

Mountain View Elementary School Community Council Meeting
Minutes
October 8, 2014
6:00 p.m.
Mountain View Elementary School Library

In Attendance: Conducting- Kyle Roche, Chair, Parent-Member
 Don Beatty, Principal
 Tiffany Tuck, Administrative Intern/Teacher-Member
 Diana Hagen, Co-Chair, Parent-Member
 Nicole Roche, Secretary, Parent-Member
 Meggan Baxter, PTA President
 Tobin Hagen, Parent-Member
 Lynette Wiggins, Teacher-Member
 Alina Ballard, Parent-Member
 Tanya LaForce, Parent-Member
 Daniel Baxter, Parent-Member
 Nicole Adams, Parent-Member

Absent: Jamie Noble, Parent-Member
 Ginger Paxman, Teacher-Member

1. Welcome/Introductions

Chair Kyle Roche opened the meeting at 6:20p.m. The members of the Community Council introduced themselves and new members were welcomed.

2. Approval of May 21, 2014 Minutes

Chair Roche moved that the minutes from May 21, 2014 be approved. The minutes were approved without objection.

3. Trust Lands Plan Amendment

Principal Beatty informed the Community Council of a recent change to the Trust Lands Plan. Due to large enrollment numbers throughout the district, Mountain View Elementary was not approved for additional teacher aide hours. These hours are needed to help the teachers who have particularly large classes. Principal Beatty was able to get approval from the Superintendent to utilize the equivalent of ten hours to be used for teacher aides from the Trust Lands budget.

4. Recess Before Lunch Before Recess

While Principal Beatty has been one of the school district's leading proponents of recess before lunch, Mountain View has had to return to lunch before recess due to administrative costs. It has been determined that the cost of additional aides to help bring students in from recess needs to be reallocated to an aide for the front office during

lunch time. The Council discussed alternatives to raise the money to return to recess before lunch. It was suggested that school consider outside means of funding such as donations from corporations. Principal Beatty intends to examine the possibility of such funding and the cost of the program.

5. 2014-2015 Meeting Schedule

It was decided that the Mountain View Community Council would meet on the following days: November 5, 2013; December 3, 2014; January 14, 2015; March 4, 2015; and April 29, 2015. Unless otherwise changed, the meetings start at 6:00 p.m.

6. Council Leadership Elections

Kyle Roche was reelected as Chair, Diana Hagen was reelected as Co-Chair and Nicole Roche was reelected as Secretary of the Mountain View Community Council for the 2014-2015 school year. All votes were unanimous.

7. Known Items/Issues for Next Meeting

Belinda Kuck from the district will be invited to discuss AR with the Community Council.

The Community Council will be watching the two videos required by the district as training.

Principal Beatty asked the Council to begin formulating ideas for replacement emergency backpacks for the teachers.

There is one possible vacancy on the Council. Chair Roche is going to follow-up and confirm this with the parent. If there is a vacancy, steps will begin for the appointment process consistent with statute and the council bylaws.

The meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.