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To: Board of Representatives
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Subject: Springdale school overcrowded

Broad Of Finance,

I have been living in Stamford for many years as a tax payer. I have 2 children, my son attended Westover school over 4 yrs ago and my daughter is currently attending Springdale and she is a 1st grader.

My husband and I are considering put our house up on the market and move to Fairfield due to Springdale school being overcrowded. Our taxes keep increasing but no approved plan for another school. How are students going to learn with 24 students in one class and 1 teacher. I'm sure kids are slipping through the Stamford school system. I believe the overcrowding in our school is due to the developments in the South End, estimating around 1,400 apartments (Lockworks, Infinity, 101 Park Place, Loft, 111 Harbor Point and Postmarks). We are in need for another school in our community, we would love to stay in Stamford but if the school situation doesn't get resolved soon, we will need to move forward with our plans.

I am hopeful that the board of finance will look out for the best interest in our children since they are the future of our community.

Please help!

Best,

Beatriz Vargas