

## Community Council

Minutes: Feb 26, 2020 4:30pm

1. **Welcome:** In attendance: Julie Lundell, Maree Pope, Mrs. Howell, Lori James, and Mrs. Mitchell
2. **Review of Minutes:** Mrs. James
3. **School Improvement Plan:** We are meeting with district directors on March 24 to go over our proposed goals for the 2020-2021 school year and to also report on this year's progress. We talked about Trustlands prioritizes our spending, but we recognize that other school goals and plans can be funded through our TSSA funding. We went over the draft of the goals for School Improvement in 2020-2021, which includes a reading, a math, and a social/emotional and culture goal to grow capacity in enjoying positive relationships in the school setting. An idea was shared to use either office discipline referrals as a measurement for this goal and Mrs. Howell shared that a survey might possibly be an effective measurement tool—or possibly taking a look at the school climate survey to see if that could provide an efficient measure. We discussed action plans and Trustland budget estimates to support work on these goals. Instructional aides will take the bulk of our Trustlands, but we are proposing to purchase math curriculum for grades 2-4 in the coming year at a cost of approximately \$10,000, and then technology and upgrades will absorb the remainder of our budget. We will likely be using much of our TSSA moneys to enhance computer and technology needs/updates as well. Mrs. Lundell shared a bit about the two curriculum programs we are considering as a purchase—Ready Math or Go Math. The Council members agreed to this draft of our goals for the School Improvement Plan. Mrs. Lundell will finalize her draft to take to the Learning First Day at the district and we will meet again after that to finalize our plan and have Council members sign on to the plan.
4. **School Business:** Mrs. Lundell took the opportunity to discuss school safety and security at Clinton. We also discussed the newly required background checks for volunteers in the school who are working out of the line of sight of the school employee or perhaps on a field trip with a small group, apart from the whole class. Those background checks need only be completed once and are good for the student's entire school career in DSD.
5. **Community Business:** The road construction has affected traffic patterns coming into the school, and the city has assured administration that they will let us know if it will affect walking patterns for students at any time.
6. **Next meeting** March 25, 2020 at 4:30pm