at the end of the second sentence: "although on a shortened time scheduled as established by the superintendent;" and be it further

Resolved, That the first sentence of Section II.B.7 be deleted and the following two sentences be substituted. "In the event the Board of Education determines that an emergency circumstance exists, the superintendent will establish a condensed time schedule for making recommendations to the Board, the appeals and hearings, and for Board action. An emergency circumstance is one where the decision to close a school because of unforeseen circumstances cannot be announced at least 90 days prior to the date the decision is effective or before April 30 of any school year."

Re: A Motion by Mr. Ewing to Amend the  
Proposed Resolution on Amendments to the  
Long-Range Educational Facilities  
Planning Policy (FAILED)

A motion by Mr. Ewing that the criteria II.B.1.e) be amended by adding a new solution criterion after the present #5, "That the



any school year, except in emergency circumstances described in II.B.7;" and be it further

Resolved, That Section II.B.5. be amended by adding to paragraph 3 at the end of the second sentence: "although on a shortened time scheduled as established by the superintendent;" and be it further

Resolved, That the first sentence of Section II.B.7 be deleted and the following two sentences be substituted. "In the event the Board of Education determines that an emergency circumstance exists, the superintendent will establish a condensed time schedule for making recommendations to the Board, the appeals and hearings, and for Board action. An emergency circumstance is one where the decision to close a school because of unforeseen circumstances cannot be announced at least 90 days prior to the date the decision is effective or before April 30 of any school year."

Re: Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein  
Attendance Areas

On recommendation of the superintendent Mr. Ewing moved approval of the following which was seconded by Mr. Hirsch:

WHEREAS, State Board of Education decisions on June 30, 1982, reversed local Board of Education actions affecting Eastern and Blair attendance areas, and

WHEREAS, The local Board actions on July 13, 1982, called for interim actions with respect to the Eastern and Blair attendance areas, and  
WHEREAS, Other local Board actions on July 13, 1982, asked the superintendent to establish a condensed schedule for decision making regarding the attendance areas, and

WHEREAS, All phases of the condensed decision-making process have been completed except for local Board action, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Montgomery Blair High School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Receive students from the existing Pine Crest and Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) elementary school portion of Northwood High School area beginning with Grade 9 in September 1983; and a mild learning handicaps class in September 1984;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Albert Einstein High School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Upon the closure of Northwood High School, Einstein High will not receive students from the Pine Crest and Forest Knolls

(including Four Corners) elementary school areas;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Eastern Intermediate School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Change the Eastern/Sligo Intermediate School boundaries so that all Pine Crest Elementary School students continue to attend Eastern Intermediate School, and all Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) Elementary School students attend Eastern Intermediate School, beginning with Grade 7 students in September 1982;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Sligo Junior High School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Change the Sligo/Eastern Intermediate School boundaries so that all Pine Crest Elementary School students continue to attend Eastern Intermediate School, and all Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) Elementary School students attend Eastern Intermediate School, beginning with Grade 7 students in September 1982;

and be it further

Resolved, That the following resolutions adopted by the Montgomery County Board of Education on November 18, November 23, and November 24, 1981, be rescinded insofar as they contradict the above actions:

- 963-81 (assigns Pine Crest students to Sligo from Eastern)
- 967-81 (7-9 grade reorganization of Sligo in 1984)
- 1059-81 (assign Pine Crest students from Eastern to Sligo)
- 1080-81 (assigns Forest Knolls, former Four Corners, and Pine Crest students from Northwood to Einstein)
- 1081-81 (assigns Forest Knolls, former Four Corners, and Pine Crest students to Einstein from Northwood; if necessary, reorganize Einstein as a Grade 10-12 school in 1984);

and be it further

Resolved, That these decisions are adopted as interim measures, subject to further review by the Board, and shall continue in effect unless or until modified and/or supplemental Board action; and when the Board's appeal of the State Board of Education's decision has been resolved, the attendance area decisions made in this interim period for Blair High School and Eastern Intermediate School should be reviewed by the staff, Board, and community; and be it further

Resolved, That to the extent these actions may be inconsistent with any prior actions of the Board, these actions control; and be it further

Resolved, That the state superintendent of schools, State Board of Education, State Interagency Committee for Public School Construction, the Montgomery County Council and the county executive be made aware of these actions.

