

MINUTES OF THE NEW WESTMINSTER BOARD OF EDUCATION EDUCATION POLICY & PLANNING COMMITTEE

HELD **TUESDAY, May 2, 2017** AT 7:30 P.M.

SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE, 811 ONTARIO STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER

PRESENT: Mr. M. Ewen, Committee Chair

Ms. J. Campbell, Trustee

Mr. C. Cook, Trustee

Mr. J. Janzen, Trustee

Ms. K. Slade-Kerr, Board Chair

Ms. J. Grant, Associate Superintendent

Mr. K. Lorenz, Secretary Treasurer

Ms. M Naser, Director of Instruction, Learning & Innovation

Ms. P. Samra, Recording Secretary

Regrets: Ms. M. Lalji, Trustee, Mr. M. Gifford, Trustee, Mr. P. Duncan, Superintendent of Schools

1. <u>ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA</u>

Moved and Seconded:

THAT the agenda for the May 2, 2017 Open Education Policy and Planning Committee meeting be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously.

2. PRESENTATION

a) NWSS Leadership Students: Canadian Blood Service Drive

The Student Leadership Council of New Westminster Secondary School presented information on the next blood drive taking place on Thursday May 25, 2017.

3. REPORTS FROM SENIOR MANAGEMENT

a) Early Literacy

Director of Instruction, Learning & Innovation, Maryam Naser, shared an update on early literacy initiatives in the school district.

b) Website Update

Communications Coordinator, Holly Nathan, updated the Board on the district and school websites.

4. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM.