

DCAT "meeting" 3/12/08

There was a conversation, not a meeting. A quorum would have been 4 voting members given the present size of the committee.

Erika, George, Todd Z, and Paul all had reported they would likely not attend. Mark Morong had mentioned he would not be a Town Councilor by meeting time as he was not running for re-election.

We had our conversation in the HS "conference room" as it has more comfortable chairs. The janitorial staff (**Ron**) unlocked the door for us and knew we were expected.

Craig Stevens and I talked DCAT for a while and then **Dave Langley** joined us and we talked more DCAT.

Craig mentioned that **Carol Camp** has submitted her resignation. That means there are now two vacancies and **Paul's** and **Erika's** appointments are made annually. A **Town Councilor** appointment is needed.

Tom Merrick mentioned receiving a letter regarding his term that is ending.

Craig had a good tale about the programming relative to the recent elections. Also the Mill Plaza hearing was broadcast.

We mentioned the loss of **Paul G.** as he leaves ORCSD this spring. His program is to be transferred to the art department we have heard. We are curious how the ORCSD plans to proceed with the programming such as **School Board** meetings and all the content **Paul** has been coordinating.

In addition there is some **town owned equipment** at the school. Its disposition should be determined.

Tom Merrick suggested that a full report be generated covering the above and:

Craig Steven's successes and problem solutions as he single handedly manages DCAT in all its various aspects.

The recent programming around the election including 3 candidate forums, ORCSD deliberative session, Mill Plaza hearing, and Fair Tax resolution. (and possibly other)

Paul's leaving and appreciation of his many contributions.

Not having official meetings for 3 months.

And any other items that ought to be recorded.

Tom suggested this be communicated via email and assembled by **Todd Z.** for information to be given to **Todd S.** and the Town Council.

All are requested to contribute.