Re: A Substitute Motion on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

Mrs. Peyser moved the following substitute which was seconded by Dr. Greenblatt:

Resolved, That seventh graders from Pine Crest will continue to attend Eastern in September 1982, and seventh graders from Forest Knolls and Four Corners will continue to attend Sligo; and be it further

Resolved, Direct the superintendent to develop a Long-Range Plan for the students currently attending Blair, Einstein, and Northwood and their two intermediate schools, Eastern and Sligo, that addresses the questions raised in the State Board's reversal of the local Board's decision as soon as reasonably possible.

Resolution No. 610-82                    Re: An Amendment to the Substitute  
Motion on Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein  
Attendance Areas

On motion of Mrs. Peyser seconded by Mr. Barse, the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, and Mrs. Peyser voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing voting in the negative; Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Zappone abstaining (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative):

Resolved, That the phrase "by December 1982" be added after the word "Plan" in the second Resolved clause.

Resolution No. 611-82                    Re: An Amendment to the Substitute  
Motion on Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein  
Attendance Areas

On motion of Mrs. Wallace seconded by Mrs. Peyser, the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, Mrs. Peyser, Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Zappone voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing abstaining (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative).

Resolved, That the phrase "including further feasibility studies for and development of magnet programs" be added after "by December 1982" in the second Resolved clause.

Re: An Amendment by Mrs. Wallace to the  
Substitute Motion on Eastern/Blair--

Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas  
(FAILED)

A motion by Mrs. Wallace that "Kennedy" be added after Northwood in the second Resolved clause failed with Mr. Claypoole, Mr. Ewing, and Mrs. Wallace voting in the affirmative; Mr. Barse, Dr. Greenblatt, and Mrs. Peyser voting in the negative; Mrs. Zappone abstaining (Mr. Hirsch abstaining):

Re: An Amendment to the Substitute  
Motion on Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein  
Attendance Areas

Mrs. Wallace moved the following which was seconded by Mr. Hirsch:  
Resolved, That the phrase "for the 1982-83 school year" be added  
after Sligo in the first Resolved clause,

Mrs. Peyser accepted this change editorially.

Re: An Amendment to the Substitute  
Motion on Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein  
Attendance Areas

Mr. Barse moved the following which was seconded by Mrs. Wallace:

Resolved, That the assignment of Forest Knolls and Four Corners be  
changed to Eastern rather than Sligo and make the effective date  
September 1983.

After discussion, Mr. Barse withdrew the motion.

Mrs. Zappone asked that the question be divided.

Re: First Resolved Clause of Mrs. Peyser's  
Substitute Motion on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas  
(FAILED)

The first Resolved clause of Mrs. Peyser's substitute motion that the seventh graders from Pine Crest will continue to attend Eastern in school year 1982-83 and that the seventh graders from Forest Knolls and Four Corners continue to attend Sligo for the 1982-83 school year failed with Mrs. Peyser and Mrs. Wallace voting in the affirmative; Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Mr. Ewing, and Mrs. Zappone voting in the negative; Dr. Greenblatt abstaining (Mr. Hirsch voting in the negative).

Resolution No. 612-82                      Re: Withdrawal of the Second Resolved  
Clause of the Substitute Motion on  
Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein Attendance  
Areas

On motion of Mrs. Peyser seconded by Mr. Barse, the following  
resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt,

Mrs. Peyser, Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Zappone voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing abstaining (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative):

Resolved, That the second Resolved clause of Mrs. Peyser's substitute motion be withdrawn.

Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

Dr. Greenblatt moved and Mrs. Peyser seconded that the first, second, and fifth Resolve clauses be deleted.

Mr. Ewing asked that the question be divided.

