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DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD  
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### ***BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPROVES 2017-2018 BUDGET***

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The Board of Trustees for the St. Clair Catholic District School Board has approved the 2017-2018 school year budget, which includes an operating surplus of \$995,652.

“Once again, St. Clair Catholic is able to deliver a budget, which is in compliance with all Ministry of Education accountability and reporting requirements,” says John Van Heck, Chair of the Board. “On behalf of the Trustees, I want to say ‘thank you’ to Executive Superintendent of Corporate Services Amy Janssens and her team for their great work.”

It is the fifth straight year the Board has approved a surplus budget. As in past years, the surplus will be set aside for future post retirement payments, as required by the Ministry of Education.

“Due to prudent fiscal management and stewardship of the Board’s resources, we are able to present a budget that maintains current programs and services and supports St. Clair Catholic’s strategic plan, our annual goals and the mission of Catholic education,” says Amy Janssens, Executive Superintendent – Corporate Services & Treasurer.

The approved budget will now be presented to the Ministry of Education.