

Eastwood Community Council

Meeting Minutes

Friday, March 22, 2024

In Attendance: Sara Gelwix, Karen Stone, Ben Xu, Kathleen Tripp, Ross Brookham, Christine Drummond

Meeting Commenced: 8:03 a.m.

Welcome - Sara

Community Engagement - None

Approve February 2024 Minutes

- Motion to approve: Karen. Second: Ross. All in favor. Motion carried.

2024-2025 FTE

- Christine discussed FTE allocation for the upcoming school year. Using next year's LandTrust Funds to pay for .5 FTE brings our total FTE to 11. This is one less FTE than our 2023-2024 allocation. Our solution is a split classroom, likely in 3rd/4th grades. The council talked about how this will run. Council members expressed an overall positivity for the solution.

2024-2025 LAND Trust Plan

- Christine presented the plan. Goal of 90% or more of students at or above proficiency in reading according to Acadience Reading Benchmark. Funds will be used to pay for .5 FTE. Any remaining funds will be used to hire paras.

- Official call to approve the plan. Sara - Yes, Karen - Yes, Ben - Yes, Kathleen - Yes, Ross - Yes, Christine - Yes. All in favor. No one opposed. All members present.

Continual Improvement Plan Update and Spending

- Due to an unforeseen personnel expense, para educator hours need to be reduced for the remainder of the year. Christine will work with staff so modifications are fair among those impacted. LandTrust, ESSER, and TSSA money will be spent, leaving little or no remaining funds.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:31 a.m.

- Motion to adjourn: Sara. Second: Ross. All in favor. Motion carried.