

School District No. 38 (Richmond)
7811 Granville Avenue, Richmond, BC V6Y 3E3

EDUCATION COMMITTEE PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES

Minutes of a PUBLIC meeting of Education Committee held virtually via Zoom on Wednesday, April 20, 2022 at 6:01 pm.

Present:

Heather Larson, Chairperson
Debbie Tablotney, Vice-Chairperson
Richard Lee, Trustee Member
Norm Goldstein, Trustee
Ken Hamaguchi, Trustee
Sandra Nixon, Trustee
Lynn Archer, Assistant Superintendent
Jane MacMillan, Executive Director – Learning Services
Briana Adams, Teacher Consultant – Literacy K-7
Carrie Bourne, Teacher Consultant – French Programs
Baren Tsui, Teacher Consultant – Equity and Inclusion
Liz Baverstock, President, Richmond Teachers' Association
JW Cho, Executive Member, Richmond Teachers' Association
Lester Leung, Member, Richmond Association of School Administrators
April Pikkarainen, Member, Richmond Association of School Administrators
Dionne McFie, Past President, Richmond District Parents Association
Andrew Scallion, President, Richmond District Parents Association
Taffy Jackson, Executive Member, Richmond Management And Professional Staff

Helen Shen, Executive Assistant (Recording Secretary)

Members of the Public:

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 pm.

1. ADOPT AGENDA

The agenda was adopted as circulated.

2. APPROVE MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held Wednesday, January 19, 2022 were approved as circulated.

3. INNOVATION INQUIRY GRANTS

Staff provided reported the successes of the innovation inquiry grants throughout the current school year and in previous years. Educators throughout the district appreciate the opportunity these grants provide to engage in learning together, employ new pedagogical practices, and

deppen implementation of the K-9 and 10-12 curriculum and assessment practices. This year, over half of the District's educators have participated in inquiry projects supported by the grants. Teacher Consultants highlighted a number of inquiry projects in a variety of focus areas including Intermediate Science, Literacy, and First People's Principles of Learning. Staff announced that the year-end Innovation Celebration will be on May 18, 2022.

4. NEXT MEETING DATE – May 18, 2022.

5. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Larson
Chairperson, Education Committee