



# Virtual Listening Tours

*Save the Date!*

**Slate Valley School Board Members are hosting a week of Virtual Listening Tours beginning on January 12, 2021.**

## **Topics: Budget Outlook & District Reorganization**

Please take this opportunity to learn about the upcoming budget outlook as well as continue the discussion about the board's plan for district reorganization.

Currently the board is exploring a plan for district reorganization that would include the consolidation of all district middle school students to the high school beginning with the 2022-2023 school year. This would result in the closure or educational repurposing of Castleton Village School. Sixth grade students in Castleton would then attend Castleton Elementary School.

To address the anticipated low enrollment of middle school students in Benson Village School, the board voted on December 7th in favor of in-district school choice (with transportation) for 7th and 8th grade students for the 2021-2022 school year.

Listening tours are an opportunity to have a conversation with your board members. Please join us at **6 p.m.** to discuss the upcoming budget and district reorganization on the following dates:

- **Jan. 12th with Mike, Rick, Tara, Tanya, and Angela (Fair Haven/West Haven)** <https://meet.google.com/bsc-wcrm-zbw> or join by phone (US) +1 929-287-3647 (PIN: 876141866)
- **Jan. 13th with Tim, Julie, Toni, Josh, and Christine (Castleton/Hubbardton)** <https://meet.google.com/qok-edco-jhq> or join by phone (US) +1 401-285-6400 (PIN: 766569448)
- **Jan. 14th with Pati, Becky, and Beckah (Benson)** <https://meet.google.com/rat-adyy-xye> or join by phone (US) +1 929-266-1990 (PIN: 284595478)
- **Jan. 14th with Peter, Glen, and John (Orwell)** <https://meet.google.com/jjk-ogoc-wsb> or join by phone (US) +1 585-535-3234 (PIN: 483406626)