

Statutory Committee

Name of Committee: Parent Involvement Advisory Committee

Meeting Date: 18, February 2020

A meeting of the Parent Involvement Advisory Committee convened on 18 February 2020 from 7:05 p.m. to 9:38 p.m. in the Board Room at 5050 Yonge Street, with PIAC Co-Chair D. Williams and interim Co-Chair Andrew Waters.

Attendance Sharleen Ahmed (W15 Rep), John Bakous (W8 Alt), Kaydeen Bankasingh (W8 Rep), Janice Barnett(W11 Alt), Shanti Chand(W19 Alt), Cecile Farnum (W9 Alt), Jenny Gannon (W14 Alt), Sharon Grant (W4 Rep), Zuojun Han(W 20 Alt), Jaimala (W5 Alt), Shafoli Kapur (W2 Alt), Wilmar Kortleever(W11 Rep), Felicia Lau (W3 Rep), Abdullah Mamun(W19 Rep), Kate Leuschen Millar (W16 Rep), Christopher Levien (W20 Rep), Seema Mitchell (W18 Rep), Aretha Phillip (W13 Rep), Mark Ramcharan(W18 Alt), Vivek Rao (W2 Rep), Kajani Ravindradas(W21 Rep), Alice Romo (W7 Rep), Eva Rosenstock (W12 Alt), Patricia Seedial (W4 Alt) Nazerah Shaikh (W14 Rep), Haniya Sheikh (W12 Rep), Mirian Turcios (W6 Rep), Rebekah Quach(W16 Alt), Andrew Waters (W9 Rep), D. Williams (Co-Chair) Glenna Wellington (W17 Alt), Sylvester Witter (W10 Rep)

David Anderson (Parent W12); Trustee Rachel Chernos Lin, Trustee Trixie Doyle, Latha John (Committee Assistant), Kevin Hodgkinson(Transportation), Trustee Dan Maclean, Patrick Mohammed(Occupational Health & Safety), Michelle Munroe (Central Coordinator, PCEO),Erin Pallett (Media Staff), Associate Director Colleen Russell-Rawlins, Craig Snider (Executive Officer)

The following participated by electronic means: John Bakous (W8 Alt), Jaimala(W5 Alt), Sharon Grant (W4 Rep), Zuojun Han(W 20 Alt), Shafoli Kapur (W2 Alt), Mark Ramcharan(W18 Alt), Vivek Rao (W2 Rep), Eva Rosenstock (W12 Alt), Haniya Sheikh (W12 Rep), Patricia Seedial (W4 Alt) Sylvester Witter (W10 Rep)

Regrets Neil Faba(W15 Alt); Dean Gray (W6 Alt), Jess Hungate(W5 Rep); Kathleen Hyatt (W7 Alt), , Nicole Marshall(W22 Rep); Kabirul Mollah (CLG). Pargat Mudher (W17 Rep), Jessica Ruiz(W1Rep), Zena Shereck (PIAC Co-Chair); Saira Somani (EP W3 alt), Syed Sumar Alam (Ward 13 Alt), Faduma Qaline(W1 Alt)

Part A: Recommendations

None

Part B: For Information Only

Bell Times

- Staff presented on Bell times scheduled to commence in September 2020 for certain schools.

Lead water testing at schools

- Staff presented on the lead water testing process followed by the Board as mandated by the legislation

PIAC membership

The committee welcomed following newly elected PIAC members.

- Ward 22 Alt - Feb 2020
- Ward 19 Rep - Feb 2020
- Ward 19 Alt - Feb 2020

PIAC Vacancies

- Ward 10 Alt
- Ward 21 Alt

Upcoming Membership Expiration.

The committee noted that following PIAC members terms are expiring.

- Ward 2 Rep- Feb 2020
- Ward 2 Alt- Feb 2020
- Ward 12 Rep- Feb 2020
- Ward12 Rep- Feb 2020
- Ward 14 Rep- Feb 2020

Budget

- PIAC approves the list of expenditures for anticipated surplus of \$10K.

Principal Vice-Principal Hiring Training for Parent Volunteers

- PVP training took place on Feb 11, 2020, 61 parents had registered for the training and 18 parents had attended the training. Total of 28 parents have been secured for PVP.

Part C: Ongoing Matters

Labour Update

- Staff provided an update on the day to day operations during labour sanctions
- Staff committed to communicate efficiently to update PIAC on its operations during labour negotiations.

Policy PO23 - Parent and Community Involvement Policy Review Consultation

- PIAC and the public may visit www.tdsbengage.ca to engage in the process. Consultation be forwarded to PIAC and broadly for consultations.

Parents as Partners conference

- The planning for the conference is ongoing.
- Staffs and the planning committee continue to monitor the labour negotiation and sanctions and impact and implication it poses for the planning and delivery of the conference. We will keep the committee updated

Report Submitted by: Associate Director, Colleen Russell-Rawlins and
Michelle Munroe Central Coordinator PCEO