

Good morning,

As a parent of 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've been living in CT for 6 years, we love this area. The most important reason we moved here was because of the good school districts. My husband and Many of my friends' husband commute every day to New York city. It's quite stressful. But it all worth it because they know that our kids are in great schools. To us, education is the most important reason for choosing where to live.

Our government is doing its best , but the consequence of changing school districts is devastating . Passing SB 738, SB 457, and SB 874 May have some short term benefits , it will eventually destroy the good schools districts of CT, the primary advantage of living here will disappear. Bigger school districts doesn't solve the problem, it will only deter family from moving here .

A lot of families are already considering moving, more and more will move out of the state. It's extremely upset to see this. I love our neighborhood, beautiful and quiet town

with great schools . It's sad to see where this is heading to.

We 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.

Sincerely,

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