Resolution No. 613-82            Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

On motion of Dr. Greenblatt seconded by Mrs. Peyser, the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, and Mrs. Peyser voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing voting in the negative; Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Zappone abstaining (Mr. Hirsch abstaining):

Resolved, That the first Resolved clause of the superintendent's recommendation be deleted.

Resolution No. 614-82            Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

On motion of Dr. Greenblatt seconded by Mrs. Peyser, the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, and Mrs. Peyser voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing voting in the negative; Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Zappone abstaining (Mr. Hirsch abstaining):

Resolved, That the second Resolved clause of the superintendent's recommendation be deleted.

Resolution No. 615-82            Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

On motion of Dr. Greenblatt seconded by Mrs. Peyser, the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, Mrs. Peyser, Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Zappone voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing voting in the negative; (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative):

Resolved, That the fifth Resolved clause of the superintendent's recommendation be deleted.

Resolution No. 616-82            Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--

Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

On motion of Dr. Greenblatt seconded by Mrs. Peyser, the following resolution was adopted and added after the old sixth Resolved clause with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, Mrs. Peyser, Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Zappone voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing voting in the negative (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative):

Resolved, That the Board of Education direct the superintendent to develop a Long-Range Plan by December 1982, including further feasibility studies for and development of magnet programs, for the students currently attending Blair, Einstein, and Northwood and their feeder schools (Eastern and Sligo) that addresses the questions raised in the State Board reversal of the local Board's decision.

Resolution No. 617-82                    Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

On motion of Mr. Ewing seconded by Mr. Hirsch, the following resolution was adopted as the first Resolved clause with Mr. Barse Mr. Claypoole, Mr. Ewing, Dr. Greenblatt, and Mrs. Zappone voting in affirmative; Mrs. Peyser and Mrs. Wallace voting in the negative (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative):

Resolved, That the Eastern Intermediate School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Change the Eastern/Sligo Intermediate School boundaries so that all Pine Crest Elementary School students continue to attend Eastern Intermediate School, and all Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) Elementary School students attend Eastern Intermediate School, beginning with Grade 7 students in September 1982;

and be it further

Resolution No. 618-82                    Re: An Amendment on Eastern/Blair--  
Sligo/Einstein Attendance Areas

On motion of Mr. Ewing seconded by Mr. Hirsch, the following resolution was adopted as the new second Resolved clause with Mr. Barse Mr. Claypoole, Mr. Ewing, Dr. Greenblatt, and Mrs. Zappone voting in affirmative; Mrs. Peyser and Mrs. Wallace voting in the negative (Mr. Hirsch voting in the affirmative):

Resolved, That the Sligo Junior High School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Change the Sligo/Eastern Intermediate School boundaries so that all Pine Crest Elementary School students continue to attend Eastern Intermediate School, and all Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) Elementary School students attend Eastern Intermediate School, beginning with Grade 7 students in September 1982;

and be it further



actions with respect to the Eastern and Blair attendance areas; and

WHEREAS, Other local Board actions on July 13, 1982, asked the superintendent to establish a condensed schedule for decision-making regarding the attendance areas; and

WHEREAS, All phases of the condensed decision-making process have been completed except for local Board action; now therefore be it

Re: Eastern/Blair--Sligo/Einstein  
Attendance Areas

WHEREAS, State Board of Education decisions on June 30, 1982, reversed local Board of Education actions affecting Eastern and Blair attendance areas; and

WHEREAS, The local Board actions on July 13, 1982, called for interim actions with respect to the Eastern and Blair attendance areas; and

WHEREAS, Other local Board actions on July 13, 1982, asked the superintendent to establish a condensed schedule for decision-making regarding the attendance areas; and

