

Mountain View Elementary School Community Council Meeting  
Minutes  
December 4, 2013  
5:30 p.m.  
Mountain View Elementary School Library

In Attendance:            Conducting- Diana Hagen, Co-Chair, Parent-Member  
Don Beatty, Principal  
Tiffany Tuck, Administrative Intern/Teacher-Member  
Nicole Roche, Secretary, Parent-Member  
Tobin Hagen, PTA Co-President, Parent-Member  
Myndee Moulton, Teacher-Member  
Cathy Siler, Teacher-Member  
Alina Ballard, Parent-Member  
Daniel Baxter  
Stephanie Kinsey, Parent Member  
Tanya LaForce, Parent Member  
Jamie Noble, Parent Member  
Jay Yahne, Parent-Member

Absent:                     Kyle Roche, Chair, Parent –Member  
Denise Hadley, PTA Co-President, Parent-Member

Visitors:                   Tyrel Mikesell, Administrative Intern

**1. Welcome & Recognition of New Members**

Co-Chair Diana Hagen opened the meeting at 5:35 p.m. Co-Chair Hagen moved that the minutes from October 2, 2013 be approved. A mistake was found on page 2, concerning the meeting schedule. The minutes were approved as amended. Daniel Baxter and Janice LaForce were introduced and welcomed as new members to the Mountain View Community Council. Principal Beatty introduced his administrative intern Tyrel Mikesell, who was observing the council.

**2. Trust Lands Training Video**

The Community Council watched the Trust Lands Training Video provided by the district. Afterwards, Principal Beatty answered questions. He discussed how the funds are budgeted by the school. He also explained how testing is reviewed in relation to the Trust Lands funds.

**3. Food in School Initiative – Survey and Discussion**

The Community Council discussed the results of the survey put together by Principal Beatty, Chair Roche and PTA President Hagen. The survey was sent to both parents and teachers . Ninety-six of approximately 400 parents responded. Most parents supported

moderation as did the teachers. It seemed that most parents wanted classroom snacks to be as healthy as possible, while special occasion snacks were not as big a concern. The parents did want the teachers to determine what was appropriate for their own classes. Principal Beatty will send out an email to reflect the position of the Community Council that snacks are left to the discretion of the teachers; however, healthy snacks should be encouraged whenever possible. The results of the survey will be published, except for the teacher comments.

**4. Bylaw Amendment: Attendance**

Co-Chair Hagen was previously asked to draft an amendment to the bylaws concerning attendance of council members. She also drafted an amendment to the bylaws to reflect the removal of term limits by the Legislature. She submitted these changes to the Community Council for approval, the motion was approved unanimously.

**5. Meeting Time Revisited**

It was proposed that the community council change the meeting time from 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm. It was approved unanimously. The next meeting will be February 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

**6. Known Items/Issues for Next Meeting**

During the next meeting the MVCC would go over the school budget. Members were encouraged to look at the Trust Land Report on [usoe.schools.utah.gov](http://usoe.schools.utah.gov).

The Community Council meeting adjourned at 6:50p.m.