

# SAVE SPALDING DRIVE ELEMENTARY

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## WHAT'S HAPPENING?

On September 10th, the Fulton County School Board reviewed a School Consolidation report that suggested closing Spalding Drive Elementary due to projected enrollment decline and additional capacity available at other schools in North Fulton County.

## HOW CAN I HELP?

### 1. Attend Fulton County School Board Meetings

It's important that we show our numbers and make our voices heard at these upcoming meetings:

#### **Community Meeting**

Wednesday, 9/18 @ 6:00pm  
Woodland Elementary School  
1130 Spalding Dr #5013, Atlanta, GA 30350

#### **Board Meeting**

Thursday, 9/19 @ 6:00pm  
South Learning Center  
4025 Flat Shoals Road, Union City, GA 30291

### 2. Join the "Save Spalding Drive" facebook group

Stay on top of the latest news and ways to help.

[Save Spalding Drive Elementary](#)

### 3. Email ALL Board Members

All board members will be voting on school consolidation, so it's important that we don't just email our representative. Please also CC Principal Rosenthal.

### 4. Sign the Change.org Petition

<https://www.change.org/p/save-spalding-drive-elementary>



## MYTHS

Some of these myths have been floating around and are NOT TRUE:

- "The board has already made a decision that Spalding Drive is closing" - although a recommendation has been made, a final decision will not be made until early 2025
- "Ison Springs is already at capacity" - Ison Springs has an enrollment of under 450 students and a capacity of 800 students; it was built in 2009

## THINGS TO AVOID

- Do NOT organize at the school or use school facilities
- Do NOT place flyers inside mailboxes, but flyers can be taped to mailboxes or hung from them
- We CANNOT use the electric sign in front of the school
- Do NOT ask for endorsements from Spalding faculty or staff
- Do NOT include endorsements from any staff in communications to the board or teachers