Howard R. Driggs School Community Council (SCC)

Thursday, April 20, 2023 Meeting Minutes

Attendance:

Principal: Benjamin Peters

Teachers: Mrs. Rohaj

Mrs. Yeamans

Parents: Cameron Shellum (Chair)

Robert Clark (Vice-Chair)

Paul Stuk (Secretary)

Bruce Simpson

Staci Wallace

Others Attending:

Drew Quin (Holladay City Council)

Stephanie Gloeckner (PTA)

Tayler Khater (incoming Principal)

Mr. Shellum called the meeting to order at 7:45 AM

Previous meeting Minutes unanimously approved.

Motion Cameron Shellum,

Second Staci Wallace

Discussion Topics

1 – Amendment for unused funds

Mr. Peters noted the expense for Para reading help was overestimated partially based on how hours accrue on shortened weeks. Mr. Peters noted the greatest need for the school currently was aging chromebooks. He noted there were 91 chromebooks nearing end of life.

Mr. Stuk asked about how many fail per year. Mr Peters noted 4-5 but can sometimes be fixed by the district.

Mr. Shellum asked how often are chromebooks used. Mr Peters noted they were used daily.

Mr. Clark asked what happens to old chromebooks. Mr. Peters noted they are returned to the district and either distributed to other schools are placed on the state auction website.

Mr. Shellum requested input from Teachers who confirmed the chromebooks are useful.

Committee approved to amend the budget for Para reading help to replace end of life chromebooks.

Motion: Paul Stuk Second: Staci Wallace

2 – Elections to School Community Council next year

Mr. Shellum asked for input on how the spread notice of elections to School Community Council for next year. He noted 3 positions are up for renewal.

The committee discussed sending out materials 8/14 and bringing up during Back to School night likely 8/10.

3 – Review Safe Routes.

Mr. Peters presented the Safe Routes Map.

Ms. Quinn requested removing Wander Lane from the Safe Routes due to traffic concerns the city has noticed.

Mr. Stuk questioned why is there a crossing guard on Apple Blossom?