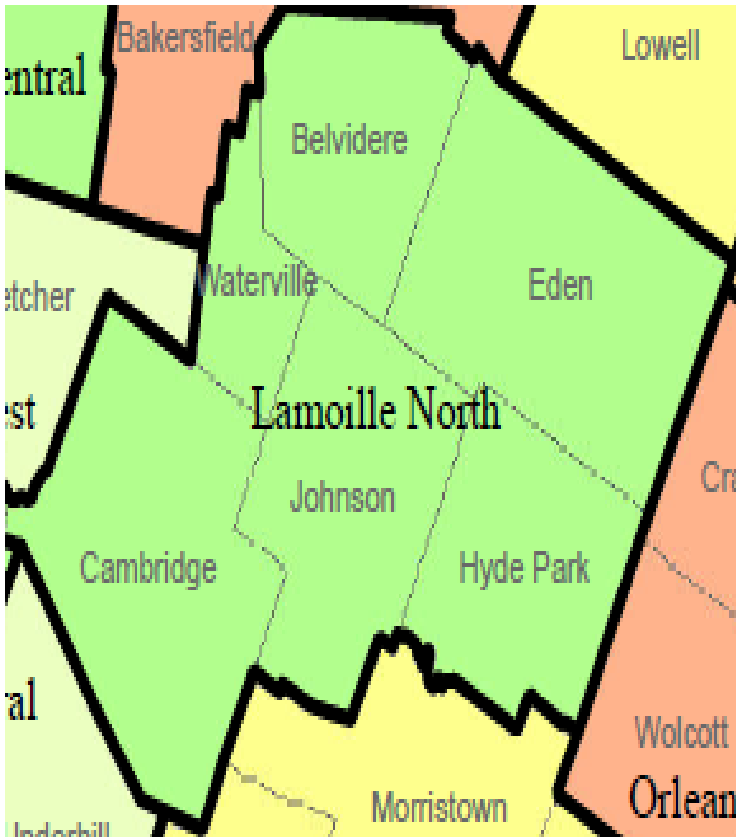


# Lamoille North Supervisory Union Act 46 Study Committee

*What do we see as possibilities?*



## Who Are We Today?



- 6 Towns
- 6 Elementary School Districts (PK-6)
- 1 Union School District (7-12)
- 36 Elected School Board Members
- LNSU (19 appointed)
- 8 School Boards
- 9 Separately Approved Budgets
- 5 Elementary Schools
- 1 Middle School
- 1 High School
- 1 Technical & Career Center
- 1 Central Office
- 11,450 Residents
- 1883 Students

# Should we unite?

## How are we better together?

➤ **Students**

➤ **Community**

# What Can We Do Better For Students

- PreK-12 unified education decisions
- Equity and quality learning for all students
- Common and collaborative curriculum, instruction, and assessment across all schools
- Administrators focus on teaching and learning
- Share staff
- Innovate
- One system focused on continuous progress of students

# What Can We Do Better for Communities

- One budget vs. nine: fund priorities, maximize economies of scale and use resources wisely
- Time, effort and money to align decisions
- Sharing of resources
- Achieve efficiencies and identified savings over time
- Tax rate stability
- State tax incentives: \$.10, \$.08, \$.06, \$.04, \$.02
- Single board, elected by all, fair representation – accountable
- Meaningful local control

# What Areas Have We (LNSU) Consolidated Currently Now or In Progress?

- Transportation
- Teachers Agreement
- Support Staff Agreement for the Unionized Members
- Special Education Teachers
- Curriculum
- Common Professional Development
- Accounting
- Some Technology