

Bruce Grey Catholic District School Board Attention:
Director of Education: Jamie McKinnon Board of Trustees
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RE: Update from BGCDSB on the Daycare Expansion

On behalf of The Municipality of Brockton Council we are requesting an update from Bruce Grey Catholic District School Board regarding the status of the expansion for two rooms, creating 39 additional spaces at the Brockton Child Care Centre located at St. Teresa of Calcutta Catholic School.

The Municipality is pleased to partner with the BGCDSB and the County of Bruce on this project and have been planning and anticipating the start of the expansion project.

It was the Municipalities understanding that the project was to start in September 2019. We have been recruiting ECE qualified staff and basing staff compliment on the need for additional staff to meet the ratios required for the two new classrooms. A delay in this project will now affect our employees and their families and we have received no formal communications regarding a delay in this project. Further, with the extensive waiting list of over 100 families at the Brockton Child Care Centre the need to accommodate area families at this centre is dire. This delay will affect families across Bruce and Grey County.

The Municipality would appreciate an official update on this expansion project, including a proposed timeline. This will enable us to plan accordingly for the operations at the Brockton Child Care Centre. We appreciate your continued support and our ongoing relationship in relation to the Brockton Child Care Centre.



Sincerely,

Chris Peabody, Mayor

Sonya Watson, CAO

c.c. MPP Lisa Thompson