

Hague School Advisory Committee (SAC) Meeting
Friday, 05 July 2024, 10:00AM
Town of Hague Community Center and Zoom

Present: Joshua Patchett, Jack Bast, Linda Fusco, Susan Delarm-Sandman, Rolly Allen, Peter Carney, Kathe Allen

Absent: Beth Barton-Navitsky, Sandy Smith, Sally Thurston

On Zoom: Amanda Peterson

Pledge of Allegiance led by Jack Bast

Minutes were approved for the June 27th, 2024 SAC meeting.

Meeting Notes

1. Discussion with Tony at the Lake George Mirror:

- Rolly spoke with Tony at the Lake George Mirror about the possibility of getting a feature in the paper to raise awareness about our concerns.

2. Planning for the July 9th Board of Education Meeting:

- Need to develop a solid plan for presenting our issues at the July 9th Board of Education Meeting in Ticonderoga.

3. Communication to the Town of Hague:

- Do we inform the Town of Hague that our requests were voted down in a secret emergency meeting?
- The Board of Education held a secret emergency meeting that was posted only 24 hours before the meeting, leaving no time for public notification.

4. Agenda for the July 9th Meeting:

- As of July 5th, the agenda for the July 9th meeting has not been published.
- Public participation will not be allowed at this meeting.

5. Supervisor Patchett' s Role and Responses:

- Supervisor Patchett will request to speak at the meeting.
- If denied the opportunity to speak, he and Hague residents will walk out in protest.

- Supervisor Patchett will respond to Mark Russel's emails.

6. Questions for the Board of Education:

- Why are the pilot programs not accounted for in the valuation of Ticonderoga?

7. Flyer and Email Blast:

- Amanda will post a flyer about the meeting on the web.
- An email blast will be sent out on Monday, July 8th, to inform the community about the meeting and encourage attendance.

Action Items

- **Rolly:** Follow up with Tony at the Lake George Mirror regarding the feature.
- **All Members:** Develop and finalize a plan for the July 9th Board of Education Meeting.
- **Supervisor Patchett:** Prepare to request speaking time at the meeting and respond to Mark Russel's emails.
- **Amanda:** Distribute the flyer on the web and email blast by July 8th.

Next Meeting July 26th, 10am

Meeting concluded at 11:15am

Respectfully,

Amanda Peterson

Recording Secretary