

Hillside School Community Council Minutes

December 2, 2019

In attendance: Sharon Sonnenreich (Principal), Cindy Davis (Chair), Karen Bates, Danielle Gardner, Sydney Graybill, Jessica Martinez, Robyn Gresh, and Erika Castro.

Visitor: Alana Farber (Vice Principal)

Excused absence: Sarah Geertsen

Meeting was called to order at 4:15 by Cindy Davis. Looked over minutes from October and November. September's minutes were accidentally brought to November's meeting instead of October's minutes. It was agreed to look over October's minutes and November's minutes during December's meeting. Karen Bates motioned to approve the minutes for the month of October, it was seconded by Danielle Gardner, and was unanimously approved by the SCC committee.

Danielle Gardner motioned to approve the minutes for the month of November noting there would be a spelling correction to Alana Farber's name, it was seconded by Sydney Graybill, and was unanimously approved by the SCC committee.

Sharon Sonnenreich reviewed the current financials, there is extra money that will be used to hire an aide for 2nd grade.

Sharon Sonnenreich and Cindy Davis discussed 6th grade realignment. The Kearns and Olympus network will eliminate 6th grade from their elementary schools and place 6th grade in Jr. High. Part of the Hunter network is interested in 6th grade going to Jr. High and the other part of Hunter network is against 6th grade being taken out of elementary schools and placed in Jr. High. Anyone that is against 6th grade being placed in Jr. High needs to contact Gayleen Gandy and express their concerns. Gayleen is on the State Board of Education and works with Granite School District. If approved, the new alignment would take place in the school year 2021-2022.

Cindy Davis called for the members present to vote on the 6th grade realignment. The members of the council in attendance voted unanimously against 6th grade moving from elementary school to Jr. High.

In the parking lot candlestick cones were put up by the crosswalk next to the bike rack. It seems to be helping for the most part, but some people are still going under the chains to avoid walking around the cones. A sign will be made and placed on the cones saying please do not cross under the chains and walk around.

Cones need be placed back to the crosswalks immediately after snow removal is done. Cindy Davis is willing to move cones if there has been enough snow and sees need for the cones to be removed for snow removal, otherwise leave the cones where they are even if there is a snow storm in the forecast.

Sharon Sonnenreich mentioned there is a metal plate that comes up by the sidewalk when the snow plow plows the area and loosens the metal plate. She has contacted the district to place two stakes in the metal plate to secure the plate from coming up when the snow is plowed.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:55.

Next meeting January 6 at 4:15 in the library.