

Meeting #2 Minutes
HS College and Career Center

Attendees: Kyle Kressu, Jody Michalek, Rick Regan, Pete Pomeroy, Amanda Lombard, Millie Kellog, Ed Sbordone, Kathy Baker, Ken Craw, Mark Ottusch, Carrie Depuy

1. Review and approve minutes
Ken distributed minutes for review and approval.
Reviewed that this is working group and that the info will be brought to the subcommittee in January.
2. Review and discussion of SWC school start and end time data
We have one of the longer total school days. Start and end are about the same time as others. If we went to the middle school time (7:50-2:40), it would put us later than most.
3. Review and discussion of information gathered regarding Athletics
Mark reviewed the impact on athletics - see attached file.
Potential that we would need to add a bus or two to cover athletics. Right now, we have busses that can do an athletic drop and then come back and do the middle school drop. Having drivers could be a challenge.
Contract renews in 24-25. 27 busses in the fleet. 4 busses that are in rotation, 3 busses for athletics, 5 vans. Bus that runs to Sherman. Bus that runs to Abbott Tech. Would need to have a separate bus that runs to Abbott Tech instead of sharing.
4. Review and discussion of transportation information.
 - a. Historical information - report
Reviewed the study from 2018. Site plan includes spacing for 20 busses. Would need to review if this would still work.
 - b. Updated study
 - c. Discussed the possibility of doing an updated bud study using an independent consultant.
Quote will be available in the next few days.
 - d. Other
Need to come back with quote.
Mark needs to provide the data on how this really affects the students and the staff.
Julie raised that we need to look at how the school schedule work might impact this discussion.
5. Next steps
Meeting in December - Ken to schedule.