

Hello,

My name is Rachel Pass and I am a sophomore at Canton High School. I am writing to you in light of the news of the proposed bills SB 738 and SB 457. As a student of Canton High School, I can tell you one thing, Canton values community. I have talked to my fellow students about this and we fear the dramatic increase in the student body will deteriorate our sense of community in the school. Having a small town school is something which my peers and I love. We love knowing everyone and all of our teachers, we value being a part of a family-like community. Making this change is more trouble than it is worth. I cannot vote, as I am merely 15, but I need to know my voice is heard despite that. Please know, before the Connecticut government makes any decisions, that it is the students that matter. We are the ones who are possibly going through this huge change, but we are the ones who will not be heard. I am speaking for all my peers when I say this will be destructive.

Thank you for your time,

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