

Long Range Planning Committee

Minutes August 31 2017

Present: Joe Phelan, Tom Burnell, Laura Schulkind, Deirdre d'Albertis, Diane Lyons

The committee spent the bulk of the meeting working on the content for the postcard that will be sent out to the community. The goal of this card is to let the community know the reason for the LRPC and why the BOE formed it. Then to ask for contact information for anyone interested in receiving communications from the committee. The committee is easily able to send communication to the school community but not community members that do not have a child in the district. Drafting a survey is a priority of the committee for this fall. A few topics the committee is interested in are how long families have lived in the district, why they moved here, and what does Rhinebeck schools offer that is important to them.

Tom will be gathering information from our administrators by the end of September to start putting together the base plan or what the school would look like and cost if we only provided mandated services.

The committee decided to ask the personnel committee to start looking at the organizational chart and how enrollment affects it.

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The group will be meeting with our special education director next.

Next meeting September 11th

Respectfully Diane Lyons