

**Northwestern Middle School
School Governance Council
November 16, 2022, Meeting Minutes**

Meeting called to Order at 7:52 a.m. by Catie Simpson. A quorum of members was present for the November 16, 2022, Council Meeting held in the counseling conference room.

Attendance

Victoria Tucker, Appointed Parent	Beth Biviano, Elected Parent
Catie Simpson, Appointed Staff	Ashley Carson, Appointed Staff
Caitlin Zygmunt, Appointed Parent	Rebecca Yun, Elected Staff
Candice Selby, Elected Parent	Kimberly Reed , Elected Staff
Katherine Wickliffe, guest	Victoria Tucker, Appointed Parent

Action Items

Approved	Agenda for November 16, 2022, meeting – Motioned by Kimberly Reed and Caitlin Zygmunt, vote unanimous.
Approved	Minutes from October 14, 2022, meeting – Motioned by Candice Selby and Ashley Carson, vote unanimous.

Discussion Items

- No public comment
- School Safety Update
 - Door alarm installed and active for more than a week.
 - Centegix system should be operational at NMS by the end of February. A lot of training and planning will happen after the holiday break.
 - Flock cameras will be installed before Holiday break. Flock cameras read vehicle license plates as they enter the campus and immediately alert School Police if vehicle is registered to someone who should not be on campus.
- Semester Action Plan – Update will be discussed next meeting.

Information Items

Principal's Update:

- Mr. Peterson has requested for Charter Money. The district will use their resources to provide additional training opportunities. We will be able to use the \$3000 in other areas and can be discussed at a future meeting.
- Melissa Puppa is our new clinic assistant.
- Sixth grade math teacher is moving out of state. NMS hired an experienced, former FCS middle school math teacher. Katie Hagerty will start after Thanksgiving.
- NMS is working with World Language to add Latin to our course offerings next school year. The district World Language department has begun advertising for the position, and we already have applicants. NMS will work with Milton High School Latin Teacher to promote the course benefits for students.
- Transition to Remote Day due to run-off election for December 6th. Many schools are polling sites in Fulton County. Teaching and Learning will share expectations for remote day plans soon.

Announcements and Adjournment:

- Next meeting will be Friday, December 9th at 7:45 AM in the Media Center
 - Discussion items: Charter Money and Action Plan Update
- Meeting adjourned at 8:08 AM - Motioned by Ashley Carson and Rebecca Yun, vote unanimous.