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**Subject:** MINUTES OF MEETING ON TUESDAY 10/9/07

Hello Fellow Committee Members:

Below are the minutes of the brief discussion/meeting of last night.

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General Meeting of the Tweak Committee started at approximately 7:00 pm. After general discussion, each sub-committee broke out at approximately 7:20 pm.

Attendant members of the Out-of-Boundaries Sub-committee:

1. Mahri Aste
2. Patricia Velkoff
3. Phyllis Payne
4. Kathy Gillette

It was discussed that, since each of the sub-committees had the potential for a serious degree of overlapping interests in resolving the problem(s) set forth in this task force, that we felt our efforts should be focused and specific. Therefor,

Our stated focused goals in this group are to make recommendation to either REDUCE, ELIMINATE OR CONSOLIDATE TRANSPORTATION TO SOME OR ALL OF THE NON-MANDATED PROGRAMS WITHIN FAIRFAX COUNTY.

The items that are needed to make proper assessment in order to make our recommendations to the Tweak Committee are:

- ◆ Mapping showing "to and from" locations for only buses provided for non-mandated programs
- ◆ Concentrations of students utilizing the bus service
- ◆ Anticipated volume of students at each pick-up location
- ◆ Actual usage of buses

Once a visual overview of the current system is outlined, there were some feasibility issues that were discussed:

- ◆ Is it feasible to establish a "Regional" Drop-off/Pick-Up Site to consolidate service?
- ◆ Are there limits to transporting children (and at what ages) due to federal or state mandates?
- ◆ Through the "Cut List" already established through FCPS, are some of these programs already at risk of being eliminated, for whatever reason, therefore are not at issue in this discussion?

Our next sub-committee meeting is SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2007, 10:00 am at MOSBY WOODS ES.

The general meeting reconvened at 8:50 pm, and the final close was established at 9:00 pm.

Mahri Aste is tasked to collect as much data from Linda @ Transportation to allow us to follow our course.

Respectfully submitted.

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Thanks. It was nice to meet with you all. See you on Saturday.

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