WHEREAS, All phases of the condensed decision-making process have been completed except for local Board action; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Eastern Intermediate School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Change the Eastern/Sligo Intermediate School boundaries so that all Pine Crest Elementary School students continue to attend Eastern Intermediate School, and all Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) Elementary School students attend Eastern Intermediate School, beginning with Grade 7 students in September 1982;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Sligo Junior High School attendance area after July 28, 1982, consists of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Change the Sligo/Eastern Intermediate School boundaries so that all Pine Crest Elementary School students continue to attend Eastern Intermediate School, and all Forest Knolls (including Four Corners) Elementary School students attend Eastern Intermediate School, beginning with Grade 7 students in September 1982;

and be it further

Resolved, That these decisions are adopted as interim measures, subject to further review by the Board, and shall continue in effect unless or until modified and/or supplemental Board action; and when

the Board's appeal of the State Board of Education's decision has been resolved, the attendance area decisions made in this interim period for Blair High School and Eastern Intermediate School should be reviewed by the staff, Board, and community; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Education direct the superintendent to develop a Long-Range Plan by December 1982, including further feasibility studies for and development of magnet programs, for students currently attending Blair, Einstein, and Northwood and their feeder intermediate schools (Eastern and Sligo) that addresses the questions raised in the State Board's reversal of the local Board's decision; and be it further

Resolved, That to the extent these actions may be inconsistent with any prior actions of the Board, these actions control; and be it further

Resolved, That the state superintendent of schools, State Board of Education, State Interagency Committee for Public School Construction, the Montgomery County Council and the county executive be made aware of these actions.

Re: Bethesda-Chevy Chase Area  
Elementary Schools

On recommendation of the superintendent Mr. Ewing moved approval of the following which was seconded by Mr. Hirsch:

WHEREAS, State Board of Education decisions on June 30, 1982, reversed local Board of Education actions affecting Rosemary Hills Primary School; and

WHEREAS, There is an immediate need to close an elementary school(s) in the Bethesda-Chevy Chase cluster because of school underutilization, existing budgetary constraints, and to maintain effective educational programs; and

WHEREAS, Local Board actions on July 13, 1982, called for interim actions relating to the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster elementary schools; and

WHEREAS, Other local Board actions on July 13, 1982, asked the superintendent to establish a condensed time schedule for decision making regarding the cluster schools; and

WHEREAS, All phases of the condensed decision-making process have been completed except for local Board action; now therefore be it

Resolved, That Resolution 988-81 closing Rosemary Hills Elementary School, adopted by the Montgomery County Board of Education on November 19, 1981, be rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That the 1981-82 organizational pattern of Rosemary Hills

Elementary School serving Grades K-2, and Chevy Chase Elementary School serving Grades 3-6, shall be continued as interim actions; and be it further

Resolved, That Rollingwood Elementary School be closed immediately, and the building and site be retained pending further action by the Board after its appeal of the State Board decision has been resolved; and be it further

Resolved, That the attendance area of Rollingwood Elementary School shall be consolidated with the attendance area of Chevy Chase Elementary School and the current Rollingwood students assigned as follows:

- o Send all Grade 3-6 students to Chevy Chase Elementary School
- o Send all Grade K-2 students to Rosemary Hills Elementary School;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Bethesda Elementary School attendance area after July 28, 1982, shall consist of the attendance area adopted by the Board in November 1981, with the following modification:

- o Receive from the Rosemary Hills Elementary School area only Grades 3-6 students living in the Paddington Square Apartments; the option for those attending Parkwood Elementary in 1981-82 to continue there is maintained;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Chevy Chase Elementary School attendance area after July 28, 1982, shall consist of the area adopted by the Board in November 1981 with the following modification:

- o Chevy Chase Elementary will serve students only in Grades 3-6; students in Grades K-2 from the school attendance area will attend Rosemary Hills Elementary
- o Receive all Grade 3-6 students from Rollingwood Elementary School;

and be it further

Resolved, That the North Chevy Chase Elementary School attendance area after July 28, 1982, shall consist of the area adopted by the Board in November 1981 with the following modification:

- o Receive Grades 3-6 students from all of the former Larchmont Elementary School area; the option for those attending Parkwood in 1981-82 to continue there is maintained;

and be it further

Resolved, That the Rosemary Hills Elementary School attendance area after July 28, 1982 shall consist of the attendance area served during the 1981-82 school year with the following modifications:

