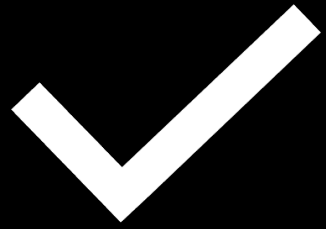

Commack U.F.S.D. Board of Education

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT
JUNE 17, 2020





Budget Vote and Trustee Election Results

Through multi-year, strategic planning, and with significant community input, we developed a fiscally sound budget, to present to the community.

Budget Vote Results

Nearly 7,500 mail-in ballots were counted

- 5,332 Yes Votes
- 2,128 No Votes

The Board of Education Trustee Results

- William Hender (incumbent, ran unopposed) - Total Votes: 5,157
- Susan Hermer (incumbent) 3,401 v. Michael Weisberg 3,021

**Thank you for supporting our students and the
entire educational program in Commack.**

Reopening Task Force

Envisioning the Reopening of Commack Schools Under COVID-19



The steering committee will identify items to consider related to the opening of schools during the COVID-19 pandemic. Recommendations will be made to the Superintendent for inclusion in a “Blue Print” for re-entry under COVID-19.

It is our goal to keep learning alive and our students connected while maintaining the health, wellness and safety of the entire school community.

Task Force Members:

Dr. Donald A. James – Superintendent of Schools

Jarrett Behar – Board of Education

Laura Newman – Assistant Superintendent for Business

Amy J. Ryan – Assistant Superintendent for CIA

Jordan Cox – Executive Director of Instructional Services

Leslie Boritz – Principal Commack High School

Michael Larson – Principal Commack Middle School

Katherine Rihm – Principal North Ridge Primary School

Nicole Kregler – Director of Guidance

Richard Schramm – Director of Facilities

Eugene Girardi – District Physician

John Murray – Commack CTA President

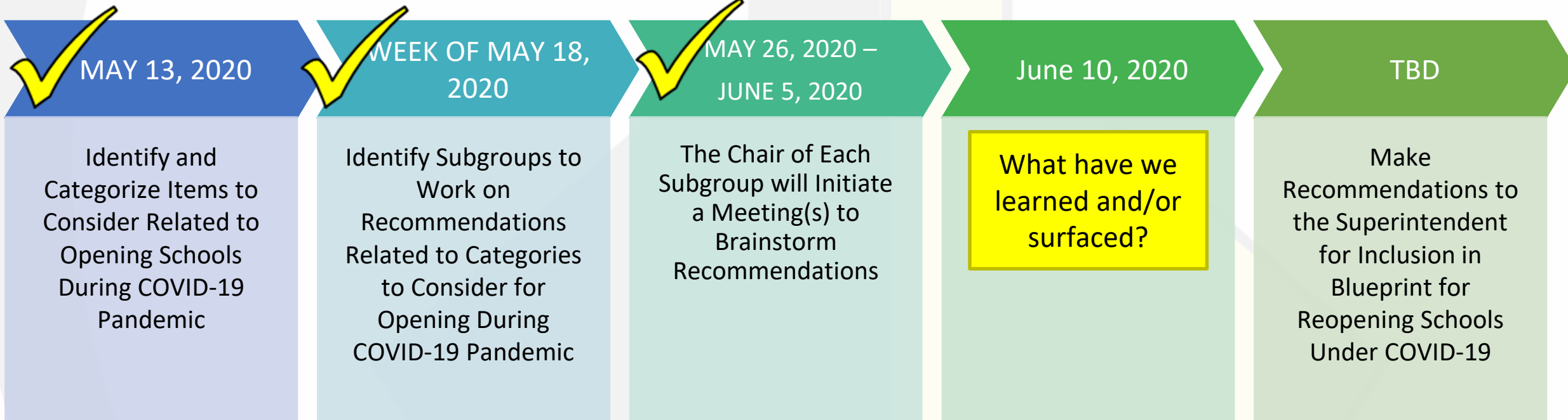
John Kelly – School Psychologist

Diana Bishop – Nurse

Christopher Guiffre – Security

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Items to Consider for “Blueprint to Reopen”

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| Facilities, Health, Security | PPE for Students and Staff | Entering Facility | Before & After School Activities | Remote Instruction | Classroom Arrangements | Lunch Service |
| Co-Curricula | Nurses Offices | Restroom Facilities | Large Group Gatherings | Student Supplies | Retrofitting Current Classrooms | Moving About School |
| Transportation | Body Temperature Sensors | Building Use | Large Group Testing | Alternative Settings | SCOPE | School Visitors |
| Instruction | COVID-19 Protocols | Auxiliary Buildings | Field Trips | Supply Kits for eLearning | Transportation | Staff/Student Vulnerability |
| Personnel | Chaired by Jose Santiago and Jordan Cox – First Meeting TBD | | | | | |
| Mental Health & Outreach | | | | | | |
| Multi-Racial Curriculum Review Panel | | | | | | |

Conversation Starters

What are the most important conversations we can have to prepare for the safe and effective reentry of our students and staff...



How do we accommodate our staff and students to **ensure they are safe to return?**

How do we assure we are addressing the needs of ALL learners.

How do we reach the depth and breadth of learning **in a remote setting?**

What could school buildings look like to support **social distancing?**

How do we provide for the safe **transportation** of our students?

How can we make our **use of technology more impactful i.e. 1:1 Initiative?**

I'd like to talk about our **kids' social and emotional health.**

How does COVID-19 impact the **physical space of a classroom?**

What is and what should be distinctive about Commack's curriculum? **Is the curriculum accessible to all?**

What Have We Learned and/or Surfaced?

Guiding Principles


- The social emotional well-being, health, safety and security of our students and staff is paramount to the successful reopening of Commack Schools
- It will be critical to have strategies and supports for students, families and staff members in place for each phase of recovery
 - (before reopening, immediately after reopening and long-term support).
- It will be necessary to identify the potential gaps in student learning, to ensure the successful growth of our students toward the end of the school year.





Next Steps

- Additional Data Gathering
 - Parent Survey: Strength Based Model
- Make Recommendations to the Superintendent for Inclusion in Blueprint for Reopening Schools Under COVID-19
 - Awaiting guidance and/or regulations from Governors office.
 - Proposals for reopening based on guidance and/or regulations are due to the State by July 15, 2020.
 - Proposals regarding reopening will be shared at a public meeting prior to submission to the State.
- Begin Making Modifications and/or Purchases
 - Begin making modifications to space if necessary, modifications to Instructional Programs etc.
 - Begin purchasing materials to make modifications and address Instructional Programs (i.e. Temperature Sensors, Masks, etc.)



Questions from the Board of Education?