

Salt Lake Center for Science Education 1400 W. Goodwin Avenue, SLC School Community Council

Agenda: November 13, 2019, 5:00 pm

Welcome and Introductions

Maria Barajas, Martha Ganesh, Jill Drown, Bonnie Starr, Lynn Lonardo, Christy Sapp, Joan Burke, Vivianna, Gilberto Rejon, Smaragda Halilovic, Alma Yanagui, Niki Hack, Britnie Powell

Meeting Dates and Times

- 2nd Wednesday of every month from 5:00-6:00
 - o November 13, 2019
 - December 11, 2019
 - o January 8, 2020
 - o February 12, 2020
 - o March 11, 2020
 - April 8, 2020
 - May 13, 2020

Approve October Minutes

Motion to approve. Seconded.

Charter Status

Jill-Yes

 Need to decide whether or not we want the Rose Park SLCSE campus to maintain its charter status or if we'd like to become a district magnet school.

Discussion on pros and cons of charter status vs. district status. Benefits of charter status: autonomy of curriculum, ability to have school vehicles, autonomy of budget (charter has money, district schools have FTEs). Students would have to apply whether it is a charter or district school (special permit or charter application). District schools have access to different resources: library, academic coaches, technology. SCC members felt that the benefits of the charter outweighed the benefits of being a district school. A school vehicle is an important part of the innovative work being done at SLCSE. It increases opportunities for students.

Roll Call Vote in favor of SLCSE Rose Park campus maintain charter status

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Lyn- Yes

Britnie-Yes

Larry- ab

Amy-Yes

Niki- Yes

Rachel-Yes

Dora-Yes

Smaragda-Yes

Joan-Yes

Bonnie-Yes

Christy-Yes

Shared Governance Training

Powerpoint presentation was presented. No questions at this time.

Concerns

- 8th grade culture was brought up. We are working to bring in some additional partners to help build climate and culture with this grade.
- The OC has been emailed for contact info for brain development classes.
- Teachers are creating strategic plans for specific students.
- Students have been engaging in service learning projects.

School Fees 2020-2021

Reviewed Board Policy S-10. Reviewed fees for next year. No questions or recommended changes. Motion to approve school fee schedule for 2020-2021. Motion seconded.

Safety Updates

Student is working on this for Eagle Scout Project (emergency supplies for classrooms). He has a timeline. In the next month he will likely set out boxes around the school to collect supplies and send out Ziplock bags for personal kits for students to keep in their locker/backpack. Might try collecting one item each month.

Issues of Interest

Are there options for after school music and language programs? Next year will all grade levels be able to access Spanish?

Upcoming Events:

- November 19~ Breakfast with the Superintendent
- November 26~ 2nd Quarter Midterms
- November 27-29~ No School
- December 6~ First Friday