

# JUSTICE HIGH SCHOOL

*Home of the Phoenix*

**805 Excalibur St.**

**Lafayette, Colorado 80026**

**BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**05/12/21**

**Vision:** To serve at risk youth by providing college prep educational services in a creative way.

## **PRELIMINARIES**

Call to order: 6:00 T.J. Cole

Attendance: Gary Losh, T.J. Cole, Mark Surratt, Jency Guzman by phone,

Absent: John Freeman, Shadell Sedillo.

Welcome guests- **None**

## **I. CONSENT ITEM**

1. Approval of March minutes- **Unanimously Approved**
2. Approval to adjustments to 21<sup>st</sup> Century, EARRS, Remote Learning Grant, ESSER II, III [21<sup>st</sup> century,] Funds, **Unanimously approved**
3. Teacher/Staff/ admin [Principal, AP] Evaluations- **Retain all staff Unanimously Approved.**
4. Principal compensation- **unanimously approved.**
5. 2021-2022 Budget: JHS Appropriation Resolution Number 22-01- **Unanimously Approved. [Budget attached]**

## **II. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Reports and Discussion Items

- A. T.J. discussed how the school did outstanding on the COGNIA review. JHS was ranked as the highest school in their ranking system. T.J. made special mention to AP Sanchez outstanding work on the COGNIA evaluations tirelessly.
- B. The Board discussed how remote learning/ hybrid has been going since the remodel began. 15 Students have been doing hybrid and this has helped improved student performance. Outreach coordinators have made an impact
- C. Dr. Cole reported again on the SAT and ACT Standardized Testing. The students who have taken their ACT tests have shown solid scores and a great improvement by students overall. These are the highest collective scores in JHS history. Kudos to the staff and students. This information will be given to the AEC collection unit. MAPPs testing has been going on this spring and data results will

- D. The board discussed and approved the use of the ESSER II and the new ESSER III [21<sup>st</sup> century] funds which will include expanded afterschool activities, enrichment in college leadership programs. We also hiring another outreach coordinator in addition to other academic support.
- E. The Outreach team has been working on overdrive. They are making 30-40 deliveries of groceries and services each week.
- F. The Mental Health team is working on self-esteem, body image, drug and alcohol issues through a class. They are also developing a First aid for Mental health curriculum for Parents and students. The hope is that the student piece will turn into a strong peer counseling program and for parents a parent empowerment program.
- G. The JHS Football team made the State quarter finals. The players gave a valiant effort but fell 22-8.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – NO session because no ITEMS presented

- III. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS FOR Aug 12, 2021 7pm
  - 21/22 Budget
  - Budget updates
  - Graduation review

Adjourned: 7:10pm

