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March 18, 2026

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BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING AD HOC 10-YEAR FACILITY STUDY & MASTER PLAN COMMITTEE

A Vernon Board of Education Ad Hoc 10-Year Facility Study & Master Plan Committee meeting was held in-person at the Central Office Administration building on Wednesday, March 18, 2026.

1.0 Call to Order

Mr. Grabowski called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Committee members present: Mr. Paul Grabowski, Mr. Mason Thrall, Mr. Steven Linton, Mr. Kevin Brown, Ms. Maryann Levesque, Ms. Amanda Ruttenberg-Hakian, Mr. Josh Egan, Mrs. Anne Fischer and Ms. Amy Ostien. Mr. Michael Colt III, Ms. Allison Chaisson, Ms. Laura Bush, and Mr. William Meier were absent.

Also present: Dr. Joseph Macary, Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Robert Testa, Assistant Superintendent of Schools and Ms. Marnie Liska of STV, Inc.

2.0 Public Comment

There was no public comment.

3.0 Feedback from March 10, 2026 Community Conversation

The following feedback questions were discussed with the Committee:

1. What feedback from the Focus Group created curiosities for you?
2. What Focus Group feedback were affirmations for what you thought?
3. What are the strengths of the Ad Hoc Committee Recommendations & Conceptual Design derived from the Focus Group?
4. What are the areas of growth of the Ad Hoc Committee Recommendations & Conceptual Design derived from the Focus Group?
5. What are the next steps to move this Ad Hoc Committee forward?

4.0 Next Steps to Move Committee Recommendations Forward

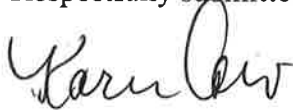
Committee members discussed their recommendations and the next steps to move them forward.

The committee will meet next on April 22, 2026.

5.0 Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:15 PM

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Karen Colt", written in a cursive style.

Karen Colt, Board Secretary