

**Berkeley Global Campus  
Community Working Group  
November 30 Community Briefing and Open House**

**Comment Card Notes**

**Education**

**No name**

- D.3: \$3million Opportunity Fund

**Lizzy Gore: Charter School Teacher**

- Integrate LITERACY into STEM training for teachers/prof development, literacy THROUGH science instruction.
- D3: Most kids live far from whatever museum may be built--- we need mobile units/trailers to bring the wonder of science to kids IN THEIR NEIGHBORHOODS IN SCHOOLS.

**Helen Toy – member of education subcommittee**

- Please [re-insert\_ “literacy training” in teacher PD.

**Rev. Craig Scott: UU Church of Berkeley/CCISCO**

- #1 Recommendation only make sense w/ adequate funding from UCB and LBNL \$3 million per year

**No name**

- D2: Provide education to parents on who to support children though their education.
- Education parents on parenting.

**Lee Lawrence, CCISCO**

- In education center, include pre-school – child care facilitates open to both community and BGC members.
- #3 Education fund: 3 million per year
- D. Pre school. 75% of Richmond children grow up in poverty. Kids in poverty are 2 years behind starting kindergarten: house built on weak starting cognitive foundation cannot stand.

**No name**

- B. Career Exposure Develop exchange program for HS students with other countries ie S Korea might be interested in an exchange program where students would learn how to sail a victory ship an all that entails. Our students would sail to Korea for a semester of instruction there while Korean students would sail here for the same period of time. We

should be able to work out a sharing of the Red Oak in exchange for a ??? fitting of the ship to make it sea worthy.

### **Jamilen Ebrahimi/RYSE Center**

- #3: There are community ??? in working to establish a fund that will meet the explicit needs of children and youth in the city. The purpose of the proposed fund is to create a sustainable long term funding stream in order to create a youth-??? That prioritizes the holistic well-being and builds resilience of children and youth in Richmond. This proposal doesn't include any amount, details of potential management or oversight.
- The Richmond Kids First initiative would be administered under the city manager's office, and include a community and youth oversight cmte and is hoping to secure a min of 4.3 million above and over what the city already dedicates to youth. Also there will be a strategic plan w/ comprehensive evaluation. This initiative is focused on 5 – 24 year olds.

### **Cordell Hindler, PPNC**

- #4: Proving more transportation for low-income youth

### **no name**

- a \$3 mill annual youth education fund with oversight from the community members, esp caregivers and students, is crucial.

### **Lee Lawrence, CCISCO**

- BGC should help Richmond schools focus on literacy

### **Denis Johnson the III**

- #1: Re open CCC as a university for people of color

### **Sequoia, CCHS**

- please remember to utilize the HS Career Pathways Programs to directly support interns, etc. Thank you.

### **Katie Krolikowski/Richmond Taxpayer: CCC faculty**

- Framing: Pipelines, pathways, partnerships: large scale, sustained.
- Need more participation (successes) data
- Educational partnership: 6 months, composition
- Education center: It is important any center like this not be window dressing. It should
  - Directly support WCCUSD Academy faculty, and be presented in-sync and in response to plans and goals of establishing faculty work.
  - Be designed/developed by experienced experts in educational effectiveness with such project. Recent graduates and grant-hoppers are not ideal leaders for a project like this.

- Youth Adult Opportunity Fund: D3: K-adult/Workforce: Absolutely Commitment to a substantial fund, administered by a public, Brown-Act committee with Broad representation of committed stakeholders.
- A. College Exposure: So much is currently going on. Work to support and scale successful work-based opportunities where students and UC Berkeley hosts benefit.

**John Penilla: Social organizer: Student labor Committee**

- 3: UC will pay \$3million annually to a youth education fund.
- Ed Center should include 2-4 mobile opportunities to study throughout the city.

**Robert McCauley**

- There needs to be a sustained financial commitment in order for any impact on education in Richmond. The idea that the presence of UC in Richmond will be beneficial to K-12 is not obvious. UC must commit to long-term funding of educational improvement in Richmond. Minimum \$3,000,000 annually.

**Lynne Henderson PhD, Clinical Psychologist**

- Education: Really like the progression from classroom to learning by doing and \_\_\_\_ in the community. Improve Creativity and Citizens.
- Education B: Outstanding recommendations for Career exposure – with resources and evaluation.

**S. Nixon, UUCB Social Justice committee**

- Education: Youth Opportunity: Community Center: for local youth now have to pay to play basketball, etc. Get kids off the street with activities by making basketball, etc. at community center free.
- Education: preschool: kids born in poverty come to kindergarten 1<sup>st</sup> grade are 2 years behind – these kids are more apt to drop out – not get to college or job training.

**Sasha Graham: ACCE**

- #1: Make the partnership happen in Q1 2016 we need to have a plan in effect as soon as possible to ensure that the rest of the recommendations will happen.
- #1: ABC: Children need exposure to college and career. In Richmond children are not able to see a better life we must be the catalyst to make our children the bright lights for the future.
- #3: \$3million annually to be increased as the institution is established over the years, more money made, more money spent on actual education happening outside of BGC, school districts need a lot of funding.