

**Long-Range Planning Committee**  
**September 12, 2022**  
**4:30 p.m.– 5:30 p.m.**  
**ESC Board Room**

**Attendees:** Jack Reutzler, Erick Hartzell, Ralph Dergance, Linda Jones, Brad Leitner, Lucie Stanish, Bob Colwell, Betty Timmer, Ralph Dergance, Karen Johnson, Diane Leiker, Crysti Copp, Dave Culp

**Absent:** Bill Canterbury, Mike Lopez and Sonja Nix

**Ad hoc attendees:** Chardonnay Blair Adams, Linda Jones, Julie Mathews and Marcy Phelps

1. Minutes approved by Crysti Copp and second by Karen Johnson
2. Open Enrollment First Window
  - a. Board of Education approved canceling the 1st window for elementary only for the 2022 year (Window October 1, 2022 - November 15, 2022).
3. Values/Standards Rankings
  - a. These rankings are the most important for this specific concern.
4. Community (1) Questions/Feedback
  - a. Can't move Highlands 460 to Gaskill. It will make the student's ideal capacity over 650, and we will be back in this same situation.
  - b. Bussing of student average time on the bus compared to LPS. Average outside LPS is 40 minutes. For the most part, LPS bus trips are 20/25 minutes. Only one or two take up to 40 minutes.
  - c. Could present this as an option to the Board.
  - d. Not sure if the kindergarten classes will continue or if this is just a bubble.
  - e. If this is a bubble LPS hasn't changed boundaries in the past, we should hold as is. But if this isn't a bubble, then we need to do a demographic study, and the new school at Little Raven could change the situation.
5. Community Member (2)
  - a. This one goes against our standards 2 & 3.
6. Committee Member Proposal
  - a. Give option of a bus in an area to go to Gaskill or Hopkins while they stay living in the Ford catchment area. This could eliminate the class size for parents that don't like the size.
  - b. Would need to sell it as an option short term only.
  - c. Maybe move two buses in the Ford catchment area, with one going to Hopkins and one to Gaskill.
7. Additional comment - Proposal that a Boundary Committee is formed to go over boundaries.
8. Options to possible propose:
  - a. Do nothing for a year.
  - b. Open enrolled students go back to their home school or allow them to open enroll in another one of our schools.
  - c. Do nothing but offer two buses to go to Hopkins and Gaskill.
9. For the next meeting, use current map, but use numbers for K-5 in Ford catchment area.
10. Add ideal student capacity slide for each elementary school.
11. Will discuss displays and finalize options for community night at our next meeting.
12. Adjourn