

# Red Clay Consolidated School District

## Secondary Attendance-Zone & Programming

### Committee Meeting Minutes(FINAL)

**May 1, 2025** / 6:00 PM / RCCSD Board Rm, 1502 Spruce Ave, Wilmington, DE 19805

Zoom Meeting (For public only. Committee members are in person.)

<https://redclayschools.zoom.us/j/85473308331?pwd=mnbaR5Yj5YnqLdisLi8GSfODxSsU1t.1>

### Attendance/Welcome

Jason Bastianelli, Tawanda Bond, Emily Carroll, Dorrell Green, Antonio Gomes, Jose Matthews, Caitlin Merto, Mark Pruitt Jr , Jennifer Recchiuti, Madeleine Reitemeyer, Eric Sanford, Shawn Snyder, Reggie Worlds

Dr. Bond made a motion to begin the meeting, seconded by Mr. Worlds. Motion passed.

### Agenda Items

#### Opening Items

- Public Comment - None
- Approve Minutes from April 15th. Mr. Snyder made a motion to approve the minutes from April 15th, seconded by Mr. Sanford. Motion passed.

#### New Business

- The Committee's Charge/Goal - Mr. Pruitt
- Meeting Norms - Mr. Pruitt
- Tentative Timeline - Mr. Pruitt
- Brainstorming Recap - All
- Analysis & Discussion - All
- Straw Poll Data Discussion - All
- Discussion around an online school 6-12(students would have A-Z homeschool). Discussion of how this item aligns with the committee's charge statement. The committee agrees the idea has merit and enough interest to recommend the board look at this as a separate topic at a future board meeting.
- Narrowing Possibilities -Discussion started with options that garnered little to no response from the straw poll.
  - Capping Conrad and Cab at smaller enrollments. This action did not receive any consideration via the straw poll and was removed from further consideration.
  - Move AI middle to AI High to create one 6-12 A-Z program. This action received 2

votes of interest to move forward. Discussion - this move would limit high school capacity enrollment at AI High. Not aligned with the committee's charge. It was removed from further consideration.

- Reduce to 2 attendance zone high schools and relocate the Charter School of Wilmington to the open site- Mr. Pruitt made a motion to remove the idea due to not enough support by the committee. Discussion- what to put here? Motion seconded by Ms. Metro. Motion passed 11 yes 2 abstain. It was removed from further consideration.
- Mr. Pruitt made a motion to remove “provide equitable choice bussing for all students to all schools.” Discussion - available resources and funding to offer neighborhood bus stops to 26 schools for any Red Clay student who accepts a choice seat within the district is lacking. Mr. Gomes seconded the motion. Motion passed 11 yes 2 no. It was removed from further consideration.
- There was broad discussion on remaining ideas.
- Public Comment - Dr. Triebenbacher, Nate Bird, Jennifer Howard
- Adjourn - Mr. Matthews made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Ms. Merto. Motion passed.

## Action Items

Provide current enrollment statistics for Red Clay CTE programs.

Provide possible models for CTE center.

## Next Meeting

May 21, 2025 @6pm at RCCSD Board Rm, 1502 Spruce Ave, Wilmington, DE 19805

*This meeting is open to the public. The draft meeting minutes will be posted on the district's website, [redclayschools.com](http://redclayschools.com), within 3 business days of the meeting.*