

From: Ema Whittaker

Town: Wilton

Re: SB 738, SB 457, SB 875

I am submitting this written testimony to strongly oppose the above referenced proposals for forced school regionalization. Our schools are the cornerstones of our communities and should be managed locally by our towns.

If enacted, these proposals will move decision making far away from the communities where our children go to school and create an inefficient and less accountable bureaucracy. We have some of the best schools in the USA in Wilton that are a product of years of community support and careful investment - we must not jeopardize all this with a centralized, lower quality, higher cost system.

Best regards,

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