

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 45 (WEST VANCOUVER)
BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 45 (WEST VANCOUVER)

REPORT ON MEETING WITH MR. W. E. LUCAS, MR. LES BROOKS AND
ARISTIDE PETER JONES HELD AT THE SYLVIA HOTEL ON
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1965 AT 12:15 P.M.

The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the implications and implementation of suggestions to Boards following the last joint meeting of Boards on the North Shore Junior College.

October 27th, 1965.

In discussions between Mr. Les Brooks and the members of the Interim Report, it became apparent that the Minister and Senior Department officials should be advised immediately of the steps already taken by Boards on the North Shore regarding the establishment of a Junior College. This was considered necessary in order to prevent first knowledge of our activities by the press. In order to avoid any publicity by the press, the reception of the idea of the North Shore could well be put in jeopardy.

Dear Mr. Lucas:-

It was agreed that a letter be written to both Minister and Senior Officials informing them of progress made to date and submitting for their personal copies. At the regular Board meeting held on Monday evening, I presented a report of our recent meeting which was held at the Sylvia Hotel.

The report was to be put in its final form and a précis prepared for general distribution. In conjunction with this report I requested that the Board pass the two resolutions as set forth. This was done and we are now ready for the further step in the following:

(1) That the Board of School Trustees of West Vancouver receive the Interim Report of the North Shore Regional College Study.

Yours very truly,

(2) That this Board recommend that the North Shore Regional College Study in its final form be reproduced in its final form for internal use by the Board and for distribution to the public, and that the format, selection of a printer and so on be left to a committee to be appointed by the joint action of the chairmen of the commissioning Boards (North Vancouver, S.D. 44 and West Vancouver, S.D. 45). Costs to be borne in the same ratio as the cost of the study.

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cc: Mr. L. Brooks

It was suggested that Boards refrain from further resolutions until the final report and précis are received. Pending this a joint meeting of both Boards would seem to be desirable in order to work out the mechanics of releasing the report and establishing a suitable publicity campaign.

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It was therefore agreed that a letter be written to both Minister and Senior Officials informing them of progress made to date and submitting for their perusal copies of the Interim Report.

In the meantime the Interim Report was to be put in its final form and a précis prepared for general distribution.

It was suggested that Boards at their first meeting pass the following two resolutions which were recommended by the joint meeting:

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