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Camillo Cipriano
Chief Executive Officer
Toronto District School Board
5050 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON M2N 5N8

Dear Mr. Cipriano,

I am writing in support of the Poplar Road Public School Parent Council and their request that Principal Todd McGilvray remain at the school during this critical period.

Over the past two years, Principal McGilvray has played an integral role in the planning and development of the school's rebuilding project. His extensive involvement including ongoing collaboration with architects, the TDSB design team, and the broader school community has provided invaluable continuity and insight that are not easily replaced.

Principal McGilvray has developed a deep understanding of both the technical aspects of the new build and the expectations and priorities of the school community. His leadership has helped ensure that the project reflects the needs of students, families, and the surrounding neighbourhood. At this stage in the process, maintaining that continuity is essential.

It would be a significant loss to the project, and to the community, to lose his expertise and the relationships he has built over years of careful engagement and planning. For the benefit of the school, the success of the rebuilding project, and the broader community, I strongly believe it would be advantageous for Principal McGilvray to remain in his role to see this work through to completion.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

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