



Desert Mirage High School

SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL MEETING/ JUNTA DEL CONCILIO ESCOLAR
Location: DMHS Library
ZOOM: Meeting ID: 893 6362 7534 Passcode: 935772

Date: 9/20/23
Time: 4:30-5:30pm

I. WELCOME/Bienvenidos QUORUM ESTABLISHED:

CALL TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT: AT: 4:45pm

ROLL CALL:

APPROVAL OF CURRENT AGENDA (*Action Item*):

Motion for approval: 2: Carried: Denied:

II. SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORTS/Informes del comite escolar (*Informative*):

A. PRINCIPALS REPORT/Informe de la directora:

- Addressed the recent fight and bullying incidents
 - She addressed the ongoing violence between Oasis and Mecca Gangs.
 - Expressed the stressed the importance of parent involvement within the home to create a nurturing environment that will deflect violence.
- Elaborated on student assemblies
 - Spoke on the ZERO Tolerance policy
 - instant suspension when it comes to the topic of bullying, drugs, and fighting.
- Announce October meeting for parents of seniors.

B. ELAC/DELAC REPORT/Reporte:

- (No meeting until october)

C. PARENT COMMUNITY LIAISON REPORT/Reporte:

- Vaping workshop will be held on October 18th
- Parent Leader workshop; The first was on the parents role in an emergency.
- Volunteer Registration at DO on 9/23

III. UNFINISHED BUSINESS/Asuntos Inconclusos

A. Review of SIPSA (we did not meet quorum last meeting so we had to repeat the voting process)

1. New action item 2.18b Provide supplemental materials for supplies for students in band.
2. Move \$5000 from 1.4.b to 2.18b
3. move \$5,000 from 1.2b to 2.18b

4. Move \$4,000 from 2.13a to 3.1a
5. Move \$4,000 from 2.13a to 2.1a
6. Move \$1,000 from 2.13a to 2.9a
7. Move \$1,000 from 2.13a to 2.17a

B. Review and approve edits to 2023-2024 SPSA

Motion for approval: Pizza. 2: Ms. Macdubhain Carried: Yes Denied:

IV. NEW BUSINESS/Nuevos Asuntos

C. Review Election Process

- Solangel Cruz
- Blanca Lopez
- Nely Tinta
- Mariana Roman
- Sandra Garcia
- Ruth Cazares
- Leticia Ramirez

Cecilia let parents who were running for election to report to the Title 1 meeting on 9-21 so that they could interact with voters.

D. Parent Involvement Policy and the School Compact for the 2023-24 School year.

- Ms. Sotelo read document aloud to parents in spanish. Cecilia will translate the document and distribute it to the Rams community.

V. PUBLIC COMMENT/Comentario publico -

- Re: School Safety and Security
 - Parents requested more restorative justice workshops to aid in the fight against youth violence. Piza expressed the need for restorative justice to be introduced from an early age. s. Cruz suggested we ask parents what their needs are in order to provide more support and establish healthy communication between parent and student so that they act better in school.
 - Mariana is concerned that students are smuggling in Alcohol.
 - Ms. Sotelo assured us that security is aware of these kind of acts and is on continuous patrol to make sure these situations do not occur. We also a have a substance detecting k-9 that regularly visits the school.
 - E. Tevarez: Is our security team fully staffed?
 - Ms. Sotelo explained that there is supposed to be one security per 500 students. We are fully staffed and are even being provided with one extra by the school district.
 - N. Tinta expressed concerns for security on the bus.

- Sotelo expressed that as soon as all students receive their IDs, bus drivers will be checking for enrollment prior to letting students on.
- N. Tinta: Expressed concern about traffic after school, states some parents drive recklessly and is concerned about student drivers who are not as experienced.
- Ms. Sotelo will look into the issue and speak with security to look for a solution.

VI. ADJOURNMENT/Aplazamiento (*Action Item*)-

ADJOURNED BY/Aplazada por: NEXT MEETING/Proxima junta (*via zoom*):

Motion for approval: Ms. MacDuhbain 2: E. Tevarez Carried: yes Denied:

End: 5:38pm