

ABRSC Meeting 8/2/11

I move that the Acton Boxborough Regional School Committee (ABRSC) create a Regional School District Study Committee (RSDSC) and charge the RSDSC with researching, evaluating and reporting back to the ABRSC its findings with respect to amending the Regional Agreement between the Towns of Acton and Boxborough to expand the region to include grades pre-K through 12 for the member towns.

The factors that the RSDSC is charged with researching, evaluating, and reporting on include, but are not limited to the following:

- Education goals, objectives, and curriculum offerings
- School committee membership
- Administration of an Expanded District vs. Current Administration
- Staff
- School buildings: ownership, location and use
- Contracts, liabilities, and assets
- Memberships and affiliations
- Municipal - indirect costs in support of educational services
- Development of district budget
- Apportioning of capital/operating costs
- Transitional period
- State aid

The RSDSC will consist of 3 members from each member town and will be selected by the ABRSC. The composition of the members from each town will be:

- Current school committee member from each town
- Current or previous finance committee member from each town, or a person with the knowledge and experience to evaluate financial models
- Community Resident (parent of a current student(s) preferred)

The RSDSC will provide monthly status reports to the ABRSC.