



El Puente School

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ELAC Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, October 26, 2022

Attendees

Site Staff:

Jonathan Green
Deb Rocchild
Jenifer Carr

Family Members:

Gloria Martinez
Hijinio Limon
Ale Martinez
Eloisa Gijon
Rigo Garcia
Elida Lopez
Elisha Aguillon
Beatriz Rodriguez J
Francisco Ortiz Ramirez
Azucena Ortiz
Alexis Ortiz Rodriguez
Athia Palacio
Gadiel Barbieri

Paul Barbieri
Edith Mata Jimenez
Eduardo Vargas
Antonio Montero
Angel Duarte
Marisa Ramirez
Ernesto Carrillo
Victor Amezcua
Valentina Picazo
Gonzalo Amezcua

The meeting began at 6:04PM.

1. Welcome/Introductions

Mr. Green, Ms. Rocchild, and Ms. Carr introduced one another and applauded all the families for their presence at the meeting. Ms. Rocchild briefly reviewed the agenda.

2. Approval of September Meeting Minutes

Ms. Rocchild made a motion to approve the minutes from September's meeting. Mr. Green seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor. Minutes are approved.

3. Nondiscrimination and Uniform Complaint Procedure

Mr. Green described the Nondiscrimination and Uniform Complaint Procedure in simplified terms.

4. Description of EL Program

Ms. Rocchild described the process of the EL Program and how students attain reclassification status.

5. Students' Needs for Success

Ms. Rocchild reiterated the main purpose of ELAC meetings and solicited ideas that would contribute to student success. There were no initial contributions by parents; after hearing some suggestions raised by Ms. Rocchild and Mr. Green based on previous experiences, some parents began to offer their thoughts. Mr. Green provided feedback on these initial thoughts and invited families to continue the conversation in future meetings and other communications.

6. Public Comment

Mr. Green made a final call to parents for any thoughts or suggestions before ending the meeting.

7. Adjournment

All meeting points were addressed in both Spanish and English. Mr. Green made a motion to adjourn the meeting which was seconded by Ms. Rocchild. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.

The meeting ended at 7:08PM. Next meeting: November 30, 2022.