## RAINBOW DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

## Minutes of the

## STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING

held in the Boardroom 69 Young Street, Sudbury

on Tuesday, September 12, 2017 at 5:00 pm.

Present: Trustees: D. Morrison (chair), B. Clement, D. Dewar, J. Hunda L.

Killens, J. Kosmerly, G. Santala, R. Ward, Student Trustee M.

Jarrett Leach

Absent: G. Fox

Officials: N. Blaseg – Director of Education

D. Bazinet – Superintendent of Business

B. Bourget, J. Noble, K. Wachnuk – Superintendents

Staff: N. Charette, H. Thirkill, G. Gauthier

Other: Members of the public

Chair Morrison recognized recent disaster events including hurricane Harvey, hurricane Irma, the earthquake in Mexico and wildfires in Canada as well as recent tragic deaths impacting staff at Rainbow DSB.

## A. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion: J.Hunda/J.Kosmerly

That the agenda for the Strategic Planning Committee meeting for September 12, 2017 be approved - **Carried** 

# B. PRELIMINARY DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST NIL

## C. **PRESENTATIONS**

#### **Training Modules**

Superintendents Wachnuk, Bourget and Bazinet introduced trustees to the safe school modules, Health and Safety information and Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) training modules that staff focused on during half of the September 5, 2017 professional activity day.

Trustees had the opportunity to discuss and ask questions. Trustees were encouraged to complete the modules.

#### D. OLD BUSINESS

#### 1. Minutes

Motion: B.Clement/G.Santala

That the minutes of the Strategic Planning Committee meeting held on June 6, 2017 be approved. **– Carried** 

## E. **NEW BUSINESS**

#### Ad Hoc Sub-Committee

Motion: D.Dewar/J.Kosmerly

That an ad hoc sub-committee be established to review Board governance policies and Board governance by-laws to ensure that they continue to reflect the Board vision. – **Carried** 

## F. **FUTURE ITEMS**

Career Planning - myBlueprint Policy Review

## G. TRUSTEES' REMARKS

Trustee Killens spoke about the Anishinabek Education System (AES).

Chair Morrison asked for an update regarding the shortage of bus drivers. Superintendent Bazinet advised that all routes have been covered and that the Consortium continues to address the shortage.

Trustee Killens advised that Roberta Bondar would be visiting Manitoulin Secondary School on Monday, September 18, 2017 at 1:30 PM and invited trustees to attend.

## H. **FUTURE MEETINGS**

October 10, 2017 March 6, 2018
November 7, 2017 April 10, 2018
November 28, 2017 May 8, 2018
January 16, 2018
February 6, 2018

## I. ADJOURNMENT

Motion: R.Ward/J.Kosmerly

That the meeting be adjourned (6:40 pm). - Carried