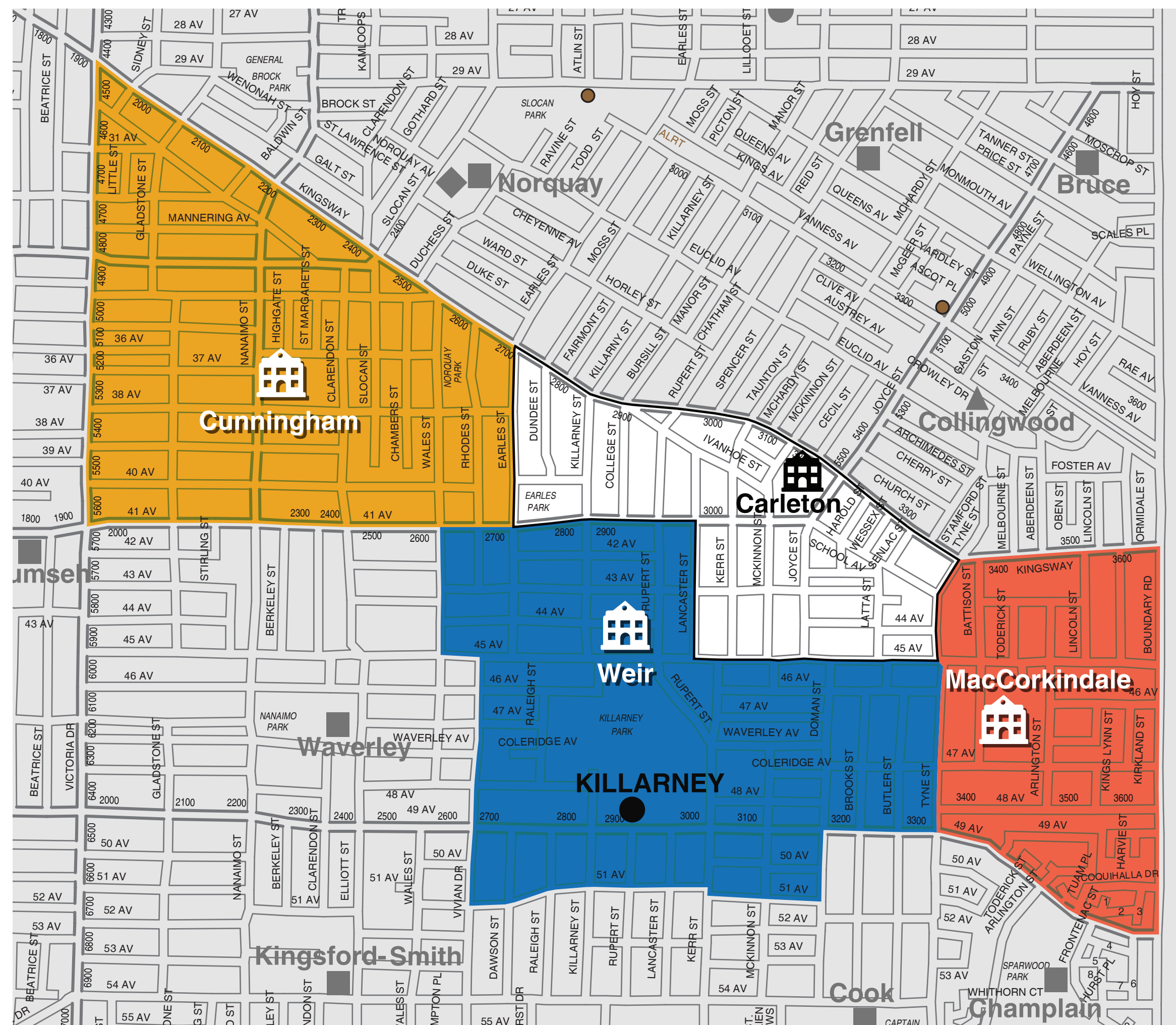


# PROPOSED CATCHMENT BOUNDARY CHANGES

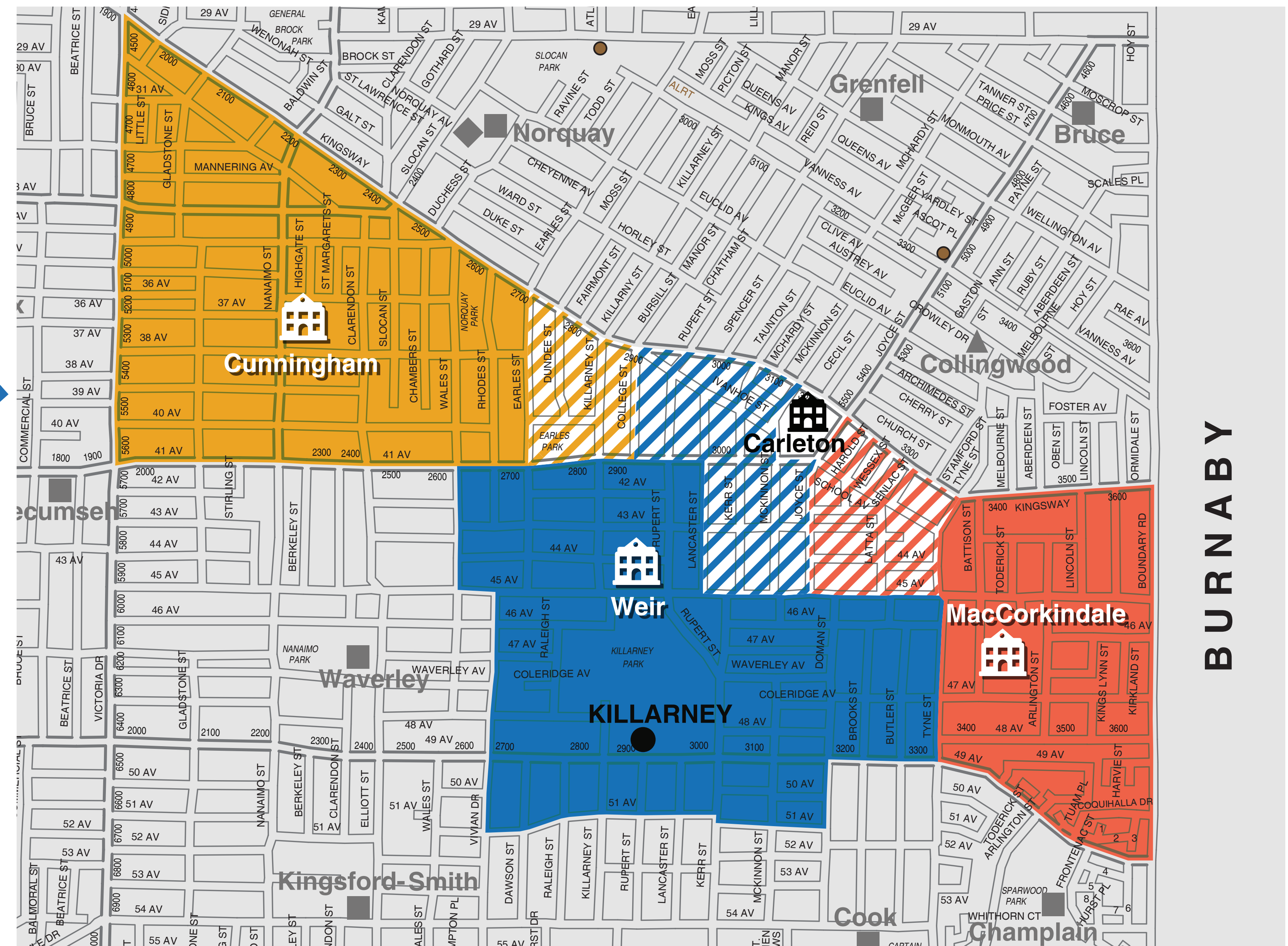
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