

**East Greenwich School Committee
Minutes of the Strategic Planning Workshop
Thursday, February 6, 2014
Archie R. Cole Middle School Library
100 Cedar Avenue
East Greenwich, RI 02818**

6:00p.m. Strategic Planning Workshop

I. Call to Order

The Strategic Planning Workshop was called to order at 6:33p.m. Those in attendance were Mr. David Green, Chair; Dr. Deidre Gifford, Vice-Chair; Ms. Carolyn Mark; Mr. Jack Sommer; Mr. Clark Smith (arrived at 6:51p.m.), and Mrs. Susan Records. Mrs. Mary Ellen Winters was absent. Dr. Victor Mercurio, Superintendent was also present.

II. Strategic Planning Workshop

Mr. Green provided background information on the work completed by the Ad-Hoc Committee and the district leadership team. The next steps for the School Committee are to review the T.O.W.S. results and consolidate duplicates, determine whether any items need to be

added or deleted, create impacts on the planning matrix, and then rank the process results using the matrix.

Mr. Smith arrived at 6:51p.m.

The Committee discussed the possible strategic intervention impacts developed by the leadership team. After a lengthy discussion, the Committee agreed on the following impacts: Optimize academic achievement, maximize student well-being, improve the quality of teaching and learning, expand the exposure and scope of learning opportunities, and achieve compliance with B.E.P. and R.I.D.E. regulations.

Mr. Green asked all members to review the process results for duplications, additions, and deletions in preparation for the next meeting. The matrix will be emailed to all members.

III. Adjournment

The workshop adjourned at 8:30p.m.

CHRISTINE DIMEGLIO

SECRETARY