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Dear Parent/Carer

Statutory Consultation on the proposal to rezone northwest part of Scotstown School Delineated (Catchment) Area to Greenbrae School and consequently from Bridge of Don Academy to Oldmachar Academy

As you may be aware, Aberdeen City Council is proposing to change some of the zoning arrangements relating to Scotstown School.

The proposal is to rezone the northwest part of the Scotstown School catchment area located to Greenbrae School from August 2014.

As a consequence, the secondary school for that area would also change from Bridge of Don Academy to Oldmachar Academy.

A period of Statutory Consultation will run from **4 November – 18 December, 2013** (inclusive) which exceeds the statutory period of thirty school days.

A statutory Consultation Document will be made widely available, including at local schools and on the Council web site.

You are encouraged to submit your views by writing to

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or by emailing

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All submissions should be received by 5.00pm on 18 December 2013.

A public consultation meeting will be held on:

Monday 18 November, 2013 from 7:00 – 8.30pm at Braehead School.

To assist stakeholders in accessing relevant information, a dedicated area of Aberdeen City Council web site has been populated with all information within this consultation document and further detail on the consultation process and data relating to the proposal.

The relevant web pages can be accessed at

www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/greenbraescotstown

Following the consultation period, a final Consultation Report will be presented to the Education, Culture and Sport Committee. This will include a summary of representations received during the consultation period and representations made at the public meetings along, with the Service responses to representations made.

Should you have any questions about the Consultation process, please write to or email the addresses above.

I look forward to receiving your comments.

Yours faithfully

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Director Education, Culture and Sport