



Burlington Board of School Commissioners Community Engagement Committee Minutes
October 25, 2018
Hunt Middle School

Attendees: Martine Gulick, Mike Fisher, Sage Lopez

1. Agenda approved

2. Public Comment

Discussion about role of the CE committee. Do we actively initiate and facilitate CE opportunities? Or provide oversight to ensure CE is occurring?

- a. Discuss around role of the board in dealing with Hunt MS dance incident
- b. Board members represent constituents, so shouldn't they get involved with what the parents are concerned about
- c. Invite board to discuss at next CE committee: what is the scope of the board's community engagement?

3. BHS Bond ballot update

Review of current CE/publicizing of BHS bond effort

6. Early Education Task Force update

Kickoff is 11/14

Community at large is invited, no commitment to participate in the task force

Martine working with Stacey to prep

-Stacie, Martine and Kathy met to discuss the organization of the meeting and to refine the presentation

8. CE Framework

- a. Framework was written for board, but is more needed for BSD as a whole
- b. Proposed add BSD communication guidelines/expectations to Policy
- c. Email from the board to the students? For BHS bond? Or Instagram it?

12. Engaging the Entire Community

- a. Ideas
 - i. Ambassador for groups. Could be location based (i.e. Franklin Square or South Meadow). Or ethnic/culturally based (Somali, Thai, etc.).
 - ii. Leverage BSD staff