

# BOARD BRIEFS

Todd Terrill, Superintendent

October 25, 2017

## Celebrations/Reflections

Rob Tidrow, Chief Operations Officer, updated the board on the current laptop procedures. He explained procedures for broken laptops, loaning of laptops, insurance and warranties. Several of the RCS technicians have been Dell certified so they can do warranty repairs on the laptops; mainly repair of screens and keyboards. Technicians are at each school every morning to help with help desk questions.

Chuck Reynolds, Assistant Superintendent, explained to the board the many ways the laptops are being utilized in the classroom. Laptops have increased ways the students are learning and have given teachers another teaching tool in the classroom. Laptops have also helped with the logistics of testing in the classrooms. Professional Development has continued, the Next Gen Cadre II has begun meeting, the Twitter chat is growing each Tuesday night, parent technology meetings will held and videos will be pushed out through social media to help parents learn about canvas.

### Consent Items

- ◆ Approval of Minutes
- ◆ Human Resources
- ◆ Accounts payable
- ◆ Monthly Financial Report
  - ◆ Resolution

### Action Items

- ◆ Donations
- ◆ Teacher Mini-Grants
  - ◆ Board Goals
- ◆ Teacher Appreciation Grant Policy
- ◆ First Reading 4900 - Meal Charge policy

### Board Reports/Discussion

Fanning Howey Update

Bill Payne, Fanning Howey, presented the RCS Feasibility Study; Interim Report to the Board.

The board discussed the timing of the Executive Session meetings. This topic will be put on the next board agenda for further discussion.

Dixie Robinson asked for input on the draft letter she sent to all the board members regarding the 2017 school grades. All members agreed to send the letter as presented by Ms. Robinson.

Aaron Stevens suggested the board celebrate success stories of our Recent graduates at board meetings.

### Adjournment/Bell Ringer

Mr. Todd Terrill would like to commend the staff and teachers at the Adult Education Center. They do a wonderful job with the students in motivating and encouraging them to be their very best. Mr. Terrill appreciates the caring staff and congratulates them on providing such a positive influence on the students.

## Planning Our Future

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for Richmond Community Schools

### Community Input Meetings

Nov. 1, 2017	RHS Conference Room	6 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Nov. 2, 2017	Charles Cafeteria	6 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Nov. 9, 2017	Morrisson-Reeves Library	11 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Nov. 9, 2017	Fairview Elementary	6 p.m. - 7 p.m.