

**Minutes of Town of Hague School Advisory Committee Meeting
Tuesday, February 6th, 2024
10:00 AM Community Center**

Members Present: Peter Carney, Jack Bast, Linda Fusco, Amanda Peterson, Kathe Allen, Rolly Allen, Sally Thurston (via Zoom)

Members Absent: Sandy Smith, Beth Barton-Navitsky, Susan Delarm-Sandman

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM by Jack Bast. Followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Supervisor Joshua Patchett was in attendance at the Meeting.

Approval of Minutes:

The Minutes from the previous meeting held on January 11th were reviewed and approved without amendments.

Agenda Items:

Issuing Multi-Year Assessment Averaging White Paper:

The Committee discussed and planned for issuing a multi-year assessment averaging white paper. Various aspects were deliberated, including the scope, content, and timeline for the white paper. It was agreed to assign specific tasks to members to gather relevant data and information for inclusion in the document. Peter Carney had volunteered to draft the initial outline for the white paper, to be circulated among members for final feedback.

Roll out Plan for this month:

February 6th - School Advisory Committee Meeting - approve White Paper and recommendation of 2024 Resolution to Hague Town Board.

February 13th - Town Board meeting, present the White Paper and Resolution for the Ticonderoga Central School Board request of MYAA to the Town Board.

February 14th - Supervisor Patchett to transmit letters with the Resolution and White Paper to Ticonderoga Town Supervisor and Ticonderoga CSD Superintendent.

February 20th - Article for Hague Chronicle

Date TBA - Article for the Sun (after Ti CSD BOE Discussion)

Coordination with Ticonderoga Central School and School Board:

The Committee addressed the need to enhance working relations with Ticonderoga Central School and the School Board of Education. Strategies were discussed to facilitate better communication and collaboration between the Committee and the school authorities. It was proposed to schedule a joint meeting with representatives from Ticonderoga Central School and the Board of Education to identify common objectives and areas of cooperation.

Next Meeting:

The next meeting is scheduled for March 7th, 2024 at 10 AM

Meeting adjourned at 11:50 AM

Respectfully submitted,

Amanda Peterson