

Minutes



EDUCATION COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The Board of Education of School District No. 34 (Abbotsford)
2790 Tims Street, Abbotsford, BC, V2T 4M7

Date: February 4, 2020
Time: 4:30 p.m.
Location: Abbotsford School District Administration Office

TRUSTEES IN

ATTENDANCE: Rhonda Pauls, Chair
Phil Anderson
Freddy Latham
Korky Neufeld
Preet Rai

TRUSTEE

REGRETS: Stan Petersen
Shirley Wilson

STAFF IN

ATTENDANCE: Kevin Godden, Superintendent
Gino Bondi, Assistant Superintendent
Carla Danielsson, Assistant Superintendent
Angus MacKay, Assistant Superintendent
Corissa St.George, Executive Assistant
Baljeet Gill, Department Head
Christine Jordan, Principal
Darlene MacDonald, District Principal, Indigenous Education
Tara Plantinga, Vice-Principal
Bo Sidhu, Vice-Principal
Jaimie Webster, Vice-Principal
Stan Wiebe, Vice-Principal

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

Chair Pauls called the meeting to order at 4:34 p.m.

2.0 ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was approved as presented.

3.0 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

3.1 Minutes of the Education Committee meeting held December 10, 2019

The Minutes of the Education Committee meeting held on December 10, 2019, were received.
The minutes will be presented at the February 11, 2020 Public Board meeting.

4.0 REPORTS

4.1 2019 Academic & Enhancement Summer Learning Program Reports

Summer school principals Stan Wiebe and Christine Jordan and vice-principals Baljeet Gill and Tara Plantinga reported on enrolment, program highlights, and recommendations going forward from the 2019 summer school program.

The summer school PVPs exited the meeting at 5:10 p.m.

4.2 Indigenous Education Update

District Principal, Indigenous Education Darlene MacDonald reviewed the achievements of the Indigenous Education program over the last year and provided an overview of the plans to continue implementing and enhancing the programs in schools.

Assistant Superintendents Danielsson, MacKay and Mrs. MacDonald exited the meeting at 5:39 p.m.

4.3 YC 34 Update

Vice-principals Bo Sidhu and Jaimie Webster and Assistant Superintendent Gino Bondi shared a re-visioning of the YC 34 Student Group. The re-visioning includes having a broad range of students meeting to share their voice on issue-based topics with multiple audiences. The district wants to engage and encourage student voice with the hope to learn from them and have them learn from one another.

Assistant Superintendent Bondi, Mr. Sidhu and Mrs. Webster exited the meeting at 6:08 p.m.

5.0 ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.