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To whom it may concern:

Hello. As a parent of three public school students, I strongly oppose SB 738, SB 457, and SB 874 and any other bill that opens the door to forced regionalization of Connecticut Public Schools. We have lived in New Canaan for over 21 years. We moved to New Canaan for many reasons, including the wonderful public school system. My father, mother and sister were all public school teachers in Connecticut. Together, my family taught for over 41 years in Fairfield County, so I know what it takes to run and maintain excellent schools. None of the proposed bills even mention school quality. There also has been plenty of evidence that there ultimately will not be savings by regionalization.

I hope you will oppose SB 738, SB 457, SB 874, and any other legislation that opens the door to forced regionalization of Connecticut public schools.

Thank you for your time.

Regards.

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