

ACE Meeting Minutes

The purpose of the Advisory Council for Education is to provide a systematic representative public involvement in educational decisions under consideration by the Board of Directors.

June 7, 2022 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Members Present

Erika Coghill, Montan Copenhaver, Judy Fay, Kari Henderson-Burke, Britt Kleinman, Mary Levesque, Anne McAlvey, Gary Sabol, Chrys Sweeting, Sophie Willis

Guest Present

Brian Lewis

Call to Order

6:09 p.m.

Approve Minutes

Mary Levesque made a motion, seconded by Judy Fay, to approve the May 2 meeting minutes. The minutes were approved by voice vote.

Annual Report to the Board

Dr. Sweeting shared with the committee the presentation that will be presented to the board at the June board meeting. The presentation includes:

- Strategic Plan and how it guides the committee's work
- Scope of ACE work
- Membership of the ACE committee
- 2021-22 ACE Topics
 - District & Community Equity Efforts
 - Academic & Student Well Being Updates
 - Other District Updates
 - Family & Community Survey Results
 - Capital Projects
 - Discipline Updates & Policy Review
 - School & District Improvement Plans & Efforts

- Elementary Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSR) Funds
- Categorical Programs
- Assessment Overview
- Child Nutrition
- How School Funding Works
- Special Education Services
- College & Career Readiness
- Technology
- Robotics
- Student Attendance & Community Truancy Board

 Climate change and the need for reducing our carbon footprint and going greener

Proposed topics for 2022-23

The 2022-23 ACE meeting schedule was shared with the committee. The committee decided to continue meeting via Zoom for the 2022-23 school year. Also, we are switching to Thursdays, not meeting on Sept. 8. Will meet on Sept. 15 instead.

Proposed topics include:

- Ask the board what their goals are
- Learn about extracurricular activities, where there's maybe a gap?
- Environmental club at the schools
- Connection with Stilly Tribe, invite them to come to ACE- Member of ACE?
- Review of new programs or curriculum
- Safety and security
- Bond and levy- give feedback on draft proposal
- Authentic youth engagement- ESD

The committee would also like to have more time built into the meeting schedule to discuss the topics.

Adjournment

Mary Levesque made a motion, seconded by Anne McAlvey, to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:21 pm.