

Town & City Councils/RTM/Board of Education Liaison Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
August 2, 2017 - 5:30 p.m.  
School Administration Building, Room 11

**Members Present:** Harry Watson, Conrad Heede, Lee White, Rosemary Robertson,

**Also Present:** Susan Austin, Sam Kilpatrick

Harry Watson called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

1. Approval of the Minutes of June 7, 2016 - the minutes were accepted with one change under School Facilities, “out” not “in” both Spring of 2016 and 2017.
2. Budget  
There was a discussion regarding cuts published in a recent Connecticut Mirror article. Accuracy of the article was questioned
3. School Facilities 2020 Plan  
Sam Kilpatrick said they were down to give architects for the project. Further discussion was deferred.
4. Joint Efficiency Committee (BOE/Town Council)  
Communication was discussed including Facebook and Web Page. A communication grant was mentioned along with two attached articles. (see attached)
5. Magnet School Discussion  
Northeast Academy and Catherine Kolnaski Schools have a prioritized lottery.
6. MM Parking Lot  
Harry Watson to follow-up with Town Manager John Burt.
7. Discussion on Summary Food Program  
See attached article in the Groton Public Schools “School Matters” newsletter.
8. Next Meeting Location – October 4, 2017, at the School Administration Building, Room 11.
9. Future Discussion Topics  
Conrad Heede asked to talk about “is there a Salad Bar at WSM.” Harry Watson to consider wording for a Liaison Mission Statement.
10. Adjournment - The meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m. by unanimous consensus.