MONTPELIER ROXBURY
BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
RVS TRANSITION COMMITTEE
Virtual
Tuesday, September 10, 2024
6-7:00 pm
MINUTES

Our schools are caring, creative, and equitable communities that empower all children to build on their talents and passions to grow into engaged citizens and life-long learners.

Minutes Approved: 08-15-2024 School Board Meeting
Present
Board: Rhett Williams, Scott Lewins
Administration: Libby Bonesteel
Staff:
Students:
Community Members: Hannah Zajac, Katie Swick, Rachel Popoli, Katie Favorite
Absent: Jackson Renfrew-Garrard, Payton Donahue, Jessica Murray, Nick Conner, Bibba Kahn, Vic Guadango, Lyn Turcotte, Amber Wodtli, Diego Soria

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*The public is invited to participate in and view this board meeting from their homes or in person at Montpelier High School. Should the public wish to participate in Public Comment virtually, please join Google Meet:

RVSTC Meeting
Tuesday, July 23, · 6:00 – 7:00 pm
Time zone: America/New_York
Google Meet joining info
Video call link: https://meet.google.com/koq-jwba-uua
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The chairperson will open the Public Comment period per the agenda below. Unmute yourself, state your full name, and then proceed to state your comment. *Please note the meeting will operate as normal, holding Public Comment to the period indicated in the agenda below and as established by the chairperson.

6:00 pm Board of School Directors RVS Transition Committee Call to Order

- Public Comment*

No public comment was received.

6:10 pm Consent Agenda

- Review and approve minutes from the June 16 meeting

Libby Bonesteel moved and seconded by Hanna Zajac to approve the minutes. Motion carried unanimously at 6:05 pm.

6:15 pm RVS Aftercare Discussion

- Proposal to offer an after school program at RVS

Committee members discussed a proposal to offer after school programming at RVS on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, for six week sessions with one week off in between for make-up days as needed. Minimum of five participants per week, $270 per child per session. Families in need of childcare five days a week are encouraged to register for Part 2 which includes a substantial state sponsored subsidy. Sign up for the RVS program will need to be facilitated and a deadline for sign up will be announced as soon as possible. Registration numbers will be required by the bus company.

6:30 pm Transportation Discussion

- Bus route recommendations to district administration

The bus company cannot send a bus up Steele Hill Rd because of the steepness of Steele Hill Rd. An option of having the Steele Hill Rd route stop at Horner Rd was discussed. The East Roxbury vus will extend to Bull Runn Rd before continuing to Montpelier. A separate bus will operate in the Roxbury Village and continue to Montpelier. Both buses will carry passengers all the way to Montpelier instead of a previously proposed single bus.

7:20 Next Steps

- RVS Building Discussion

There are no updates on the future of the Roxbury Village School.

7:30 pm Adjourn

Scott Lewins moved, seconded by Rachel Popoli, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously at 6:50 pm.

Summer Meeting Schedule: (subject to change according to need as determined by committee) The August 6 meeting was canceled. The August 20th meeting is tentatively to be scheduled if new information arises.

Tuesday, August 20, 6-7:00 pm, virtual meeting

Rhett Williams
Recorder