

MEETING MEMO

Visioning Committee
Facilities Master Planning Process
Cedar Rapids Community School District

Meeting Date: August 21, 2012

Attending: Lori Bruzek, Julie Chlupach, Pete Clancy, Sue Clapp, Joe Crozier, Steve Goodhall, Jan Handler, Angie Hoyer, Sheila Lehman, Mary Ellen Maske, Chuck McDonnell, Gary O'Malley, Meggan Palmer, Trace Pickering, Al Rowe, Lloyd Smith, Cindy Smith, Steve Graham, Julie Grotewold, George Kanz, Rob Kleinsmith

Not Attending: Lee Clancy, Sandy Stephen, Christine Wolfe

Visitors: Ann Rosenthal, Board of Education, Gary Anhalt, Board of Education, David Dobson, Shive-Hattery.

Meeting Facilitator Julie Grotewold welcomed attendees, reviewed agenda packet, reviewed norms for group and ground rules for visitors. Julie informed attendees a hard copy of agenda packet and a hard copy of results of last meetings activities are on tables. All documents are on CRCSD web site.

Diane Machatka, Associate Director for Space Planning, Office of Planning, Design and Construction from The University of Iowa presented "Facilities for the Future." In addition to PowerPoint presentation, Diane presented the upcoming renovation of the library and Living Learning Communities for on campus dorms.

Al Rowe, Kirkwood Community College presented, 21st Century Teaching and Learning Attributes, Excellence: Engagement-Effectiveness-Efficacy, and 21st Century Facility-Learning Experience Design Dialogues. In addition to PowerPoint presentation Al presented current goal is learner retention and success, Emporium Model for K-12 consideration and commented about CRCSD:

1. Students entering Kirkwood from CRCSD are generally prepared for college experience
2. The CRCSD Professional Development Center in the Educational Leadership and Support Center (ELSC) is similar to Kirkwood Community College Improvements for Central Learners' area.

Al challenged the Committee to think about the design of learning and the applied Learning Transfer Lab Mentality.



The committee then stood, discussed and offered comments on the vision activity based upon the presentations.

The committee then read article “Creating Connections” and used First Turn/Last Turn strategy to discuss articles. Then the groups refined the vision by: adding thoughts and ideas to the four stakeholder groups: students, parents, staff and community.

Julie then asked permission to combine committee work from tonight into a master list and send it out electronically for feedback/revision. The document would be sent out to committee members for one final review before finalizing the work.

Steve Graham then asked for volunteer(s) to present and report on Committee activities at the September 24, 2012 Board of Education meeting.

Next meeting September 4 ELSC 5:30-8:00 pm

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm

