

Infrastructure Coordinator Report: Robin Balles reported:

1. Water lead testing was conducted for all sinks. Results indicate that all levels are within acceptable limits. Reports will be posted on the school website. This testing is performed every three (3) years as required the Department of Education.
2. Summer projects are on schedule.
3. Outsourced projects will commence on Monday, July 21, 2025.

Curriculum Coordinator Report: Traci Pannullo reported:

1. The Earth Charter +25 Conference was attended on July 1 - July 3, 2025 by Traci Pannullo, Maggie Vetter and alumni students Olivia Pannullo and Benjamin Pannullo.
2. RVCS was presented with a framed Earth Charter School Seal award.
3. The conference was an excellent opportunity to connect with attendees from over 35 countries.
4. Background information and application process for the Earth Charter Seal was explained.

Business Coordinator Report: Jennifer Ross reported:

- Approval of June 19, 2025 minutes. Approved with one correction.
- **Resolution 07.17.25a** To pay bills for the dates of June 20, 2025 - June 30, 2025 in the amount of \$111,110.67 which includes payroll. To pay bills for the dates of July 1, 2025 - July 17, 2025 in the amount of \$71,485.89 which includes payroll. Approved with one abstention.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.b** To approve offering a contract to Clara Miller as a Classroom Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$45,000.00 for 10 months. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.c** To approve offering a contract to Jocelyn Carlson as a Classroom Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$45,000.00 for 10 months. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.d** To approve submission of the 2024-2025 Annual Report. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.e** To approve the 2025-2026 Resolution Advisory Committee as follows: Parents: Marly Bewighouse and Diana Gumpel, Staff: Bradley White and Tyler Thurgood, Trustee: Julie Budzinski-Flores. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.f** To approve the 2025-2026 School Climate & Culture Team members of Christine O'Donnell, Lisa Masi, Tina Manning, Melanie Quintanilla and RaJahn Owens. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.g** To approve the Ridge and Valley CS (807727) hereby resolves through a Board Resolution on 07/17/2025 not to apply for the IDEA Consolidated Preschool funds of \$815.00 allocated under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B (IDEA-B) Fiscal Year 2026. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.h** To approve contracting with Barko Building Co. to install new partition wall in the OT office, located in the Universe Building, for an amount not to exceed \$3,675. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.i** To approve contracting with BambooHR to provide a Human Resources and Benefits Administration system at a cost of \$464.50/month for the 2025-2026 school year. Contract is month-to-month. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.j** To approve contracting with the NJ Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired to provide Level I services at a rate of \$2,541.00 for the 2025-2026 school year. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.k** To approve offering a contract to Michael Ross as a Support Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$27,500.00 for 10 months. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.l** To approve offering a contract to Emily Allen as a Classroom Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$50,000.00 as a Classroom Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$50,000.00 for 10 months. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.m** To approve offering a contract to Bridget Fajvan as a Support Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$27,500.00 for 10 months. Approved unanimously.
- **Resolution 07.17.25.n** To approve offering a contract to Olivia Mohlmann as a Support Guide for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$27,500.00 for 10 months. Approved unanimously.

- **Resolution 07.17.25.o** To approve offering a contract to Ieva Alverson as an LT/Nebula Team member for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of \$87,500.00, with contract dates from August 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026. Title and responsibilities to be determined. Approved unanimously.

Committee Reports:

Communication: No report.

Facilities: Covered earlier.

Finance: The committee met to review the budget.

Parent: No report.

Policy: Kerry Barnett discussed a possible policy to establish a salary ratio between Classroom Guides and Administration.

Cultivating Leadership: No report

Hiring: Covered earlier.

Other Business:

- The Compensation Committee was discussed. Julie Budzinski-Flores will be joining the committee and will be reaching out to current members.
- The Yass Prize was submitted. The Trustees acknowledged and thanked the Nebula Team for their assistance.
- The 2025-2026 RVCS Reorganization Document was discussed.
- A board member inquired about training.
- RVCS Annual Report mission goals were shared from last year and reviewed.
- Upcoming Events: Thursday, August 28, 2025 - RVCS Meet & Greet 6:00pm-8:00pm.

Executive Session to discuss personnel : 8:32pm

Return to Public Session: 10:00pm

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Meeting adjourned at 10:04pm

Jennifer Ross, Business Coordinator