

NOTES
PITTSFORD TOWN/VILLAGE/SCHOOL DISTRICT
PITTSFORD LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING
OCTOBER 25, 2010– 11:30 AM
School District Annex Porch

PRESENT

William Carpenter, Town Supervisor; Mary Alice Price, Superintendent of Schools; Robert Corby, Village Mayor; Brent Kecskemety, Board of Education President; Ed Starowicz, Board of Education Vice-President; Tim Galli, Village Trustee

ABSENT

Sandy Zutes, Deputy Supervisor

NOTE TAKER

Linda Dillon, Assistant to Town Supervisor

NOTES FROM JUNE 28, 2010 MEETING

The team reviewed and approved the notes from the June 28, 2010 meeting as written.

QUALITY COMMUNITY BROCHURE FOR PITTSFORD

The team reviewed and discussed the most effective ways to distribute the Quality Community Brochure. Discussion included whether it should be included in a newsletter or whether it should be a “stand alone”. It was also suggested that it possibly be introduced in a media piece, such as the Messenger Post or other publication(s). The school indicated that they have begun to include this in their potential new resident folders (realtor packet). The Town indicated that they included the piece in special welcome packets that were distributed to Canal Conference visitors during the conference in September. After further discussion, the team concluded that the prime places for distribution would be: Throughout community offices (throughout School District offices, Village Hall, Town Hall, Spiegel Center and the Library), websites and realtor packets.

The team also concluded that initially they would produce 500 pieces to distribute and split the cost at the previously determined division of cost per entity. The team will revisit additional production of the piece as needed in the future.

NEXT STEPS FOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Members developed the following items to review and explore as they move forward:

- Review and update the list of collaborative efforts to date/what do we do/what can we do
- Review brainstorming items generated from the initial Joint Workshop
- Generate a list of state mandates and their impact on our budgets

UPDATES/REPORTS

Village: Mayor Corby reported that the plans for 75 Monroe Avenue are progressing and that the developer has produced and scheduled a 3-dimensional walk through of the plans to take place one week from today. Trustee Galli reported that the Village is currently reviewing the new Time Warner agreement and the franchise fees.

School: Superintendent Price reported that the school is reviewing their enrollment trend, noting that the aggregate that is generated is very accurate for the district, however, per individual school, it becomes more unpredictable. The school has had a committee in place that monitors and reviews these trends and they will be looking at how to better determine this fluctuation in individual schools within the district.

Superintendent Price also reported that the Turfs and Lights Committee has been meeting and are reporting to the board as they progress.

Superintendent Price also reported that the district has begun their Strategic Planning process to establish their 2012-2013 goals. She also noted that the district has received federal funding (\$25,000 disbursed over a 4-year period) under the Race to the Top Funds. In addition to the receipt of this funding, the pursuit and receipt of this grant provides the district more favorable possibilities for receipt of future grant funding opportunities.

Town: Supervisor Carpenter reported that the Town is moving ahead on the Port of Pittsford project following the Village's approval of the collaborative agreement on this project's funding.

Supervisor Carpenter also reported that the Health Care Consortium initiative is moving forward as well, indicating that the group has selected MVP as their carrier and projections indicate a cost-savings of \$10 million for the entire group over the next three years. Approvals from each of the communities and organizations in the group are forthcoming over the next two weeks. The consortium group currently consists of ten (10) communities and the Rochester Housing Authority. This consortium will realize a cost savings (manage costs), give members the ability to obtain data of health care usage and create a wellness program for members. Some communities have not been able to join, as current legislation dictates that a group joining the consortium must have at least 50 to participate.

NEXT MEETING – JANUARY 24, 2011

After some discussion, the team agreed to cancel the next meeting, originally scheduled for November 22nd. The next meeting will be held on January 24th at the Pittsford Community Library, Fletcher Steele Room.

AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

See Next Steps for Leadership in notes above.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda M. Dillon, Assistant to Town Supervisor

NOTES ARE ON FILE IN THE OFFICES OF THE TOWN, SCHOOL AND VILLAGE