

Education Committee
Public Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, November 15, 2023 – 6:00 pm
via Zoom

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- 1. Adopt Agenda**
- 2. Approve Minutes**
Public minutes from the meeting held October 18, 2023 attached.
- 3. Programs and Opportunities in SD 38**
Rav Johal, Director of Instruction, Terri Lockhart, District Coordinator, and Peter Thackwray, District Facilitator
- 4. Next Meeting Date – Wednesday, December 13, 2023 at 6:00 pm**
- 5. Adjournment**

Education Committee Public Meeting Minutes

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Present:

Chairperson
Vice Chairperson
Trustee Member
Trustee Alternate
Assistant Superintendent
Superintendent
Director of Instruction
President, Richmond Teachers' Association
Vice President, Richmond Teachers' Association
Pro-D Officer, Richmond Teachers' Association
Member, Richmond Association of School Administrators
Member, Richmond Association of School Administrators
Member, Richmond Management and Professional Staff
President, Canadian Union of Public Employees 716
Executive Assistant (Recording Secretary)

H. Larson
D. Yang
A. Wong
R. Belleza
J. MacMillan
C. Usih
B. Thompson
L. Baverstock
S. Wenglowksi
J. Cho
L. Leung
A. Pikkarainen
T. Jackson
S. Robinson
S. Khan

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

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1. Adopt Agenda

The agenda was adopted as circulated.

2. Approve Minutes

The minutes of the in-camera meeting held Wednesday, September 20, 2023, were approved as circulated.

3. Learning in Richmond SD38

Assistant Superintendent MacMillan introduced Director of Instruction Braunwyn Thompson. She provided detailed information regarding inclusive learning supports and structures, and provided examples of inclusive learning in the Richmond School District. Connections to the Board's Strategic Plan were discussed, along with defining disabilities and diverse abilities. Finally, an overview of school-based and district-based support roles was discussed. Trustees and stakeholders questions about Individual Education Plans (IEPs), Educational Assistant (EAs) staff shortages, transition planning, and diverse abilities were answered by staff.

4. Next Meeting Date – Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 6:00 pm.

5. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:01 pm.

*Respectfully Submitted,
Heather Larson
Chairperson, Education Committee*

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