

**CONCORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
CONCORD-CARLISLE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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Mark R. Masterson, Ed.D  
Superintendent of Schools  
Maynard Public Schools  
12 Bancroft Street  
Maynard, MA 01754

Dear Superintendent Masterson:

This letter responds to your correspondence requesting that the Concord-Carlisle School Committee consider regionalization of Concord-Carlisle Regional School District with Maynard High School over the next ten years. The School Committee discussed this request at its July 24<sup>th</sup> meeting and again at its August 9<sup>th</sup> workshop. During the discussions a number of concerns emerged: Concord-Carlisle High School has witnessed a 38% increase in students over the last decade; Concord-Carlisle High School continues to experience significant space constraints; and the possibility, scope, and timing of MSBA reimbursement for a future high school building project are uncertain at this time. In light of these immediate factors, the Concord-Carlisle School Committee voted on August 9, 2007 not to enter into discussions concerning regionalization at the 9-12 level at this time.

The Concord-Carlisle Regional School District extends its best wishes to Maynard Public Schools as the district pursues the MSBA's process of renovating and/or building a new high school.

Sincerely,



Brenda Finn  
Superintendent of Schools