



**VASD Attendance Areas Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
February 25, 2019**

Superintendent Dean Gorrell welcomed the committee and thanked the committee for their continued work and patience with the meeting schedule that has been altered due to the weather.

Consultant Drew Howick refreshed the committee on where the committee is at in the process:

- Reviewed process and knowledge gained by committee thus far, addressed the number of guests from community present to observe
- Reviewed the goal for the committee to suggest up to three boundary options to the Board of Education
- Provided an overview of meeting's agenda including bus routes and variations to original options

Karen Maher of Badger Bus reviewed the current number of bus routes and projected bus routes for the various options previously identified.

Superintendent Dean Gorrell summarized some of the concerns from district principals/administrators regarding K-2 / 3-5 pairs as thoughts to consider.

Consultant Mark Roffers summarized the original options and how they ranked with committee members. Options D, E, and A were higher ranked by the committee and are being considered tonight with potential variations. Variations have been created based on suggestions from the Committee. Option B and C are currently not being advanced for further consideration. Variations discussed included A1, E1, and E2; no variation to option D was presented.

For each set of variations on the original options, Mr. Roffers instructed the committee members to discuss the options using a plus/minus system to rate performance against criteria. After discussion time, committee members selected their preference between original and variations independently.

Within the A family of options (A and A1), A1 received 16 first place votes – A received 2 votes and there was one abstention.

Within the E family of options (E, E1 and E2 – rated with a 1st, 2nd or 3rd choice), E had an average rating of 1.895, E1 was 2.421 and E2 was 1.632

Mr. Howick opened up the opportunity for the committee to explore minor variations from the options presented while Mr. Roffers and his assistant calculated approximate student population numbers for committee suggestions.

Mr. Roffers proposed looking at middle school boundary options for four of the elementary options at the next meeting as that may further inform the committee on elementary boundaries.

Mr. Howick gave the committee time to make notes or suggestions for the parking lot and additional meeting notes/suggestions before ending the meeting.

Next Meeting: Tue., March 12, 6:00-8:30 pm in same location.

Future meetings if needed are scheduled for March 19th, April 9th, April 24th.