

DUDLEY-CHARLTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Meeting of the Capital and School Safety Subcommittee: Friday, February 4,
2022, 11:00 AM

Minutes

1. Open and Welcome

The meeting was called to order at 11:01 AM

2. Approval of Minutes – Meeting of Friday, November 19, 2021

A motion by K. Laferriere, second by J. Terry to approve the minutes of the Friday, November 19, 2021 meeting was approved unanimously.

K. Laferriere – Yes

J. Terry - Yes

3. Review Town Meetings

After meeting with both towns, its clear that the price of the bleacher project is a large issue. There are a few options:

- The District can continue to rent the bleachers at the annual cost, that would ultimately pay for the full project.
- The District can skip the upgrade completely for now.
- The District could remove the option of the additional Press Box, therefore also removing the ADA requirements surrounding how to access the press box and significantly lowering the price.

However, even with these options in mind, the project will most likely be well north of a million dollars when the public restroom facilities must also be included by law.

4. Discussion - Capital Plan moving forward

Since the feedback was similar from both towns, it was agreed that the District remove the bleacher project all together right now but stick with the others that were presented. However, it was noted that the project should still be listed as a Tier 2 option so that the people of the towns understand its still on the District’s radar and not off the table forever.

By doing this, it shows that the District has taken what the towns have said into consideration and are trying to work with them, but still emphasizing that this is a project that needs to be tackled at some point in the future.

Its best to try and break the cost down by towns so each one is a good idea of what their responsibility would be.

5. Future Agenda Items

MSBA

Feasibility Study

6. Adjourn

A motion by K. Laferriere, second by J. Terry to adjourn the meeting at 11:50 AM was approved unanimously.

K. Laferriere – Yes

J. Terry - Yes

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