STERLING HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Community Advocacy Group

Monday, February 5, 2024

Start Time:

End Time:

Attendees: Mary Lomax, Emily Balog, Chrissy Rivera, Brittany Stone, Matt Minder, Denise Sellers, Rick Krause, Russ Carney, Jessica Farrell, Mike Sheridan, Rachel Hample, Jacqueline Crawford, Colm Fidgeon, Desi Mullen, Anita Schwartz, Julia Benjamin, Jim Randazzo, Stacy Baker, and Monica Boggan.

Agenda

1. Update on Feasibility Study
   1. Timelines
      1. Contracted with Rowan - September 23
      2. Meeting with Stakeholders - October 23
         1. Develop lines of Inquiry - Nov 23
         2. District Specific Questions - Nov 23
      3. Outline Proposed Study
         1. Lines of Inquiry from Steering Committee
      4. Data Gathering and In-person Interviews
         1. Financial - Jan / Feb 24
         2. Personnel - Jan / Feb 24
         3. Curriculum - Jan / Feb 24
         4. Gov't and Legal Issues - Jan / Feb 24
      5. Produce an Analysis of Demographic Issues - March 30, 2024
         1. Data Collection - Jan / Feb 24
         2. Written Narrative - April 24
      6. Analysis of Educational and Programmatic Issues
         1. Data Collection - Jan / Feb 24
         2. Data Analysis - May 2024
         3. Written Narrative - May 30, 2024
      7. Analysis of Financial and Operations Issues
         1. Data Requested - Jan / Feb 24
         2. Data Analysis - May 24
         3. Written Narrative - May 30, 2024
      8. Recommendations on Analysis and Final Study Document
         1. Written Recommendations for Steering Committee Review - June 30, 2024
         2. Meet with District Liaisons to review Draft and make adjustments - July 15, 2024
         3. Submit Final Document - July 30, 2024
      9. Present Findings and Recommendations Publicly
         1. Participation Districts - August 15, 2024
         2. Community Finding and Recommendations - September 30, 2024

1. Review of Challenges and Concerns of Regionalization
   1. Mindset
   2. Must Have's

1. Game Plan Strategies to Challenges and Concerns