#### **BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

# February 12, 2019

#### SUBJECT:

Attendance Zone for Graniteville Elementary

## **BACKGROUND:**

According to Policy JCA Assignment of Students to Schools, "The district will assign students to attend the schools that serve their legal places of residence as determined by the board of trustees for the current school year." At its January 22, 2019 meeting, the board made adjustments in attendance lines.

### ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

The administration considered the number and demographic makeup of the students residing in the proposed Graniteville Elementary zone. With residential growth north of Byrd Elementary along Bettis Academy Road expected to continue to impact the Byrd population, administration recommends that students in the area depicted on the proposed zone map be assigned to Graniteville Elementary.

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

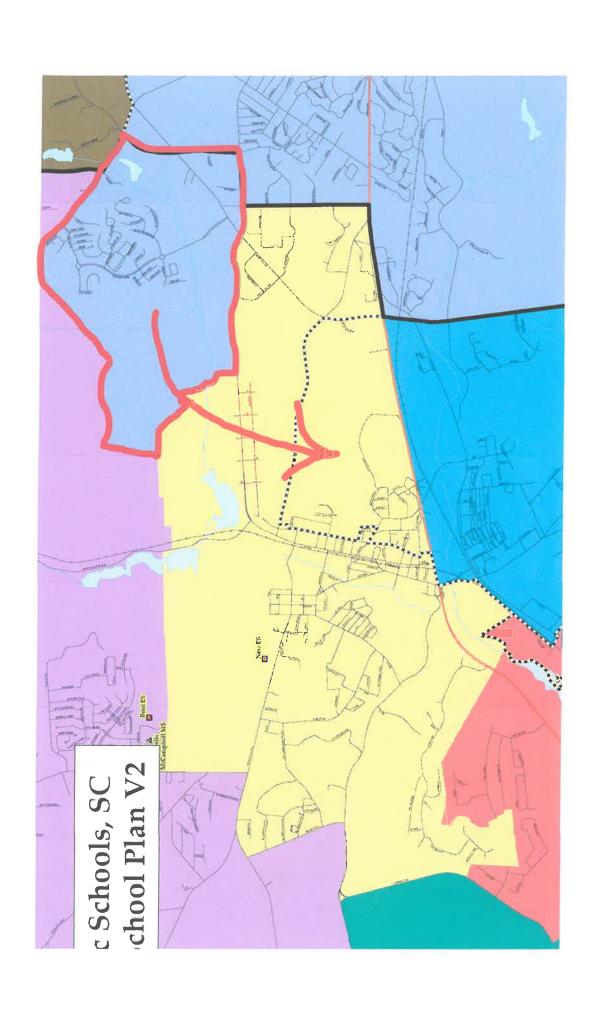
Approve the recommended attendance zone for Graniteville Elementary

### **ATTACHMENT:**

Map of the proposed attendance zone for Graniteville Elementary Projected Poverty Data for Area 3 Elementary Schools

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# **Preliminary Poverty Projections for 2019-20**

Schools	Projected*
Graniteville Elementary	65%
Clearwater Elementary	58%
Gloverville Elementary	53%
Warrenville Elementary	46%
Jefferson Elementary	42%
Byrd Elementary	25%

<sup>\*</sup>Direct Certification – Actual percentage of students who qualify for SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program), TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families), or Medicaid. Historically, we have included free/reduced lunch applications in determining poverty. Community eligibility eliminates the need for free/reduced lunch applications at all schools.