

In Attendance

Council Members:

Aaron Peterson

Kyle Ramstad

Carly Tinoco

Brayam Garcia

Manifa Shabandari

Seth Kamenow

Susan Norton

Faculty:

Carrie Mediros

Nora Artine

Parent/Community:

Brenda Chavez

Students:

I. Welcome/Call to Order

Aaron Peterson, Co-Chair

Aaron Peterson called the meeting to order at 3:47pm.

II. Flag Salute

Aaron Peterson

Aaron Peterson led the committee in the flag salute at 3:47pm.

III. Approval of Minutes :

Aaron Peterson moved to approve the minutes from the May meeting at 3:47 pm.

Seth Kamenowl seconded the motion at 3:47 pm.

The minutes were approved at 3:47 pm.

IV. Public Comment:

No public comment.

V. Principal's Report:

Great opening of the school year. We are already at the Five WEek with students getting their progress reports next week. ECAST has been moved to September 19th, currently showing a negative one, potentially four students short. There is an appeal available if you are within 10 of the number of students needed to keep our teaching staff. Tech is another very important component of instruction.

Aloha assembly and PBIS assemblies were successful as part of the opening of the school year. This went off well, this was the best attended Back to School Night in a long while. We are moving along, arts and sports are functioning. Science building is scheduled for opening in October, realistically it might be more like January. It is a two classroom facility and will have a ribbon cutting ceremony and we will need to decide on a name that is personal to Verdugo.

VI. New Business:

Motion to approve the IMA budget by Aaron Peterson at 3:49pm.

Kyle Ramstad seconded the motion at 3:49pm

Discussion of the minutes:

- Question of numbers of students in certain courses and the allocation of funds

- Governance council agrees to send the budget back to Budget Committee for further discussion and review.

Motion not approved.

VII. Old Business:

No old business.

VIII. Committee Update

Committee Liaisons

1. Governance

Aaron Peterson

Welcome to a new year of Governance. Thank you for being here. We will meet the second Tuesday of October, October 14th.

2. Budget and Financial Resources

Arturo Barcenas/Seth Kamenow

Budget committee will need to meet to further discuss IMA funding for the year.

3. School Calendar and Bell Schedules

Kyle Ramstad

No updates.

4. Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment**Tami Revel**

iReady BOY September 16th, Reading periods 1 and 3, Math period 2 and 4.

5. Attendance and Discipline**Brayam Garcia**

No Update.

6. Professional Development**Susan Norton**

PD is ready to go through the WASC process. Second

7. Technology**Carly Tinoco**

New chromebooks have been ordered to be provided to students and should arrive soon.
Teachers got new tech last year, some are eligible this year for new tech.

IX. Announcements**Aaron Peterson****X. Adjournment****Aaron Peterson**

Aaron Peterson moved to adjourn the meeting at 4:15 pm.

Susan Norton seconded the motion at 4:15 pm.

All approved at 4:15 pm unanimously.

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