

Minutes of Community Council Meeting Sunset Jr. High Oct 4, 2018

Members In Attendance:

Principal Gochberg	Natalie Anderson	Danette Christensen
Connie Stanger	Kristi Dopp	Mike Williams
Robin Buckwalter	Amy Poff	Jeremy Farner
Kim Bell	Mary Shepherd	

Minutes

1. Elected Chair: Connie Stanger. Elected Secretary: Danette Christensen
2. Reviewed purposes of Community Council. Some Community Council members may serve as members of a steering committee for the proposed new school to be built.
3. Discussed current School Improvement Plan. There is a high priority to improve our school's RISE (formerly SAGE) testing scores.
4. Reviewed budget for the current year.
5. Reviewed current school security measures in place. All exterior school doors, except for the front doors, are locked throughout the day, so that the only access to the school is through the front doors. Administration double checks the doors throughout the day. Teachers have key passes available to loan to students who need to enter the building during class to use the bathroom, check out, etc.
6. Discussed plans for the proposed new Jr. High to be built in the near future. Money for the project is scheduled to be on the 2020 bond election. Construction can begin after that, if the bond is approved. Principal Gochberg is working with GSBS, the architectural firm, on looking at prototypes. It's estimated the school will take 15 months to build, with a scheduled opening in Fall 2022. The new building will be built on the field directly east of the current school.
7. Voted to convene future Community Council Meetings on the first Thursday of each month at 4:00 pm.