

CENTENNIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING AUGUST 29, 2017

THE CENTENNIAL MISDDLE SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL MET ON TUESDAY AUGUST 29, 2017 AT 12 NOON IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE ROOM.

THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL MEMBERS WERE IN ATTENDANCE AT THE MEETING:

KYLE BATES – PRINCIPAL

ARICA SUMNER – TEACHER REP.

LISA BOYCE – PARENT

AMY HACKWORTH – PARENT

JOSIE ESPLIN – PARENT

DAN JENSEN – PARENT

(Linda Freeze-Admin.Sec. Taking minutes)

Kyle Bates welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming and being on the council. Everyone took a minute to introduce themselves.

Kyle announced that there needed to be an election of a Chairman and Vice Chairman. A discussion was held about council members experience and availability to serve as Chairman and Vice Chairman.

Lisa Boyce nominated Josie Esplin to be Chairman.

Amy Hackworth seconded the nomination.

All were in favor.

Josie Esplin nominated Dan Jensen to be Vice Chairman,

Amy Hackworth seconded the nomination.

All were in favor.

Kyle discussed the purpose of the School Community Council as stated in the Provo School District Policy No.7050.

“The purposes of school community councils are to involve parents or guardians of students in decision making at the school level, improve the quality of education of students, prudently expend School LAND Trust Program money, and

increase public awareness of school trust lands and related land policies, management of the State School Fund, and educational excellence.”

Kyle also talked about the six Provo School District expectations according to the Policy No.7050. They are:

1. Develop a School Improvement plan, also known as a Student Achievement Plan, as outlined by the policy 2140.
2. Develop a School LAND Trust Plan that must be focused at the school's most critical need to improve student achievement.
3. Assist in planning and implementation of staff development following district professional development guidelines.
4. Develop a child routing plan for safe travel to school.
5. Advise and make recommendations to the principal regarding school programs.
6. Develop at the elementary level a literacy plan to support reading achievement.

At this point, the new Chairman, Josie Esplin took charge of the meeting. She explained a little more about the role of the Community Council. Josie asked that Kyle find out what the estimated funds are for this year. She also suggested that it is always good to have accountability and feedback on the year's plan.

The Student Improvement Plan needs to be put on the website and a copy given to council members. (Linda will do this.)

The data used to measure students improvements come from the Sage testing.

After discussing it, it was agreed that future meetings will be held on the 3rd Monday of the month at noon in the CMS Conference Room. (Exceptions would be in January and February when the 3rd Monday is a holiday. Those months the meeting will be held on the 2nd Monday of that month.) Along with the meeting dates/time, the agenda will also be put on the website and emailed in ParentLink.

Josie gave two assignments to do before the next meeting.

--She asked council members to go thru their copies of CMS School Plan 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 and become familiar with these plans.

--Go to Trustland website and learn more about Provo City School District's Annual Training for School Land Trust (Wednesday October 11 the the Professional Development Center from 2 to 3:30 pm)

Discussion for next meeting:
Dates for Principal/Students lunches

MEETING SCHEDULE 2017-18:

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 2017 12NOON – 1 PM

MONDAY OCTOBER 16, 2017 12NOON – 1 PM

MONDAY NOVEMBER 20, 2017 12NOON – 1 PM

MONDAY DECEMBER – NO MEETING

TUESDAY JANUARY 8, 2017 12NOON – 1PM

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 12, 2017 12NOON – 1PM

MONDAY MARCH 19, 2017 12NOON – 1 PM

MONDAY APRIL 16, 2017 12NOON 1PM

MONDAY MAY 21, 2017 12NOON – 1PM