

School Start/End Time Task Force Meeting

February 11, 2020 11:00 AM

WHS Main Office Conference Room

Present Task Force Members:

William McKersie

Kenneth Crow

Phillip Cross

Laura Kaddis

Lisa Wolak

Stacy Slater-WTA

Erin Merrifield-WTA

Kim Spangler-AFSCME

Joe Parciasepe-Town of Weston Parks and Recreation

Jenny Walsh-Parent

Kristen Acker-Parent

1. Welcome and Review

Discussion:

Dr. McKersie welcomed the Task Force and reviewed the meeting agenda.

2. Focus Group Update

Discussion:

Kristen Anker and Jenny Walsh updated the Task Force on the combined focus group that was held on January 29, 2020. The combined group discussed the three current options. They provided a handout which detailed each of their focus group meetings and the outcomes. The Task Force agreed that coming out of the February monthly Board of Education meeting, a targeted survey should be conducted, followed up with additional focus groups.

3. Review of Draft School Start and End Time Recommendation Report

Discussion:

Dr. Crow reviewed with the Task Force the draft School Start and End Times document. The Executive Summary requires additional information. Dr. Crow would like to have the Task Force review the revised draft document on Monday, February 17, 2020, ahead of submitting to the Board of Education on Wednesday, February 19, 2020.

4. Additional Survey Discussion

5. Other Business

5.1. Set Meeting After BOE Meeting

Discussion:

The Task Force will meet after the February 24, 2020 monthly meeting with the Board of Education to discuss next steps.

6. Next Steps

Discussion:

An invite will be sent to all Task Force members to the Board of Education meeting at 7:00 p.m. on February 24, 2020 in the Weston Middle School Library. The meeting was adjourned at 12:34 p.m.

Chairperson

Superintendent