# Columbia Elementary Community Council Meeting Thursday, October 25, 2018, 4PM –Library

## <u>Agenda</u>

Attended: Darryl Denhalter, Kathy Chadwick, Jean Bradford, Helena Langford, Christa Maynes, Annette Sol, Amy Norton, Stephanie Bonner, Ashlie Little

- Welcome/Review & Approve Last Meeting Minutes
   Consensus of new members Amy Norton and Stephanie
   Bonner to officially be on the council, Jean Bradford agreed
   to be Co-Chair. Minutes from September 12, 2018 were
   approved.
  - a. Trustlands Budget Review & Update
    Trustland budget increased this year by \$3,678, which
    gives a total budget of \$68,200. Our enrollment in the
    last two years has dropped about 50 students. District
    enrollment has also dropped.
  - b. Review school Dress Code and grooming policy:

Ashley Little discussed updated dress policy. Mr. Denhalter sent the guidelines to teachers and Community Council members previously for input/feedback. The committee discussed that sheer fabric (the way it was written is not clear). These

statements/words were removed: sheer fabric, clothing that is low cut or sheer.

#### c. Parent Teacher conferences were discussed:

Discussion was about why conferences were held before the end of the term this year. There are some parents that have asked according to Annette Solt that parents wanted to see more data. Mrs. Bradford felt like it was positive and a good way to prepare. She liked getting to know the parents expectations early in the year. Amy Norton shared she liked the date. Mr. Denhalter would like feedback. Stephanie Bonner felt like there have been many breaks at the first day of the year, but liked the date of the conferences. Mr. Denhalter reminded the council can give input right now on the calendar for the district. It was added by the council a desire for Monday instead of Friday early out days. Some members expressed that they will give this input to the district calendaring committee.

## Other

January 17, 2019 is our next meeting.

Kathy discussed SAGE and Dibels results. Dibels is higher than district average and so are the SAGE percentages in all

grades except 4<sup>th</sup> grade math, 5<sup>th</sup> grade language and fifth grade science. Our school is progressing.

## **Upcoming Dates:**

17 January 2019 Introduce School Improvement Plan (SIP) Requirements, Review &

Analyze Data

21 February 2019 Receive SIP Proposals, Review

21 March 2019 Make SIP Decisions, Rough Draft SIP 18 April 2019 Finalize and Approve the 2019-2020 SIP