- o Receive all Grade K-2 students from Rollingwood Elementary School
- o Send to North Chevy Chase Elementary School all Grades K-6 students living in the Summit Hills Apartments on East-West Highway (as determined by the Board on November 19, 1981, Grades 3-6 students from this area were assigned to North Chevy Chase);

and be it further

Resolved, That all students residing in the area served by the Bethesda-Chevy Chase area elementary schools for whom transfers were approved on or before June 30, 1982, may attend the schools to which they have been transferred; and be it further

Resolved, That the following resolutions adopted by the Montgomery County Board of Education on November 19, 1981, and January 12, 1982, are rescinded in whole or in part, to the extent that they are not in agreement with the above actions:

- 989-81 First, second, fourth, and fifth bullets (student assignments from the Rosemary Hills area to Bethesda, Chevy Chase, and Rollingwood)
- 990-81 (student assignment from the Larchmont area east of Connecticut Avenue)
- 992-81 (transportation between North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood)
- 993-81 Second resolve, third bullet (transportation between North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood)
- 995-81 (transfers with transportation for Rosemary Hills area students to and from Bethesda, Chevy Chase, North Chevy Chase, and Rollingwood)
- 996-81 (convey Rosemary Hills building and site)
- 997-81 (inform other agencies about the Rosemary Hills closing)
- 998-81 First and second bullets (reestablish Grades K-6 at Chevy Chase and receive K-6 students from Summit Hills/16th Street Apartments)
- 1000-81 Second bullet (K-6 Paddington Square students from Parkwood to Bethesda)
- 1001-81 Second and third bullets (assign Larchmont area students and provide transportation between North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood)
- 1001-81 (attendance area for Rollingwood; transfers between Rollingwood and North Chevy Chase)
- 42-82 (different educational programs at North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood)
- 46-82 Fifth and sixth bullets (different programs at North

Chevy Chase and Rollingwood; monitor transfer activity  
at North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood);

and be it further

Resolved, That these decisions are adopted as interim measures,  
subject to further review by the Board, and shall continue in effect  
unless or until modified and/or supplemented by subsequent Board  
action; and when the Board's appeal of the State Board of Education's  
decision has been resolved, decisions made in this interim period for  
the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster elementary schools should be  
reviewed by staff, Board, and community; and be it further

Resolved, That to the extent these actions may be inconsistent with  
any prior actions of the Board, these actions control; and be it  
further

Resolved, That the State Board of Education, the state superintendent  
of schools, State Interagency Committee for Public School  
Construction, the Montgomery County Council and the county executive  
be made aware of these actions.

Re: A Substitute Motion by Mrs. Wallace  
on Bethesda-Chevy Chase Area  
Elementary Schools (FAILED)

A substitute motion by Mrs. Wallace that the Rosemary Hills Primary  
and Rollingwood Elementary schools will remain open that the Board of  
Education will request emergency/supplemental funds from the County  
Council for the operation of an additional school failed for lack of  
a second.

Re: A Substitute Motion on  
Bethesda-Chevy Chase Area  
Elementary Schools

Mr. Barse moved the following which was seconded by Mrs. Peyser:

WHEREAS, State Board of Education decisions on June 30, 1982,  
reversed local Board of Education actions affecting Rosemary Hills  
Primary School; and

WHEREAS, There is an immediate need to close an elementary school(s)  
in the Bethesda-Chevy Chase cluster because of school  
underutilization, existing budgetary constraints, and to maintain  
effective educational programs; and

WHEREAS, Local Board actions on July 13, 1982, called for interim  
actions relating to the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster elementary  
schools; and

WHEREAS, Other local Board actions on July 13, 1982, asked the

superintendent to establish a condensed time schedule for decision-making regarding the cluster schools; and

WHEREAS, All phases of the condensed decision-making process have been completed except for local Board action; and