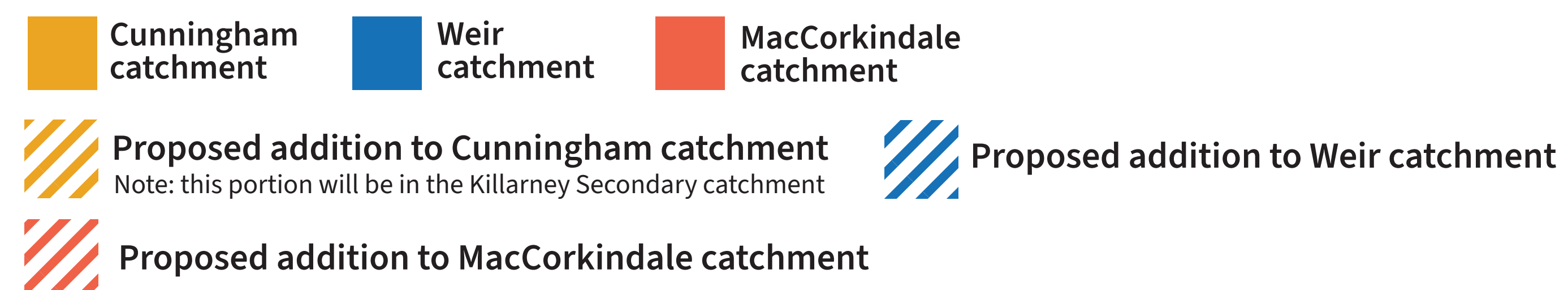
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## Proposed new catchment boundaries



