

Shared Decision Making – Pierson Middle/High School

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Present:

Nichols
Reynolds
Mallia
Dudley
Lawton
Severance
Banks (unable to attend)

The meeting addressed the prom and transportation options. The focus was to explore avenues through which the school could decrease the likelihood that students engage in behavior that violates the code of conduct. Possible solutions included:

- * Requiring students to be transported to and from the prom on coach buses supplied and paid for by the school.
- * Allowing students to rent their own party buses but require the students to have a security guard on the bus. The cost of the security guard could either be paid for by the students, paid for by the district, or be a shared cost. This option would likely include a school sponsored coach bus for students who would like this option.
- * Allow students to continue to utilize limos and buses but hire an outside security firm to thoroughly search students and limos upon arrival.

The committee was split with the student stating that he wished that things remained the same and the adults preferring bus transportation.