WHEREAS, The Montgomery County Board of Education intends to and will respond to the decision of the State Board of Education of June 30, 1982, concerning Bethesda-Chevy Chase elementary schools, including Rosemary Hills, by adopting an interim plan of elementary school assignments in 1982-1983, while the Montgomery County Board's appeal of the State Board's decision is taking place; and

WHEREAS, The Board has the authority to make school closures and consolidations on an emergency basis under state bylaw and under the Board's educational facilities plan as amended, in accord with the detailed provision of the bylaw and the plan; and

WHEREAS, The Board determines that adopting an interim, revised cluster plan for B-CC feeder elementary schools involving several schools in addition to Rosemary Hills is an appropriate response to the State Board's decision of June 30, 1982; and

WHEREAS, The Board intends that this interim cluster plan shall be in compliance with the State Board's decision, pending appeal; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Rosemary Hills and Chevy Chase elementary schools shall operate as K-6 schools beginning in September, 1982; and be it further

Resolved, That the North Chevy Chase Elementary School shall be closed as of July 28, 1982, and the building and site retained pending further action by the Board after its appeal of the State Board decision has been resolved; and be it further

Resolved, That the North Chevy Chase magnet, K-6 instructional program shall be transferred to the Rosemary Hills Elementary School building, recognizing that the superintendent has the discretion to make those modifications to the instructional program which he deems necessary to adapt to the new school location and to other new circumstances which he may identify; and be it further

Resolved, That student transfers into the above program at Rosemary Hills from outside that school's service area shall be solicited as widely as possible; and be it further

Resolved, That the Rollingwood Elementary School shall be closed as of July 28, 1982, and the building and site retained pending further action by the Board after its appeal of the State Board decision has been resolved; and be it further

Resolved, That student assignments (all K-6, except Head Start) as a result of the above actions shall be as follows:

- o assign all Head Start children to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from the Rosemary Hills single family dwellings and Summit Hills apartments (East-West) to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from North Chevy Chase and from the former Larchmont area to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from the Summit Hills apartments (16th Street) and from the Rosemary Village apartments to Chevy Chase
- o assign all students from Chevy Chase and Rollingwood to Chevy Chase
- o continue assignment of all students from Paddington Square apartments and from Lynnbrook to Bethesda

and be it further

Resolved, That transfers granted prior to June 30, 1982, to and from any of the above schools shall be honored at the option of the parent or guardian including transfers to or from North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood, which now are interpreted as transfers to or from Rosemary Hills and Chevy Chase, respectively; and be it further

Resolved, That transfer applications to and from any of the above cluster schools will be received through September 3, 1982; and be it further

Resolved, That the superintendent is directed to identify an alternative educational use for the North Chevy Chase building and site; and be it further

Resolved, That these decisions are adopted as interim measures, subject to further review by the Board, and shall continue in effect unless or until modified and/or supplemented by subsequent Board action; and when the Board's appeal of the State Board of Education's decision has been resolved, decisions made in this interim period for the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster elementary schools should be reviewed by staff, Board, and community, and be it further

Resolved, That to the extent these actions may be inconsistent with any prior actions of the Board, these actions control; and be it further

Resolved, That the State Board of Education, the state superintendent of schools, State Interagency Committee for Public School Construction, the Montgomery County Council and the county executive be made aware of these actions.

Resolution No. 623-82

Re: An Amendment to Mr. Barse's  
Substitute Motion

On motion of Mrs. Wallace seconded by Mr. Barse, the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt,



Resolution No. 626-82

Re: Bethesda-Chevy Chase Area  
Elementary Schools

On motion of Mr. Barse seconded by Mrs. Peyser the following resolution was adopted with Mr. Barse, Mr. Claypoole, Dr. Greenblatt, Mrs. Peyser, Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Zappone voting in the affirmative; Mr. Ewing voting in the negative (Mr. Hirsch abstaining):

WHEREAS, State Board of Education decisions on June 30, 1982, reversed local Board of Education actions affecting Rosemary Hills Primary School; and

