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Subject: Roundabout Recommendations

Good morning Gloria,

As co-chairs of the School Council at Beynon Fields PS we are writing, on behalf of the school and surrounding community, to express to Council our support for the proposed roundabout improvements and crossing guard.

We are particularly pleased that a multi-faceted approach is being recommended. Slowing down traffic approaching and exiting the roundabouts, improving visibility for both drivers and pedestrians, and putting the onus on vehicles to yield to pedestrians through clear signage, markings, and a crossing guard is very much in line with what the community has been asking for.

These changes will make it safer for our school-children to walk independently to and from school as well as the community at large, encouraging safer navigation for all pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles to get to the many parks, schools, businesses and homes our beautiful community has to offer.

Thanks to all those involved for their hard work and consideration. We are excited about these changes and eagerly await the news of a positive outcome!

Sincerely,

Kim Short & Lisa Orchanian

School Council Co-chairs

Beynon Fields PS