

***Building, Security, & Technology Committee Meeting Minutes
August 4, 2015
Main Office Conference Room
5:15PM***

Present: Dr. Bill Foster, Mr. Mark Miller, Mr. Richard Hansen, and Mrs. Kathryn Strouse

Dr. Foster toured the farmhouse along with Mr. Hansen and Mrs. Strouse to gain a better understanding of the condition of the structure.

A.L.I.C.E. – Enhanced Lockdown Training: The Director explained A.L.I.C.E. training, which was sponsored by the BCIU in July. The training, attended by school administrators and local police officers, teaches enhanced lockdown skills that can be used if an active shooter or intruder is in the school building. A.L.I.C.E. empowers individuals to participate in their own survival, while leading others to safety. The Director contacted Mr. Michael Kozup, Director of the Office for Safe Schools for the Pennsylvania Department of Education to discuss his views on the A.L.I.C.E. program and learned that he supports this initiative. The Director also met with the Director of Bucks County Emergency Services and the Warwick Police Chief to discuss A.L.I.C.E.; and both individuals support this training program as well.

Transformer Project – Update: The Facility Manager reported that the transformer project is just about complete with only one transformer left to be installed. The use of an Engineer to oversee the project has contributed to everything going very smoothly. The final transformer will be installed by the end of the week.

HVAC Update: The Facility Manager discussed the replacement of the four HVAC units in the culinary area; which is expected to be completed by August 28th.

Summer Projects: The Facility Manager updated the committee on the progress of the summer projects that include: designing the Sport Therapy and Exercise Management lab space, refurbishing the Automotive lab floor, installing carpet in the Preschool classroom, installing tile in the Dental lab, installing an ANSUL chemical suppression system in culinary lab area, and repairing concrete in the South Plaza. In addition, a locker room for male students was built in A 2nd wing in response to the Civil Rights Audit conducted by PDE in October 2014.

The meeting adjourned at 6:00 PM.