A 2020 Vision for Public Education in Ulster County

March 10, 2016
SUNY New Paltz
Student Union Building, Room 62/63

8:30am  Breakfast

9:00am  Welcome and review of 2020 goals

9:10am  Bringing more local food to our cafeterias

Farm to school: how can we make it work? A panel discussion with:
Rosario Agostaro, Rondout Valley Central School District
Mary Ann Johnson, Hudson Valley AgriBusiness Development Corporation
Jim Hyland, The Farm Bridge
Jamie Levato, Poughkeepsie Farm Project
Kevin Terr, Red Barn Produce, Inc.
Deborah DeWan, Rondout Valley Growers

Action plans and next steps: advancing farm to school in Ulster County
Working session among participants

11:20am  Break

11:30am  Regional transportation: Follow up on the Transportation Advisory Services study
Warren Donohue, Ulster County BOCES
12:00pm
Update on past research
Later school start times
Nicole Parete, Rondout Valley Central School District
Aimee Hemminger, New Paltz Central School District

Review of new reports
Career readiness: Bob Curran, Ulster County BOCES
Flipped classroom: Lynne Drake, Rondout Valley Central School District

Future directions for research: preliminary ideas
Defining educational quality: Robin Jacobowitz, Kingston City School District
High schools: Charles Khoury, Ulster County BOCES

Closing
Gerald Benjamin, The Benjamin Center

12:30pm
Lunch
Continued discussion

1:30pm
Adjourn

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