Farmington High School Community Council Meeting April 11, 2019

In attendance: Principal Swanson, Terri Hall, Paulynn Hacking, Steve Kemp, Christy Mortensen, Allen Jacobson, LeNina Wimmer, Tony Smith, Shalice Larsen, Valerie Johnson, Becky Wendt

Absent: Marcie Hayes

Guests: Merci Rossmango (Asst. Principal), Justin Whittaker (asst. principal), Brett Sims (asst principal), Julie Tanner (School Board member) and some guy I didn't know

ACT update (Justin Whittaker)

- Average 22.5 (good chance that is the highest score in the district)
- Growth from practice test in November increase is 1.5—unheard of growth!!
- \$\$ spent for practice was well spent
- Summit platform also helped with practice and ease with testing

Graduation Plan (Principal Swanson)

- Discussed the possibility of graduation being moved to the Football field (back up auditorium)
- Survey out to the parents/students with pros/cons
- This would be the ONLY year that it would be possible because of size
- Time would still need to stay at 9am
 - Motion was made LeNina Wimmer to require a 2/3 approval vote of parents and students to move forward with the change of venue.
 - Seconded by Terri Hall
 - Voting was unanimous. Motion carried.
 - Survey will be created and sent to parents and students immediately

Parent Survey (Merci Rossmango)

- Plan to get a survey out to parents and students about learning model
 - Sample survey was passed out and discussed
 - Would like to add more questions about general Farmington High climate

School Improvement Plan (Justin Whittaker)

- Reviewed goals for 2020 SIP
 - Increased ACT by .3 on the state ACT exam
 - Maintain graduation rate of 98%
 - Weekly goal setting average of 85%
 - Maintain 75% of 1 or fewer incomplete grades in core classes
 - o Reviewed spending

AP Testing (Justin Whittaker)

- Need more help with proctoring especially AP Seminar
- All testing will be on campus

- Question was asked about school focus on AP vs others
- Make sure our message is clear that we support ALL advanced academic options

Community Council

- Need to bring in more parents for community council
- Must be advertised for 10 days before voting
 - o Tony Smith motion to add two parents and two staff members to community council.
 - o LeNina Wimmer seconded
 - o Motion was unanimous
 - o Justin Whittaker will set up