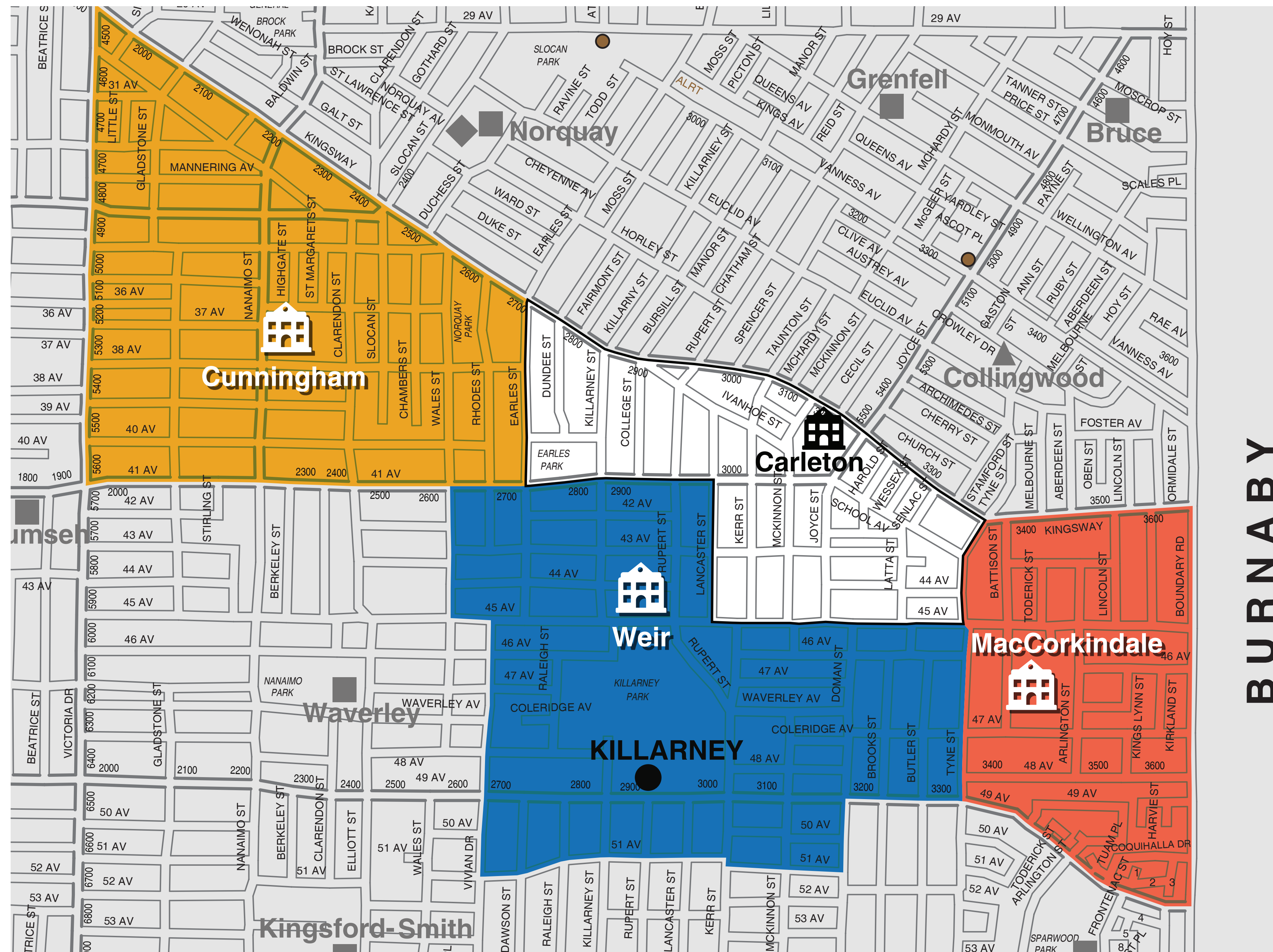
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# 2

## Proposed Catchment Boundary Changes **BACKGROUND**



Current catchment boundaries

### Background

On Friday August 19, 2016 an after-hours fire damaged Carleton Elementary. No one was hurt during the fire, however, the building is no longer safe to be occupied by students and staff.

