

HF 827 - Support

My name is Jon Beck. I'm a member of the ISD 100 school board in Wrenshall. I'd like to ask that you pay special attention to HF827 as it could have a huge impact on our school and our local community. Our district is entertaining consolidation with our neighboring district in Carlton, ISD 93. Both districts are currently challenged to offer the opportunities that all children in Minnesota deserve. We want to change that, and to create a fiscally responsible district that CAN offer the opportunities our students deserve. Increasing per pupil funding in a consolidation through HF827 will first and foremost, give our boards the confidence to enter into a consolidation agreement and secondly, ensure that our students are minimally affected when we join as one. The goal is excellence, and to provide more opportunity from day one.

I thank you for your support and consideration.

Regards,

Jon Beck