

Minutes 10/12/15

Kristy Welcomed all new members

Kristy: Community Council Training

Jim Hansen Elected as Chair, Dennis Ray elected as Co-Chair

**Celebrations:** Hilaree reports on MESA 34 kids signed up, and there are even more kids interested

Kristy: Holt EI is no longer a Focus School based on 2014-15 data, but do get to keep our funding, and UURC will continue to be a part of what we do.

New furniture received for our entryway, and Hawk's Nest Cafe', new carpeting was approved for the rest of the bottom floor

30 computers for families

6 TVs for the school with Apple TV as an instructional tool.

**Data Review:**

2014-15 report card compared to 2013-14 report card. Holt improved from a "D" school to a "C" school

Growth is where the school really shined last year. If we continue to see growth, proficiency will follow.

Below proficient population made significant improvement and had an impact on the overall score

Attendance data. We continue to improve attendance and reduce tardies. If students are here, on time, and ready to learn they will improve. Sept. 2015 had the lowest amount of tardies in the last 4 years.

**SAGE:** Math and Science are doing well and on the trajectory, ELA is taking longer, but we have research-based instructional strategies and programs in place to help our students improve.

Compared Holt to several other similar schools and we outscored the majority of them in MGP (Median Growth Percentage) \*

\*The **median growth percentile** summarizes student growth percentiles by district, school, grade level, or other group of interest. The median is calculated by ordering individual student growth percentiles from lowest to highest, and identifying the middle score, which is the median.

We have \$7,000 surplus to spend on effective materials and manpower for next meeting.

We spend most of our money on salaries for paraprofessionals who provide direct services for students.

Teachers participate in weekly PLCs with a 95% participation rate using data to drive Tier I instruction.

You will receive an email with more information on our SIP. Running meeting time will be the 2nd Monday of every month at 5:15pm. Except for November. We will be meeting on Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>.