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Dear Committee Members,

I oppose any and all bills that force regionalization such as SB 738 and SB 874.

We moved to Wilton for the school system. My son ended up needing services and was a 504. He never would have received these services in a district like Norwalk.

In Wilton, we have incorporated more play into the curriculum with multiple recesses. In Norwalk, they had to add 30 minutes of instructional time to elementary schools and the students only get 20 minutes of recess.

To force us to regionalize with Norwalk would dramatically and negatively affect the education we fight so hard for in Wilton.

I vehemently oppose any bill that for regionalizing districts.

Thank you,
Kate Baldwin