WHEREAS, There is an immediate need to close an elementary school(s) in the Bethesda-Chevy Chase cluster because of school underutilization, existing budgetary constraints, and to maintain effective educational programs; and

WHEREAS, Local Board actions on July 13, 1982, called for interim actions relating to the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster elementary schools; and

WHEREAS, Other local Board actions on July 13, 1982, asked the superintendent to establish a condensed time schedule for decision-making regarding the cluster schools; and

WHEREAS, All phases of the condensed decision-making process have been completed except for local Board action; and

WHEREAS, The Montgomery County Board of Education intends to and will respond to the decision of the State Board of Education of June 30, 1982, concerning Bethesda-Chevy Chase elementary schools, including Rosemary Hills, by adopting an interim plan of elementary school assignments in 1982-1983, while the Montgomery County Board's appeal of the State Board's decision is taking place; and

WHEREAS, The Board has the authority to make school closures and consolidations on an emergency basis under state bylaw and under the Board's educational facilities plan as amended, in accord with the detailed provision of the bylaw and the plan; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Education policy states, as a policy principle, that elementary schools should be structured according to the K-6 grade organization pattern; and

WHEREAS, The Board determines that adopting an interim, revised cluster plan for B-CC feeder elementary schools involving several schools in addition to Rosemary Hills is an appropriate response to the State Board's decision of June 30, 1982; and

WHEREAS, The Board intends that this interim cluster plan shall be in compliance with the State Board's decision, pending appeal; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Rosemary Hills School shall operate as a Head Start-6 school and Chevy Chase Elementary School shall operate as K-6 school beginning in September, 1982; and be it further

Resolved, That the North Chevy Chase Elementary School shall be closed as of July 28, 1982, and the building and site retained pending further action by the Board after its appeal of the State Board decision has been resolved; and be it further

Resolved, That the North Chevy Chase magnet, K-6 instructional program shall be transferred to the Rosemary Hills Elementary School building, recognizing that the superintendent has the discretion to make those modifications to the instructional program which he deems necessary to adapt to the new school location and to other new circumstances which he may identify; and be it further

Resolved, That student transfers into the above program at Rosemary Hills from outside that school's service area shall be permitted, as feasible, consistent with the Quality Education/Racial Balance Policy; and be it further

Resolved, That the Rollingwood Elementary School shall be closed as of July 28, 1982, and the building and site retained pending further action by the Board after its appeal of the State Board decision has been resolved; and be it further

Resolved, That student assignments (all K-6, except Head Start) as a result of the above actions shall be as follows:

- o assign all Head Start children to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from the Rosemary Hills single family dwellings and Summit Hills apartments (East-West) to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from the Rosemary Village apartments to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from North Chevy Chase and from the former Larchmont area to Rosemary Hills
- o assign all students from the Summit Hills apartments (16th Street) to Chevy Chase
- o assign all students from Chevy Chase and Rollingwood to Chevy Chase
- o continue assignment of all students from Paddington Square apartments and from Lynnbrook to Bethesda

and be it further

Resolved, That transfers granted prior to June 30, 1982, to and from any of the above schools shall be honored at the option of the parent or guardian including transfers to or from North Chevy Chase and Rollingwood, which now are interpreted as transfers to or from Rosemary Hills and Chevy Chase, respectively; and be it further

Resolved, That the superintendent is directed to identify an alternative educational use for the North Chevy Chase building and site; and be it further

Resolved, That these decisions are adopted as interim measures, subject to further review by the Board, and shall continue in effect unless or until modified and/or supplemented by subsequent Board action; and when the Board's appeal of the State Board of Education's decision has been resolved, decisions made in this interim period for the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster elementary schools should be reviewed by staff, Board, and community, and be it further

Resolved, That to the extent these actions may be inconsistent with any prior actions of the Board, these actions control; and be it further

Resolved, That the State Board of Education, the state superintendent of schools, State Interagency Committee for Public School Construction, the Montgomery County Council and the county executive be made aware of these actions.

Re: Adjournment

The president adjourned the meeting at 1:21 a.m.

President

Secretary

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