In response to the fire, students were offered spots at Cunningham Elementary.

### Current enrolment process

Because students living in the Carleton catchment are currently offered a spot at Cunningham Elementary, Carleton catchment families who wish to send their children to other nearby schools must take an extra step and apply to their school of choice through a cross-boundary application.



# 3

## Proposed Catchment Boundary Changes

### **RATIONALE**

**The proposed catchment adjustments align with established enrolment patterns from the impacted school communities since 2016.**

**The proposed changes:**

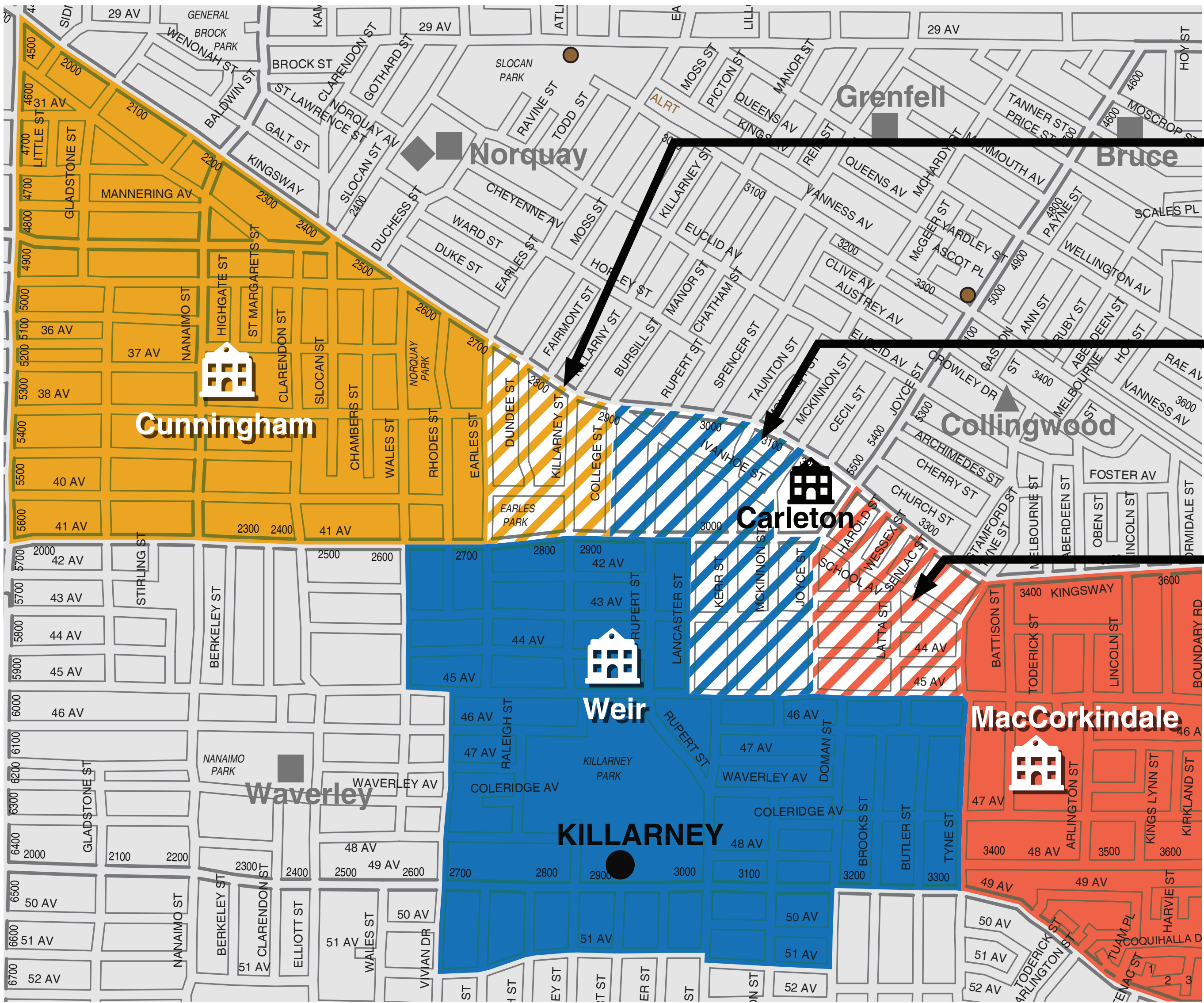
Prioritize **convenience** and **choice** for Carleton catchment families by enabling them to easily apply to nearby catchment schools.

