

Results from Community Meeting March 4, 2010

<u>Concerns for District 159</u>	<u># of Tables Responding*</u>
Class Size	17
No Extracurriculars + Band	17
Full Day Kindergarten	11
Property Value	9
Students Competitive in HS	7
State Take Over	3
Teacher Reassignment	2
Poor Student Morale	2
<u>Resources Available</u>	
Volunteers for Programs	12
Park District	11
Parent Volunteers for Café	6
Community Organizations	4
Club Sports	4
Co-op with Other Districts	3
Churches	2
Retirees	2
<u>Next Steps</u>	
Go for November Referendum	
Smaller (9) + Push now for November(10)	19
Community/Corporate Sponsorships/Grants/Fundraising	17
Charge for Extracurricular Activities	15
Hold More Public Meetings	13
Teacher Union Concessions	10
Increase Registration Fees	7
Educate All (including those without kids in school)	7
Administration Salary Concessions	6
Make Band Curricular	5
Close 1 Building	5
Issue Working Cash Bonds	4
Trim Operations and Maintenance Budget	3
Reduce Bussing	3
Reduce Administration	2
Eliminate Teacher Tuition	2

*Information was gathered from 24 tables of participants. The first column lists areas of discussion that each group developed. The second column displays the number of tables (out of 24) that arrived at these items for future discussion.