

Highland Jr. High  
Community Council Meeting Minutes  
September 12, 2019  
4:00pm

PRESENT: Terry Humphreys, Leslie Aviles, Sabrina Lee, Truanne Haas, Kevin Karician

WELCOME: Terry Humphreys, principal

INTRODUCTIONS: New and returning council members welcomed and introduced.  
All new members presented and with unanimous vote, approved to join the council;  
Sabrina Lee.  
Sabrina Lee voted to served as 2019-20 Chair,  
Truanne Haas voted to serve as 2019-20 Vice Chair.

PRINCIPAL REPORT – Ms. Humphreys

- Reviewed 2019-20 Safe Technology/Digital Citizenship Plan – Students will have a school wide presentation about the Advantages and Problem using and misusing the Internet/Social Media etc. There are Filters in place for WiFi access for Students, Staff, and Guests.
- Reviewed 2019-20 School Improvement Plan – There are 5 main goals this year;  
(1)Literacy – 80% of our students will increase reading/comprehension levels  
(2)Graduation Credits – 75% of our 9<sup>th</sup> grade students will receive Math and LA credits, 70% 7<sup>th</sup> /8<sup>th</sup> grade with Math & LA credits  
(3)Social Emotional Learning – Improve classroom management, provide Safe learning environment.  
(4)Core Principles – Students – weekly binder/planner organization checks to help improve orderly note taking, concept comprehension, writing skills, etc.  
(5)Core Principles – Teacher/Staff – effective teacher instruction, effective planning, collecting, reviewing, and implementing data driven information

COUNSELOR NEWS – Kevin Karician, counselor

New counselor, Mitch Boatright introduced.

Preparing strategies to support School Wide Goals

Helping with HOPE squad – will participate in the New Hope Walk scheduled for Saturday, September 28, starting at 9:00am - 25<sup>th</sup> Street

OPEN DISCUSSION – Community Council Meetings will be 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month beginning at 4:00pm in Principal Humphreys' office.

Next meeting: October 10, 2019 @ 4:00pm  
Meeting adjourn 5:10m