Optimize use of a **new, seismically safe** elementary school at Weir Elementary. The new school has sufficient capacity to accommodate the additional enrolment anticipated from this boundary adjustment.

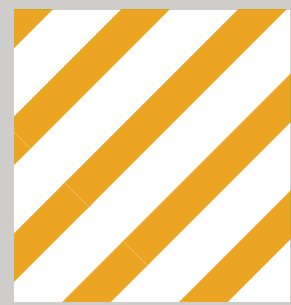


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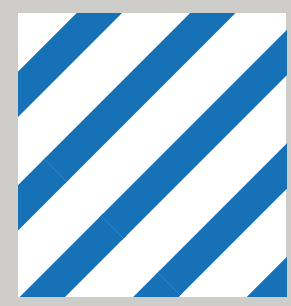
## CURRENT CARLETON ENROLMENT PATTERNS



### CURRENT CARLETON CATCHMENT STUDENTS



23 of 29 students attend Cunningham.  
6 of 29 students attend Weir.  
0 of 29 students attend MacCorkindale.



29 of 63 students attend Cunningham.  
28 of 63 students attend Weir.  
6 of 63 students attend MacCorkindale.



7 of 39 students attend Cunningham.  
10 of 39 students attend Weir.  
22 of 39 students attend MacCorkindale.

While Cunningham has been the catchment area for Carleton students since 2016, many families choose to send their their children to either Weir or MacCorkindale.

The proposed catchment changes align with established enrolment patterns and family choice by those living in impacted school communities since 2016.

### Proposed New Catchment Boundaries

#### LEGEND

Cunningham catchment

Weir catchment

MacCorkindale catchment

Proposed addition to Cunningham catchment  
Note: this portion will be in the Killarney Secondary catchment

