

Eisenhower Jr. High School Community Council Meeting

March 13, 2019

3:15 p.m.

In attendance:

Mark Ellermeier, principal
Hillary Dalton, parent/secretary
Kaylee Yamashita, parent
Ani Lauritzen, parent
Connie Burgess, GSD Board Member
Betsy Valora, parent/ chairperson
Sue Weiermann, teacher/ Vice-chair
Tere Gerber, counselor
Mike Valdez, teacher
David Young, community member
Fern McLelland, teacher

1. Sue Weiermann made a motion to approve the February meeting minutes. Betsy Valora seconded the motion.
2. Feedback on Informational Meeting at Taylorsville High
 - Bennion parents seem more in favor of the move.
 - It was very fair of Ben Horsely to stay late and answer questions.
 - It will be good if schools have time to build schedules around the changes.
 - If 9th moves up, 6th grade will need to move up in order to keep programs and teachers.
 - A meeting of community councils will be held on March 27 at Bennion Jr. High to determine what everyone is thinking about the reconfiguration process.
3. Land Trust Plan-Budget for 2019-2020 school year: \$134,000
A teacher's salary is around \$61,000.
Mr. Ellermeier would like to pay for 2 teachers, English and Math (\$122,000). This will help increase our pre-to-post benchmark scores 15%. This will leave \$8,000-\$10,000 for aides.

Ani Lauritzen made a motion to approve this plan.

Fern McLelland seconded it.

There was a discussion about how this will fit into Trust Lands plan as well as our school goals.

Sue Weiermann called for a vote.

Voting was as follows:

Mark Ellermeier-yes
Hillary Dalton-yes
Kaylee Yamashita-yes
Ani Lauritzen-yes
Connie Burgess (not a voting member)
Betsy Valora-yes
Sue Weiermann- yes
Tere Gerber-yes
Mike Valdez-yes
David Young-yes (not a voting member)
Fern McLelland-yes

4. Star Time Survey—Faculty, Students
Star Time has been a big hit for both faculty and students.

5. PBG Grading training with Matheson Junior High
During SNAD day. The school will be empty from 8-11 a.m. while teachers go to a training at Matheson Junior High. Matheson has been using PBG for longer and will help train. Teachers will be training teachers.
6. Counselors are currently meeting with 9th grade students. They hope to be done in the next couple weeks. LaRae Thomas is back part time to help, after having surgery.
7. Upcoming Events
 - *March 20 Choir/ Instrumental Concert, 6:30 p.m.
 - *March 22 No School
 - *March 25, 26 Spring Recess
 - *March 27 Term 4 Begins, B Day
 - *March 27 Bennion Community Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.
 - *April 8-12 Hope Week (Suicide Prevention)
 - *April 10 Community Council, 3:15 p.m.
 - *April 12 Star General Day