



# Community Council Agenda

## 4/18/18

### Joseph Cook Elementary School

In attendance – Nicole Burnham, Natalie Argyle, Cliff Calhoun, Angela Floyd, Roger King, Alzina Barnhill, Terri Strawn, and Sharlyn Ellison

**Agenda:** Meeting commenced at 4:00pm

1. **Welcome & Introductions** – Nicole welcomed the council and let out introductions.
2. **Review and approve minutes**- Motion to approve minutes by Nicole, seconded by Cliff and Alzina, unanimously approved by the rest of the council present.
3. **Principal's Report on school items**
  - a) Signature Form – Signatures of all Community Council Members present was required on the form. Each council member also stated that that they did/did not feel they participated in the planning of the use of Community Council funds.
4. **Current ideas, questions, needs, and/or concerns from Council and/or Community**
  - a) Tentative schedule for next year – We will be discussing the schedule at our final meeting on May 16<sup>th</sup>.
  - b) Areas of focus for next year – At our last meeting we voted on goals for the 2018-2019 School Year. **Goal #1:** Cook Elementary will improve mathematics proficiency by 5% from 45% in 2016-2017 to 50% in 2019 by increasing time spent on blended learning opportunities for our students, including web-based mathematics programs. **Goal#2:** From beginning of year to middle of year, increase Kindergarten-6<sup>th</sup> grade students scoring at or above DIBLES (middle-of-year composite score benchmark) by 5%. **Goal #3:** Provide a varied set of high quality professional learning opportunities for staff depending on the needs of the school. We also discussed the possibility of establishing a maker space or unmaker space at the school in the upcoming school years.
5. **Parent and Community Involvement**
6. **Trust Lands Items, Budget, or Updates** – Mr. King let us know that there is about \$1,000 left in the budget to spend of the 2017-2018 school year. We discussed many different ways we could use this money (Extra TA time, new microphones or rechargeable batteries) and decided on having the SPED/Resource Department use the funds to purchase technology related items to be used by students during class. Natalie motioned to approve the budget change, Cliff seconded the motion and the proposal was unanimously approved by the council members present.
7. **Student Wellness Plan and Update**
8. **Other items for discussion and/or future agenda items:**
  - a) Final meeting for the school year is May 16 at 4:00 pm