

Calvin Smith Elementary  
Community Council  
December 7, 2018

1. Welcome

Kristen Logan, Michelle Benson, Nicole McDermott, Ryan Davidson, Lindsay Cottrell, Jeff Seaman, Brandy Seaman, Cindy Dunn

2. Approval of November Minutes

Minutes approved

3. Principal's Reports

New business

- Budget update: We are spending money on track. We are at about \$55,000 left. Biggest expense was ST Math.
- School profile sheet: biggest concern is attendance we have already had 85 unexcused absences in the first week of December. Averaging 28 tardies per day.
- A new piece has been added to our school grade. We are to provide a school self-report indicator. These are things we are already doing within the school. We will be looking at Parent and Family Engagement

5. Follow up business

Letter of intent for reconfiguration

- Sent the letter of intent. The district received it. As of last Wednesday, 4 official letters have been sent in. 3 unofficial have been sent in. We are currently at 7/10 letters of intent for reconfiguration. Bennion, Vista, Plymouth, Calvin Smith all sent in letters.
- Look in to defining "reconfiguration" in the school and what that means for schools and grades.

Reconfiguration survey

- Survey was just sent out and is due back Dec. 7th
- Send out survey to Calvin Smith parents- approved!

Proficiency Based Grading

- Was brought up at the district level- district wide PBG PD will be given in the month of December. District is providing teachers with more information. The district is providing PD for teachers from Feb. to May with a stipend and teachers can attend as many of those as they want.
- Teachers will be given a survey to find what teachers needs with PBG
- Brandy sent an email to 15 parents with 8 responses across grades k-6 asking if they had any questions
- Concerns are differences in goals and grades. Parents are confused as the discrepancy between grades between grades, classes, etc.
- Where is the 4?

6. PTA Report

7. Other Items

Next meeting January 4 @ 7:30 am.