

Testimony to the Task Force on the Implementation of the Pupil Weighting Factors Report
Public Hearing – October 29, 2021

I'm a parent of students in WCSU. I feel it is imperative to change the pupil weighted system in Vermont. Our rural district is struggling to maintain it's current level of service. Leland and Grey is ranked one of the lowest in the state.

Often, the few families of means remove their students from the Leland and Grey seeking decent education for their children. This only decreases Leland and Grey pupil count even further and decreasing state funds.

This district is in crisis to keep afloat. The low income tax payers need more equitable support of this rural school.

Sincerely,

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