

PREAMBLE

MOTION #06-77

Whereas the particular demography of Northwest School Division 203 lends itself to the provision of two service centers

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That we confirm the previous understandings designating said service centers in Meadow Lake and Maidstone.

MOTION #06-78

Whereas the former Meadow Lake School Division office

- i) has at least minimally adequate space
- ii) services about 40 percent of the students, staff and electors within ten minutes travel to the office
- iii) is in a community with a wide variety of services
- iv) can be retrofitted for under \$20,000

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That we confirm the designation of the Meadow Lake site as the Northwest School Division 203 Head Office for business and educational services effective June 1, 2006.

MOTION #06-79

Whereas

- i) there has been a serious downturn in the grains sector of agriculture
- ii) there is a possible student reduction in Fall 2006 of about 100 students
- iii) there has been a reduction and possible mill closure in Meadow Lake
- iv) there continues to be leveling expenses from the amalgamation
- v) the former Battle River office is small but in reasonably good shape
- vi) the sale of the above property is presently expected to yield less than one-third of the replacement office cost in Maidstone

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That fiscal restraint be exercised and the former Battle River office be designated as the temporary service center effective June 1, 2006 7.

MOTION #06-80

Whereas at this time

- i) the Board does not have adequate resources to construct the second service center
- ii) that other adequate facility options are presently unavailable in Maidstone

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That a reserve of _____ per year be set aside for the future development of Northwest School Division's second service center in Maidstone.