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**From:** Morabito, Joe  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 9, 2021 8:49 AM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Student Behavior - Weapons On Campus

If the rules are not already there, should be ZERO tolerance for any student that brings a weapon on campus. Automatic expulsion. No debate. Not appeals. Just gone. And immediate termination for any Administrator or Teacher who fails to report an incident specific to a student with a weapon on campus. Again, ZERO Tolerance. JM

**Joseph Morabito SCRIP**  
**President/CEO**  
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**From:**  
**Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 5:48 PM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] ESSR

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It is clear what educators have had to endure in this profession before and during this pandemic. Education after the pandemic will also present more challenges. With fewer college students going into education and more teachers fleeing the profession seems that now is to show you are serious about pushing for more funding to retain and recruit people to enter this challenging and rewarding profession.

Class sizes are rising, schools are overcrowded, sub shortages(especially at my school, Spanish Springs HS) force teachers to lose valuable prep time, and more is being placed on the shoulders of educators than ever before. Students will not get the best from their teachers if this continues. Now would be the time to do everything in your power to advocate for a contract that reflects what you really think of educators.

My questions for you all are, how much of the ESSR funds(\$122 million plus) will be used to retain and recruit educators? Specifically, in salary increases? What is the education and social emotional well being of students, which teachers have been tasked to address among many other things up to and including suicide prevention and drilling for the threat of school shootings, worth to you? The time to act is now. Please do whatever you can to help us and influence a contract worthy of the service we provide to the community.

Thank you for your time,  
Will Harper  
EL Teacher

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**From:** Russell Gray  
**Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 8:01 PM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Silver Knolls student pickup

In looking at the new pick up schedule for Middle school and High school students in the Silver Knolls area I see the pick up location is Silver Lake Elementary School. In order for students to get to that location it will require a three mile plus walk along Red Rock Road that has no side walks and a narrow dirt shoulder with a 40 MPH posted speed limit. There also no crosswalks. There is also no lighting along this road and students will also have to negotiate a high use industrial area. I think the district should be looking at safety issues for some of these locations.

Russ Gray  
Silver Knolls

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**From:** Sarah Dockins  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 7:51 AM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Covid testing Northshore clinical

Hello,

my husband took our son, who has been excluded from school due to a head cold, to get a antigen test so he can return back to school. This was recommended by the school nurse and your online form. The Northshore clinical labs that are being run out of the high school told us that they could not give him any results for the test even though he took a 15 minute antigen rapid test and, that no news was good news. They told him that they have been getting people all day long for tests and they can't understand why because their tests were not excepted by the Washoe County school District??? or exclusion???? even though it says on the WCSD online form that we can go to the high schools to get the test. I have been waiting on the results and Nothing has been emailed to me. They told us we would not get any results with this test. I don't know if you could let someone know in the school district know that this is what they are telling people. They made us fill out a ton of paperwork online and when we arrived and this is what we're getting. We completely wasted our time yesterday And I cannot get any results so my son can get back to school because I have none. I just don't want other parents to run across this type of situation. I'm extremely frustrated. Now I'm going to have to try and find testing somewhere else. If you could please let the powers that be know that this is what is happening.

Thank you  
Sarah Dockins

Sent from my iPhone  
Sarah Dockins

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**From:** Christine McAvoy  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 12:30 PM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Agenda Item 4.01

The Board must require that the Bryan Group find a superintendent whose focus will be on providing an exceptional education for ALL students in Math, Social Studies, English, Reading, and Writing, not equity. An education where students will be either college or career ready.

The focus on requiring an allegiance to equity in the job description makes no sense. Equity is a nonsense word when used by WCSD. If it means to give everyone equal opportunity to achieve, as the Board has agreed that it does and the dictionary would call this equality, then this is something I would hope our school district has engaged in since its inception. Make a new superintendent instead pledge to creating schools that will provide an exemplary education to all.

Thank you,  
Christine McAvoy

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**From:** Christine McAvoy  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 1:47 PM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Agenda Item 4.10

There have been questionable costs to the district this year, and we now see another cost on the horizon in the form of hiring a team builder so the Board can work together. I am not privy to what goes on behind the closed door conversations of board members, but watching from the public seating section the only thing I can see as a possible issue is the Board trying to get rid of diversity of thought in the form of Trustee Church. All Board members including and especially Trustee Church have acted with nothing but decorum until the issues arose surrounding Trustee Calvert.

Let's say the hiring of a team builder is justified. We as the public have yet to be provided with either of the team builders Ms. Darby and Mr. Manner's credentials or actual cost to preform such a task. Has either one ever worked with a school board? How much will each of them cost to perform their job? Does Mr. Manner have qualities that override the expense of flying him in from Virginia, as Ms. Darby is local? I wouldn't believe team building could be accomplished via zoom. There is much food for thought and no information to weigh the cost vs benefit of hiring a team builder.

Thank you,  
Christine McAvoy

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**From:** Hal Craddock  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 4:45 PM  
**To:** Public Comments  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Equity vs Exemplary Education in Washoe County Schools

Dear WCSD Board Members,

As a twenty-three year resident of Washoe County, I am writing you to express my absolute objection to the hiring of any WCSD Superintendent who will focus on teaching "Equity", as in the context of the dogma of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (CRT) being used around the country, rather than focusing WCSD funds and teacher's time on exemplary education in Science, Math, English and Social Studies.

The implementation of "equity" based curriculum around the country has led to schools dropping accelerated classes, dropping AP classes, and a decline in exemplary education. If WCSD is going to improve the education of its students, funding and time should be spent on reading, writing and math.  
"A rising tide raises all ships."

Thank you,  
Hal Craddock

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