

School Community Council Agenda

12 November 2015

Members in attendance: Andrea Persons, Carrie Wagner, Debbie Johnson, Elizabeth Hill, Claudia Jimenez, Jeri Rigby, Sonja Anderson, Mr. Watts

Land Trust Allocation Discussion:

PRIORITY/Turn Around School: Improvements have been with the number of children being sent to the office. Teachers reporting a more positive climate, and rippling down to the students. Teachers are caring more about the kids it seems.

2nd 90 Day plan- Teachers want to make the collaboration time more effective and more targeted. They want to look at data, figure out what they can do as a team to improve based on district template. Plan instruction for mastery of standards. A report from a training will be presented to teachers tomorrow. Focus is on purposeful planning.

Data: mainly behavior of students reported. Sonja discusses that there is a noticeable difference, even in the hallways, that things are much less chaotic. Mr. Watts will give additional data at the next meeting. Students enjoying Playworks.

Meeting Schedule: Going to do meetings monthly-addition of a December meeting- Thursday 3rd December @3:30 / January 14 @ 3:30 / February 11th @ 3:30 / March 10th / April 21st @3:30 /May 19th @ 3:30

Minutes from Previous Meeting: Mr. Watts motions for the minutes to be accepted. Carrie and Debbie second the motion.

By Laws: Need to approve the Bylaws

Training Take Aways: Enjoyable. Sonja and Debbie: video was different than the slides in the presentation. District should update their slides. Andrea: our website needs to be updated. We need to be posting the minutes.

Mr. W: learned how to update the website with the minutes. Andrea posted the invitation to the meeting. Talked about doing a peachjar flyer. Twitter and FB posts of meetings. Andrea hung a notice of meeting on entry doors.

Update the roster.

Two things: Fed deems us a priority school. SB235 mandated improvement efforts/appraisals-consultant-two year improvement plan separated into 90 day chunks.

State office of Education meetings and applied for waivers to some of requirements. Turn around school. Appraisal-outside consultant and come up with a plan. Here is the plan, this is appraisal, this is the plan, areas that we need to improve, this is what we are focusing, presented the first 90 day plan. Working with U OF U as consultants.

State wants to see more coaching and more time for planning. Turn around Initiative. Waiver request was approved for SB235. Mr. Watts will be attending additional leadership training.

Mr. Watt covers staffing of FTE, our school went over FTE during Audit. Right now:

1 Title One Aid//@ 17,000.00-20 hours per week

2 Interventionist//@ 16,000.00 combined

Want to hire Spanish speaking interventionist 2//@ 13,000.00 Combined

46,000.00 total (46675.00 + carry overs =50,504.00 this year)

2 grand for subs

2 grand for academic field trip

---50 grand

Leaving 504 dollars over.

Mr. Watts will update the council on which trips are taking throughout the year. Fourth grade went to Silver Lake already this year.

No need for an updated plan re the minor changes to where money is spent.

Need interventionists that speak Spanish, if anyone knows anyone looking for a job send, them to District to apply.