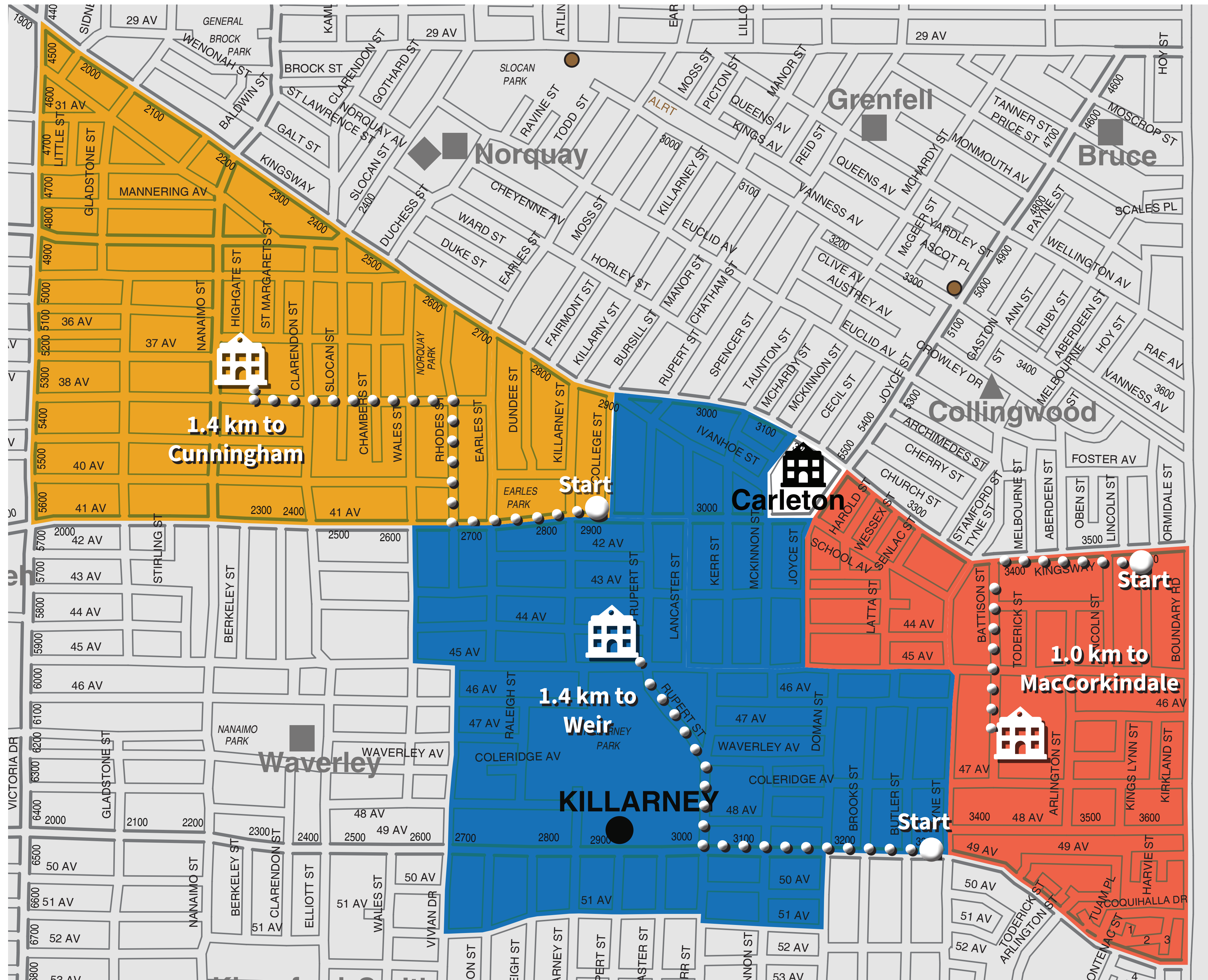
Proposed addition to Weir catchment

Proposed addition to MacCorkindale catchment



# 5

## Proposed Catchment Boundary Changes **SAFE TRAVEL TO SCHOOL**



**Maximum walking distance  
of proposed new catchment  
boundaries**

Cunningham Elementary: **1.4 km**

Weir Elementary: **1.4 km**

MacCorkindale Elementary: **1.0 km**



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Proposed Catchment Boundary Changes

**IF APPROVED**

## If proposed boundary changes are approved . . .

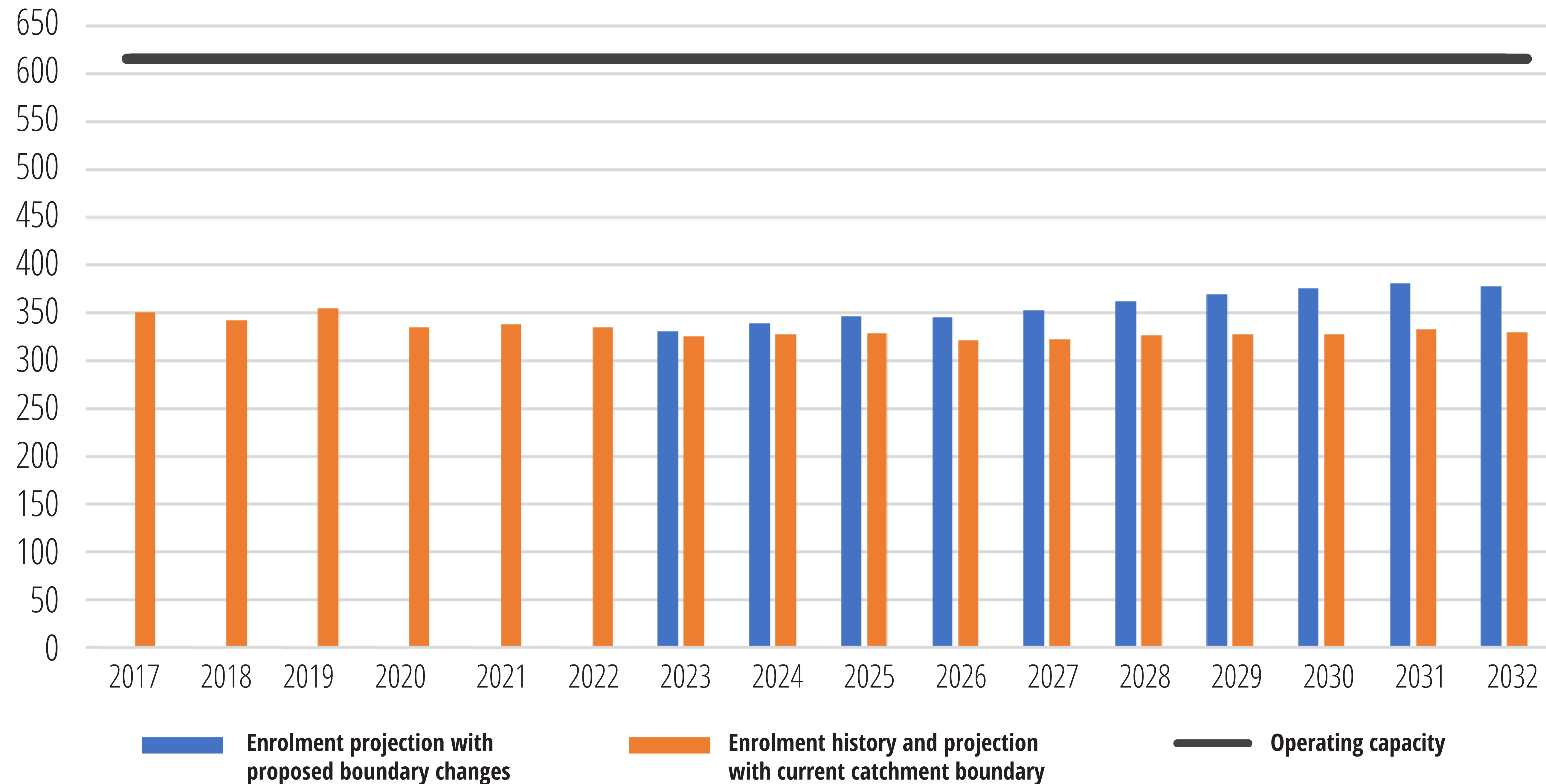
No student will be required to change schools.

