Lamar High School
SDMC Meeting
9/25/25

Meeting Called to Order: 4:32pm

Principal Graves called the meeting to order.

Attendees present: Rita Graves, Amber Parker, Benito Toscano, Francis Kwofie, Garry Johnson, Jeffrey Shalin, Katie Watson, Keri King and Ogechi Ezimalco.

Present VIA Teams: Zobeida Sanchez, Nichelle McLemore and Jessica Evans.

Agenda:

- A motion was made by Amber Parker to approve the agenda.

  Seconded by Garry Johsnon.

  Agenda approved unanimously.

Previous SDMC Meeting Minutes Approval:

- A motion was made by Katie Watson to approve the previous SDMC minutes

  Seconded by Francis Kwofie

  Agenda approved unanimously

Role of SDMC:

The campus-level SDMC shall serve to advise the principal on making decisions in the areas of planning, budgeting, curriculum, staffing patterns, staff development, and school organization. The SDMC committee is required to meet quarterly.

Quarterly SDMC Meeting Dates for the 2025/2026 school year:

1st Quarter- September 25, 2025
2nd Quarter- November 20, 2025
3rd Quarter- January 22, 2026
4th Quarter- May 7, 2026

All meetings will be held in the Alumni Center from 4:30pm- 5:30pm.

Enrollment Update:

Projected Enrollment- 2910

Actual Enrollment- 2810

School Action Plan Review:

Principal Graves reviewed the school action plan with the committee.

Three key actions:

- Improve CCMR/4 Year grad rate
- Improve attendance rate
- Improve quality of instruction & experience for students

Requesting Item for the Agenda:

Email Mrs. Graves and Ms. Ibarra before noon on the day before the SDMC meeting. The request will be evaluated and will be scheduled for that meeting or on an upcoming meeting, if it is appropriate for the SDMC. Matters that are better addressed through another campus body will be forwarded.

Motion was made to adjourn meeting by Keri King, seconded by Jeffrey Shalin.

Unanimously approved.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:15pm

Next SDMC meeting: November 20, 2025