

Hunter High School

Community Council Meeting Minutes

Date: March 21st, 2016

Place: Hunter High Media Center

Time: 4:45 p.m. – 4:45PM

Welcome – Dera Warner

Attended: Dera Warner, Jo Thompson, Roxanne Ohran, Craig Stauffer, Esther Olschewski, Marta Cooney, Cindy Davis, Renee Taylor, Staci Brock, Holly Wamsley, Terry Bawden (visitor – GSD Board of Education), Linda Hansen (visitor – State Board of Education and Mt View Corridor), Kathy Van Dame (visitor – Mt View Corridor), Merinda Keller (visitor – Public Library)

Absent: Darrell Curtis, Robin Hancock, Jenny Motzkus, Marni Allred, Jeff Sillito,

Minutes from February 16th, 2016 – Approved unanimously

Trust Lands Balance – Jo Thompson – approximately \$45,400. (Can carry over \$15,000 maximum.)

New Business:

- 1) We have two visitors, Terry Bawden from the Granite District Board and Linda Hansen. Linda would like a few minutes to discuss the Mountain View Corridor.

Terry Bawden: Thank you for willingness to serve. Great opportunity. Teachers listen to parents and parents – listen to teachers.

Linda Hansen: Mitigation \$ from the Mt View Corridor will be put into filtering first. The upgrades to the filtering systems in the school and the relocatables are supposed to be completed by the time school begins in the fall. They will continue to watch the air quality. The new filters are more expensive but last longer than the current ones. Money has been allocated to cover the additional expenses. We cannot leave outside doors and/or windows open as all air needs to be filtered.

Craig Stauffer: Meet the contractors night is Wed from 4-7PM. They have started driving on the road this week. It is supposed to be completed by 4100 S. by Aug 2017. Seminary will be held in the UPL building next year while they tear down and replace the building. Eventually Mt. View Corridor is supposed to be non-stop (like I-215 – raised.). There is a three phase plan.

Merinda Keller: Presented information on Teen tech. There are scholarships available and would like us to encourage our students to participate. Largest one is \$1500. Also made us aware of some services available through the library system including: free food Mondays through Saturdays, volunteer service hours

credited for participating in library activities, and a teen employment program (internships – especially multilingual).

- 2) Digital Citizenship - Jo discussed. Going to teach responsible and appropriate use of technology. Students on phone 24/7. Provided us with brochure.
- 3) Transfer of funds – clarify – This process was clarified by Mr. Stauffer. Need to be sure this process is understood. Our needs change throughout the year. Sometimes we don't spend as much as we have encumbered in one area of our plan and we have a need in another area so we transfer funds between areas of need. We recently transferred \$28,000 from hourly teachers to equipment for the purchase of the computer labs.
- 4) Staffing Plan – Approved unanimously
- 5) Discuss and vote on Trust land Plan 2016-17 – Approved unanimously

Proposals:

1. Professional Development – DaVinci Skill Based Training – Lisa McAfee-Nichols (\$159.24) – Approved unanimously
2. Professional Development – ACT Math Preparation – Morgan, Solberg, Cooper, Dolney (\$302.84) – Approved unanimously. (We had large increase in number of students passing all four areas of the ACT.)
3. Professional Development – AVID Conference – 6 participates (\$12,127.71) – Approved unanimously. (We will need to plan on this training (and approximately this amount) each year as training is required and we keep getting new and more teachers trained in AVID.)
4. Curriculum/Educational Resources – Field trip for Lifetime Sports – Ellis, Allen (\$400.00) – Approved unanimously
5. Curriculum/Educational Resource – Books for LIA (Latinos in Action) Class – Izaguirre (\$744.80) – Approved unanimously
6. Technology Resources – Chromebooks for Special Ed Department – Janet Jordan (\$4,952.60) – Approved unanimously

Comment Time:

- 1) Mention was made by a parent that some teachers are assigning homework to be retrieved through online sources. When students are going in to do the homework, the assignment is not there. Paper copies need to be provided as well as teachers being sure that the assignment is posted online and available BEFORE it is assigned to the class.

Next Meeting – April 18th, 2016 (Monday)

Adjourn – 6:13PM