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I live on the corner of appleton and Huron avenue across from formaggio's. Over the years traffic has increased substantially on Huron avenue as well as appleton between Brattle and Huron. As this new expanded school will draw children from across the city, I suspect cars will use many different routes to get to the school. In attending several of these meetings this past fall, most discussion focused on coming to the school off of concord avenue. However, when I've attended the meetings, I drive down Huron, turn right on Lakeview and park as close to vassal as possible. I assume many cars will come off concord to Huron, off brattle, up Appleton, Fayerweather, Lakeview or Lexington to Huron, as well as many other iterations of these pathways. I hope your traffic study will take all these routes into account.

Yes, a new school is desperately needed, but traffic is choking this neighborhood and a very realistic understanding is needed to weigh the impact of a new expanded school on those who live here. Thank you- Phyllis Simpkins

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