## Common Core Task Force Wednesday, April 23, 2014 – 4:30-6:30pm Cromwell High School Library, 1 Donald Harris Drive, Cromwell

## Minutes

## Committee Chairs: Erin Wilson, Nate Quesnel

**Committee Members:** Jim Accomando, Elizabeth Brown, Diana Burns, Ken Daly, Anthony Ditrio, Patti Fusco, Juanita Harris, Don Harris, Anne Jellison, Barbara Johnson, Edith Johnson, Sue Loud, Sean McKenna, William McKinney, Elizabeth Misiewicz, Vicki Reed, Dianna Roberge-Wentzell, Susan Schmidt, Paula Talty, Ivelise Velazquez, Bruce Yarnall, Candy Yeager

- I. Meeting opens at 4:34pm.
- II. Chairs Erin Wilson and Nate Quesnel welcome the task force members and other attendees. They thank Paula Talty, Cromwell Superintendent of Schools, for hosting the meeting.
- III. Chair Erin Wilson reviews the norms that were agreed upon at the first meeting of the Task Force.
- IV. Chair Nate Quesnel reviews expected outcomes for session III.
- V. Chair Erin Wilson introduces warm-up activity. Groups come up with three words to summarize the work of the task force.
- VI. Chairs Erin Wilson and Nate Quesnel review definitions of root cause analysis and logic framework.
- VII. Dr. Sal Menzo, Superintendent of Wallingford Public Schools, presents on best practices of Common Core implementation.
- VIII. Groups discuss the presentation and share their takeaways.
- IX. Chair Erin Wilson reviews upcoming district visits.
- X. Meeting adjourns at 6:00pm.