

**Community Council – May 22<sup>nd</sup> 2018**

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Rob Hunter

Richard Stout

Machelle Filion

Kareen Petersen

David Phillips

Deanne Kapetanov

Welcome

Discussion of last month's minutes – they will be sent out through e-mail and everyone will review and vote on them through e-mail.

Minority representation in higher level classes – Dave

Dave – Discussion of how to increase minority representation in higher level classes. Honors and A.P. Something to consider in the future.

John – Why is that? And how do approach that?

Continued discussion of how to address this issue more effectively.

Rob – suggested the council work to try to have a parent of color represented on the community council.

Deanne – 2018-2019 Professional Development – Working on teacher development. School will be increasing the numbers of computers in the school. Supporting Professional Learning Communities and the reading and review of the book "Bold School" to help with further integration of technology to improve the quality of instruction. Continued Canvas training.

Student Planners – question of whether or not to continue with the use of planners? Planning is worth while but they are not a good vehicle for panther time stamping.

Some students use it and others do not. The school needs a way to have teachers able to select students to come to their classroom for remedial instruction during panther time.

Are planners still necessary with the availability of electronic planning resources and technology?

Council determined that a digital planning tool could work as well as a paper copy.

Dress code – certain points needs to be addressed and possibly adjusted. Specific concerns are piercings and shredded pants. Also removing point #10 as a non-issue was suggested.

Suggested to combine points 3 and 5

Overall suggested that adjustments to the school dress code be made. However the school should make an effort to maintain a certain level of professionalism in the school.

Deanne – discussion of election of Clair Cassity and Kevin Poff to the community council next year.

New school web page coming soon.

Building construction is going well

Addressing concerns with school safety

PTO update – Rich –

Motion to adjourn – Deanne – second – Machel

Motion passed unanimously: John Tobin, Rob Hunter, Richard Stout, Machel Filion, Kareen Petersen, David Phillips, Deanne Kapetanov

Adjourned

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