# Technology Committee Meeting Minutes – 2/11/2019

## Board Members Present:
Dean Cowger  
Tom Fausel, Chair  
Bruce Guillmette

## Committee Members Present:
Stephanie Anderson  
Stacey Begert  
Cheri Burke  
Bruce Mullen  
Chris Rau  
Justin Russell  
Chris Weaver

## Committee Members Absent:
Leigh Ponte  
Rob Stickles

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| **The Power of Us**           | Dean Cowger shared his vision for community participation in helping to develop our technology environment. Elements include:  
                               | • Volunteer engagements by IT professionals that live in R10  
                               | • Career Planning  
                               | • Technology Club  
                               | • Opportunity Awareness Events  
                               | • White Hat Hackathons  
                               | Next steps include defining and prioritizing the initial efforts. |
| **Current State Assessment**  | Chris Weaver discussed upcoming state testing for:  
                               | • Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS) for 5th, 8th and 11th grades  
                               | • Smarter Balance Assessment Consortium (SBAC) for grades 5-8. |
| **Teacher Technology Committee Updates** | Stacey Begert led a discussion on how technology is changing the way students engage in the learning process and the way teachers are adapting. |
| **Future State Planning**     | No discussion                                                          |
| Roadmap Development  
| Next Steps – Outcomes, Costs, Tasks, Resources, and Timelines | No discussion |
| Upcoming Meetings | TBD |
| Adjourn | A motion was made by Bruce Guillemette and seconded by Chris Rau to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 p.m.; all in favor; none opposed; motion carried unanimously. |

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
Eleanor Parente, Secretary

[Signature]
Date 3/11/19

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Additionally, Robert’s Rules in brief advises “The name and subject of a guest speaker or other program may be given, but no summary of the talk.” [RONRIB page 149]

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RSD10 Chair