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Paul D West Middle School: School Governance Council

Date: September 16, 2020

Time: 4:00-5:00 Location: Teams

SGC Members:

Dr. Stephens, Principal
 Dr. Thomas, AP/Vice Chair 2020-2021
 Ms. Lewis, Chair SY 2020-2021
 Ms. Gage

Ms. Ragland
 Ms. Lazenby
 Ms. Kelly, Community
 Ms. Gayosso-Cruz, Parent

Mr. Strozier, Community Partner
 Ms. Walker, Parliamentarian
 Ms. Archer, Parent

Members Present:

Dr. Stephens, Principal
 Ms. Lewis, Chair
 Ms. Gage
 Ms. Ragland,
 Ms. Kelly
 Ms. Archer
 Ms Gayosso-Cruz
 Ms. Chavarria, Translator
 Ms. Parks
 Ms. Lazenby

Meeting Norms:

Start and End on Time

Be Respectful of Others' Opinions

Work for the Good of All Students

Minutes:

Action Item: Ms. Lewis called the meeting to order.

Action Item: The agenda was approved.

Action Item: The August minutes were read and approved

Action Item: Ms. Lewis reviewed the norms.

Public Comment: There is no public comment.

Discussion Item: K8 and Uniforms 2021-2022 School year. Uniforms as a K8 School

How will my student get to school; how long will their bus ride be? Who will my student's teacher be, will their teacher from Elementary School go to the new school? Safety: how will you keep the younger students safe from the older students? How is it going to be organized; who do I contact? How will K8 fit in one building since no new space is being added?

Plan: Invite the SGC chairs from Conley Hills and Park Lane to get their input; what is on their agenda for their schools; moving forward always have representation from these to schools so that we can work on the transition play.

New questions as we move forward: when do we start uniforms? Maybe have different Uniform shirts by grade (i.e. k-2, 3-5, 6-8) everyone should be in a uniform. Cradle to college concept, enhance collaboration between teachers of different grade levels. Have a forum for community and teachers to ask questions that we can discuss in SGC meetings. Will share the link for public comment at Conley Hills and Park Lane. Have quarterly Townhall meetings to discuss these issues and concerns. Dr. Stephens will purchase first uniforms for students, then parents will have to buy additional uniforms.

Informational Item: Principal's Update

K8 will start in 2022-2023 school year. We are moving into phase III

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Discussion Item: Set Next Meeting Agenda

Action Item: Meeting Adjournment

