



**School Governance Council
Virtual Meeting Agenda
Monday November 2, 2020**

1. Update on cafeteria project and next steps
2. Naramake SGC community member
3. New business
4. Adjourn

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: November 2, 2020 05:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: SGC Meeting 11-2-20

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SGC Meeting Minutes
November 2, 2020
via: Zoom

Attendance: Jane Wilkins, Jen Steiner, Colleen Rumsey, Tyler Fairbairn, Stacy Francois, Liz Lockhart, David Metzger, David Huevelman, Carol Mills, Lavone Roberson, Amanda Colas, Cherie Duque, Shannon Roman, Keith Parmalee, Lindsay Soderstrom

NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTION

- Introduction of new Community Member, Lavone Roberson

CAFETERIA PROJECT

- After looking at 5 different applicants for a project manager, the Board of Ed are down to two different applicants to be considered.
- One company is a local company from Norwalk and the other is a company out of Hartford.
- The companies will be working with architects to decide on the design and will start on the budget proposals.
- After a decision between the two companies is decided, ground breaking could be as early as May 2020

NEW BUSINESS

1. Teacher/Staff Well Being
 - a. The discussion of what teachers and staff need to help them get through the long, stressful, technology filled days.
 - b. Breaks were brought up, but the problem is getting coverage and cross-contamination.
 - c. What can the SGC do to help advocate for a safer school and more mental health days/times for staff
 - d. Teachers feel safe in our school and feel like the administration at NES are doing a great job of keeping the staff and students safe
 - e. The hardest things for teachers and staff are the technological issues that teachers face on a day to day basis, that are not always the same two days in a row.
 - f. SGC parents are going to reach out to other SGC's in our school district to see how they are handling helping teachers and staff during this different way of teaching
2. SPIRIT WEEK
 - a. Fine with Mrs. Wilkins, will send an email out to the teachers to ask if the week of November 16th would work for the teachers

ADJOURN

- A motion is made to end the meeting by Tyler, motioned by Keith and seconded by David.
- Motion approved.