## BARRINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Barrington Public School Administration Building School Committee Room 283 County Road, Barrington, RI Transportation Task Force Minutes August 14, 2019

Present: Mike Messore, Doug Fiore, Melissa Resendes, Jacob Brier, Andy Ochiltree, Kristie Puster, Kristen Kreuzkamp, Amy Pettine, Brett Dixon, and Terry Deveau (OST)

## A. Discussion

- Reviewed the most recent bus routes the tentative <u>bus schedules</u> for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Discussed traffic patterns around the schools. The task force was informed that the principals will be sending out a communication to families regarding drop off and pick up procedures.
- Updated information that Barrington Police (including bicycle patrol) will be ready to assist us in the new traffic pattern at the Middle School.
- Updated the Task Force that we now have the data base to enter individual student stops on ASPEN (the students' information system).
- A communication to families will be sent out on August 26 providing information on how to access their specifically assigned student bus stops on ASPEN.
- Reviewed the final <u>Transportation Handbook</u> and request form. This will be included in the August 26 communication to families. Also, included in the communication will be student safety reminders associated with the start of school and transportation.
- Discussed by families accessing the <u>Stop Request form</u> we will be able to create HMS stops at the elementary schools.
- Established meeting dates for the 2019-2020 school year.

## B. Next Action Steps and Future Discussion:

- Review the data collected from the Bus Stop request forms.
- Review the first two weeks of transportation bus runs.
- Two way dialogue and community feedback.
- Next meeting September 11, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.