CCC Meeting Agenda:

February 3, 2017

(The CCC meeting is scheduled for 1 hour)

Old Business

5 minutes 5 minutes

- Approval of Minutes from 11/3
- Student Representative on the CCC
 - O Share email from lawyer

5 minutes

• Update on District Logo

Discussion of Possible Committee Recommendation to the BOE

5 minutes 5 minutes

- Superintendent/BOE Trustees Coffees
- Invite Stu Shinske (former editor of the Poughkeepsie Journal) to speak with the CCC about effective forms of communication between the District and the press
 - O Who should the press contact and/or the preferred contact method for the press to contact in the event of an emergency?

5 minutes

Explore avenues to communicate with news sources/local cable

15 mins. Marie Johnson

- Consider giving a survey to identify perceived strengths and weaknesses of communication that targets the following categories
 - Students
 - Various Communities within the District (e.g. Weekend communication meeting, do people understand the purpose of a BOE meeting)

5 minutes

Request administration to look into it offering ROTC at BOCES.

New Business

EFFECTIVE COLLABORATION NORMS AND GUIDELINES

Suspend Certainty:

- Remain open minded.
- Commit to big picture, not personal interest. Inquire into the ideas of others before advocating for one's idea.
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Respectful Responses:

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- Pause before responding to enhance dialogue and decision making.
- Pay attention to self and others, be aware of what you are saying and how it is said as well as how others are responding.
- Paraphrase to indicate that you are an active participant and understand the conversation.
- Encourage a spirit of inquiry, balance advocacy with inquiry, so as not to rush to decision making nor leave issues without closure.

The mission of the WCSD is to empower all of our students with the competencies and confidence to challenge themselves, to pursue their passions, and to realize their potential while growing as responsible members of their community.