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Dear CES Families,

As the building project at the William J. Johnston Middle School (WJJMS) comes closer to completion there will be a change to the parent pick-up parking lot accessed off of Norwich Avenue. **The change as explained below will begin on Tuesday, January 22, 2019.**

The state of Connecticut Department of Transportation (DOT) granted authorization for the temporary access drive off of Norwich Avenue to the Colchester Elementary School (CES) parking lot, due to the WJJMS construction activities. As the project is coming to a close, the temporary access drive will be coned off and the entrance and exiting of the CES parking lot will be as shown on the attached diagram. For the next few months, the reconfigured CES parking lot traffic flow will be monitored and evaluated to ascertain if a case can be presented to the state DOT to make the temporary access drive permanent.

Pick-up procedures will remain the same. We will continue to have parents enter the building through the doors closest to the gym. Please wait at these doors until parent pick-up staff welcomes you in.

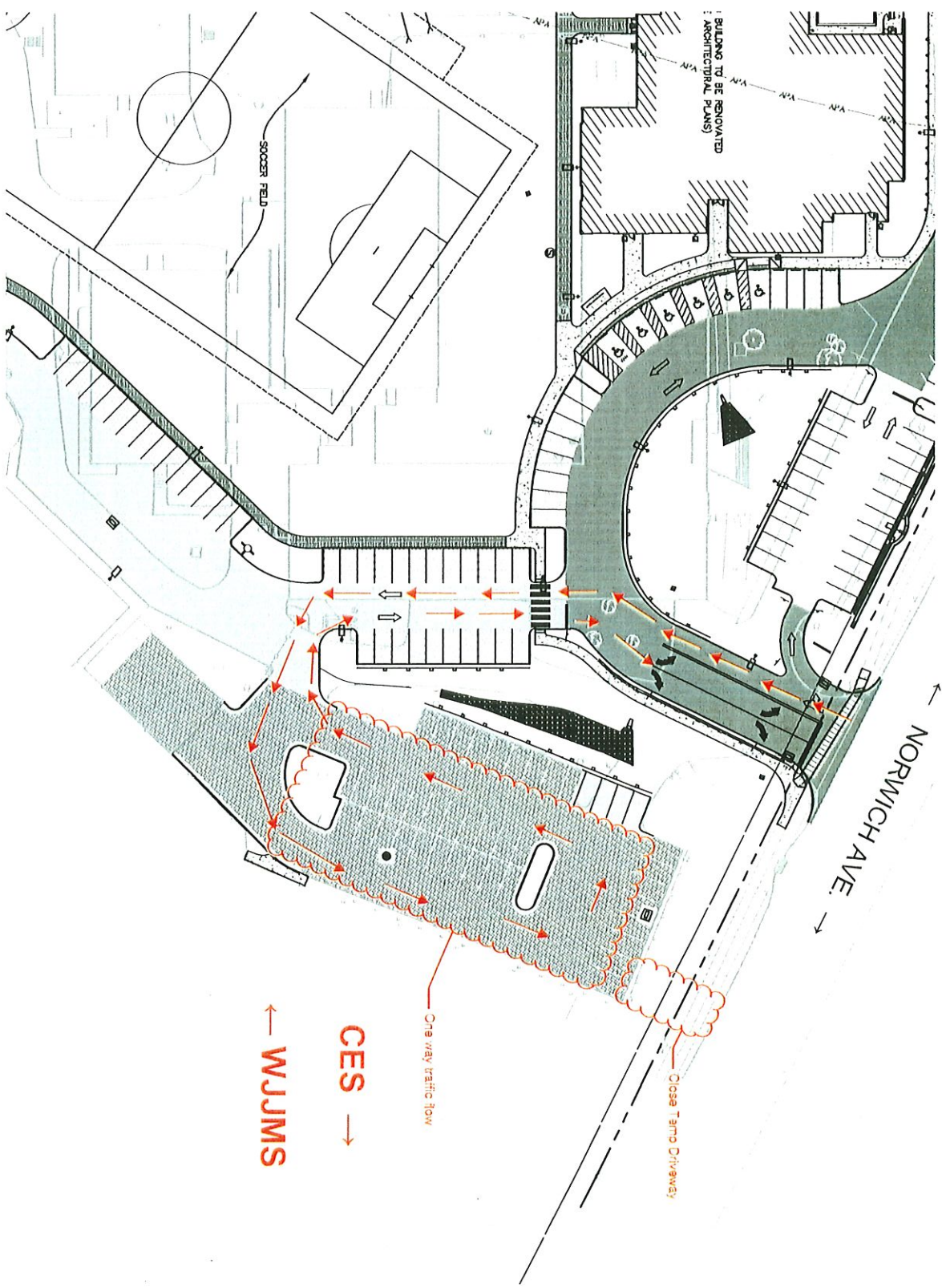
On a positive note, soon there will be additional parking spaces. This will be a great help! Safety is always our top priority. Should you have any questions or concerns, please call us at (860) 537-0717.

Thank you,


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BUILDING TO BE RENOVATED
(ARCHITECTURAL PLANS)

← CES →
← WJUMS →

One way traffic flow

Close Time Driveway

← NORWICH AVE. →

SOCCER FIELD