As per **Administrative Procedure 305 School Catchment Boundaries**, kindergarten students applying to enrol at Cunningham for September 2023 will have sibling priority regardless of where they reside in the existing Carleton catchment.

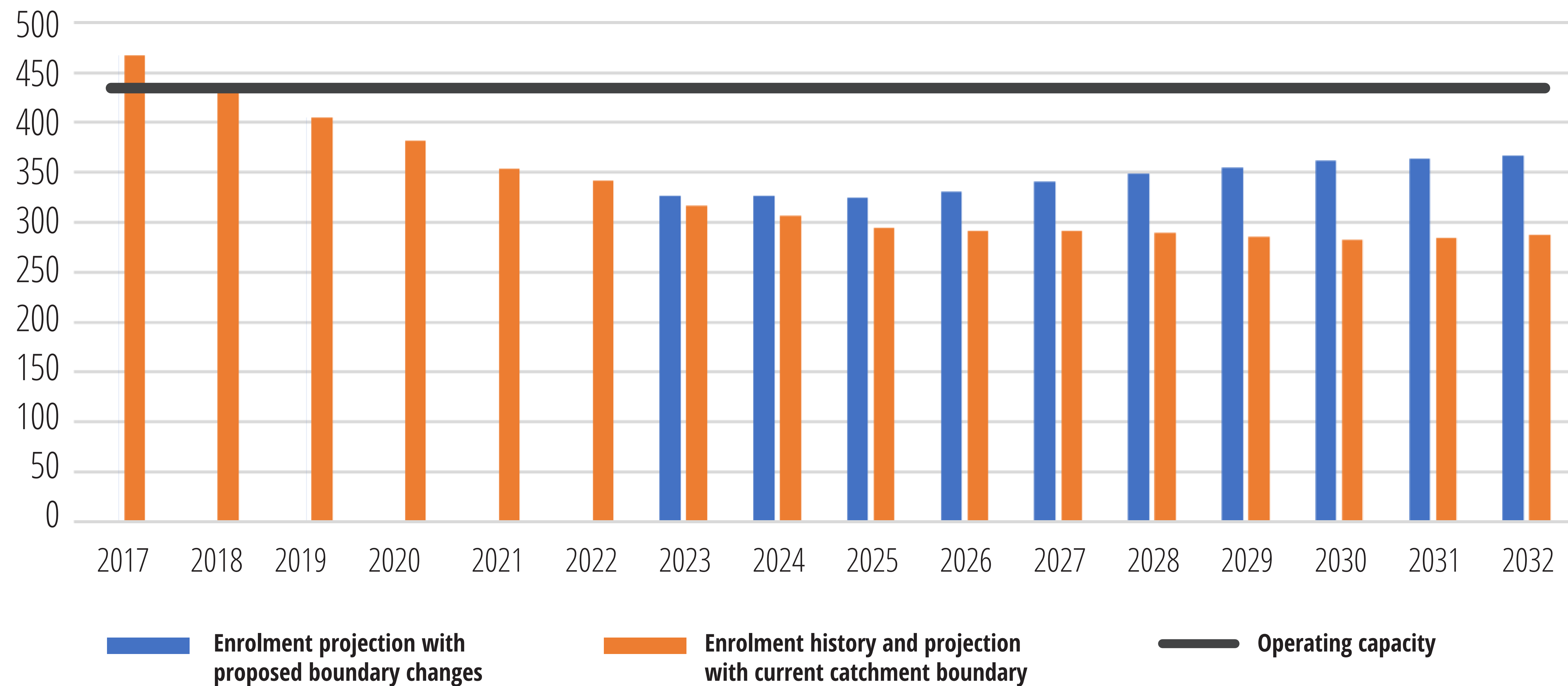
Families from the existing Carleton catchment registering their child for kindergarten will be contacted individually about their enrolment options.

