

**COMMENTS FROM CEM AT ATHENS DRIVE HIGH ON MONDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 26, 2005**

Generally, the notes are written as parents wrote them. Some information that might identify a child's unique situation was not included in this report:

- I'd like to encourage you to keep the distribution of Middle Creek High School as a combo suburban/rural/urban. There are many new subdivisions arising around the school – please let these students attend Middle Creek and make appropriate southern-oriented reassignments to Holly Springs High
- I plan to vote no on the November 6 2006 bond issue. I do not have any other way to voice my objections to the current assignment policies that have very negatively impacted my family. Wake County needs to adopt a system of parental choice.

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PARENT INPUT

- Wants Underwood's magnet transportation pattern adjusted to include their node
- Live in Cary; two schools in my area have shrunk – Lufkin Road Middle and Oak Grove Elementary; confused about why WCPSS would take away seats in this area
- Really appreciates these meetings; you're doing a good job. The slide showing new schools by decades is telling – we're always behind. Favors half-day kindergarten; school system's primary goal is to educate, not provide day care; likes the cluster arrangement; keep communities together; high school schedules do not match YR
- Have children in two different high schools; consider families when making high school assignments
- Make sure public understands if school converts to YR – immunity from reassignment, guaranteed sibling entry, keep other schools in the area healthy
- Has concerns with clusters being able to address three previous issues
- A lot about elementary and high school construction; middle school construction concerns
- Concerned about splitting siblings in high school reassignment