ENROLLMENT IN SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Children of families who are in the process of moving into North Reading will be permitted to enroll in the public schools, at the beginning of the school year, prior to their residence in North Reading provided that:

- (1) They provide written documentation, satisfactory to the administration, of a legally binding agreement to purchase an existing house or of a contract already to construct a new home, provided that construction has already begun, and
- (2) The administration is convinced that the family will move into Town during the school year, and
- (3) Application be made to the Superintendent of Schools by July 31 prior to the opening of school and that action be taken by the end of the first week of August.

Any request for enrollment under this policy will include the anticipated date of residence in North Reading. In the event the family is not in residence by the anticipated date, the children will be allowed to retain in the public schools only if the delay is due to circumstances beyond the family's control and there is convincing evidence that the family will become residents during the current school year.

Children in elementary schools will attend the school servicing the neighborhood where the house is located. Transportation to and from school will be the parents' responsibility.

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