## Proposed Catchment Boundary Changes IMPACT ON ENROLMENT

### Cunningham enrolment history and forecast

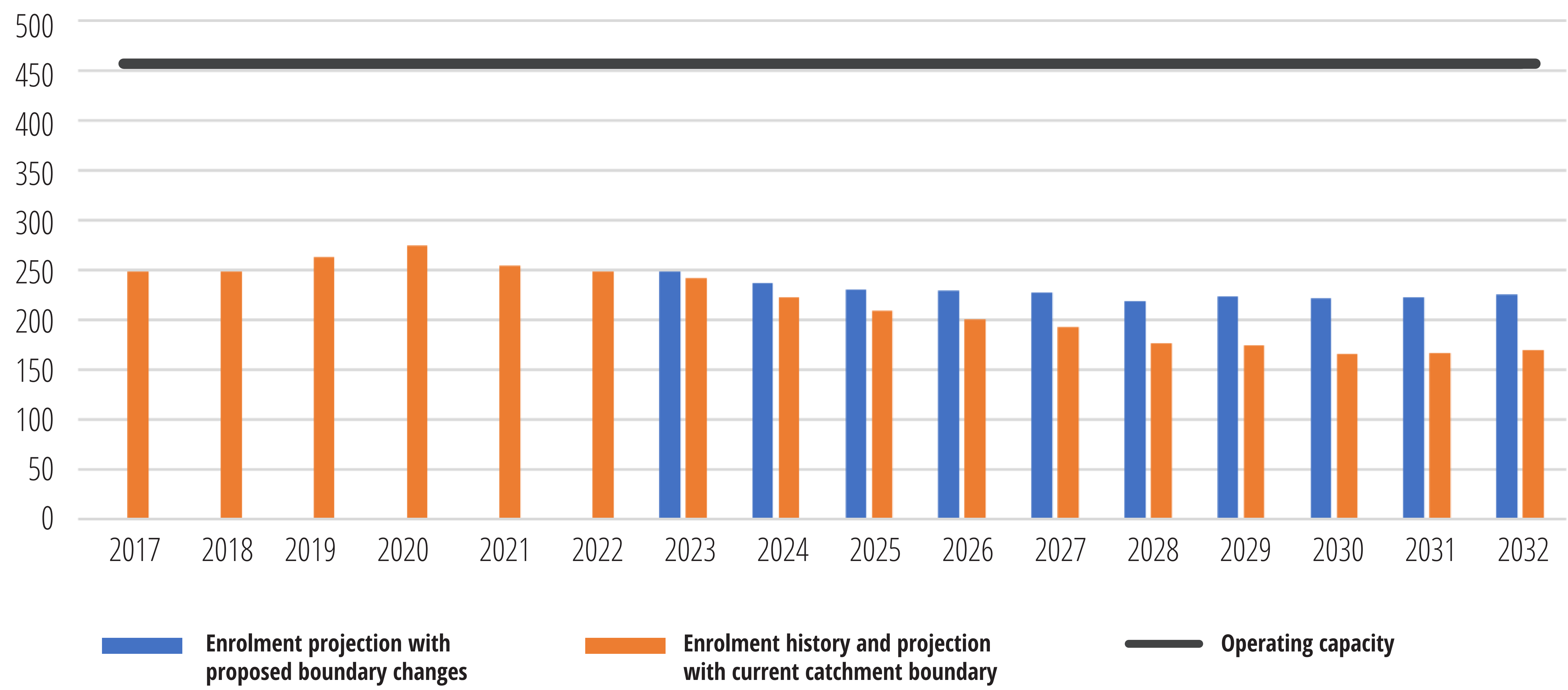


### Weir enrolment history and forecast





### MacCorkindale enrolment history and forecast







# Proposed Catchment Boundary Changes

## PROPOSED BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT PROCESS



*All dates subject to Board decision*



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