

Committee Members
Brian A. O'Connell, Chairman
John F. Monfredo, Vice-Chairman
Hilda Ramirez

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A C T I O N S

The Standing Committee on Teaching, Learning and Student Supports met at 5:30 p.m. on April 1, 2015 in Room 410 at the Dr. John E. Durkin Administration Building.

There were present: Miss Ramirez and Vice-Chairman Monfredo

There was absent: Mr. O'Connell

Representing Administration were: Dr. Rodrigues and Dr. Friel

Others in Attendance: Mr. Ganem, Dr. Gribouski and Dr. Meade-Montaque

gb #0-289 - Mr. Monfredo (October 24, 2010)

Request that the Administration update the School Committee on the extent of Service Learning in the Worcester Public Schools.

Mr. Monfredo made the following motion:

Request that the Administration provide in a Friday Letter in June 2015 a list of the Service Learning Projects completed this year and forward it to Hanover Insurance Company to be included in the celebration by Hanover in the Spring of 2015.

On a voice vote, the motion was approved.

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gb #1-322 - Mr. Monfredo/Mr. O'Connell (November 29, 2011)

Request that the Administration consider an "early warning system" plan to target students most at risk of dropping out.

Mr. Monfredo made the following motions:

Request that the Administration provide a report in a Friday Letter indicating the names of agencies that the Worcester Public Schools will collaborate with for summer programming.

gb #1-322 (continued)

Request that the Administration provide an update in June 2015 on the progress to date on the implementation of the "early warning system".

On a voice vote, the motions were approved.

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gb #3-163 - Mr. O'Connell/Ms. Colorio/Mr. Monfredo/Miss Biancheria (May 8, 2013)

To support the proposal now pending in the Massachusetts Legislature, and scheduled for an Education Committee hearing on May 30, which would affirm the right of schools to adopt dress codes for students, subject to a right of parents to "opt out" of the code.

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gb #4-43.2 - Administration/Miss Biancheria/Mr. Monfredo/Mr. O'Connell (May 7, 2014)

Response of the Administration to the request to provide the following information on the Temporary Learning Center (TLC) Program:

- classroom accommodations
- enrollment
- actual spaces available
- age of students serviced
- waiting list and
- the process of enrollment

Dr. Rodrigues discussed the success of the three Temporary Learning Centers (TLC) in place in the Worcester Public Schools.

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The meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m.