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Good Evening Chairman Rodriguez & Councilors,

It was raised at a recent Board Meeting that multi-residential developments were being proposed across Gales Ferry and Ledyard. Depending on the timeline for when these developments are expected to break ground and complete, the general population growth could bring with it strain on the infrastructure within our community, inclusive of our schools.

The Board of Education would like to request of Town Council that a comprehensive infrastructure study be conducted, inclusive of our school facilities, in order to better understand what the projected growth rates are and where there may be investments needed to the facilities supporting our community and students. As you may be aware, space is limited across multiple of our school facilities and any major fluctuations in the student population could put significant strain on our ability to serve students and the faculty and staff the support them. We believe this type of comprehensive analysis is necessary to provide Town Council and the Board of Education with insight that will likely inform recommendations and decisions that will need to be made in the future to support this growth.

We appreciate your consideration of our request

Thank You, Anthony Favry Chairman, Ledyard Board of Education