

**MINUTES: Rhodes Elementary School Organizational Team Meeting**

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**February 1, 2021**

**3:45 p.m.**

**School Organizational Team Members:**

Kristi Austin, ParentMember **Present**  
Ria Breeding, Support Staff Member **Present**  
Sarah Hansford, ParentMember **Present**  
Julie Harrison, Licensed Staff Member **Present**  
Abigail Ingram, Licensed Staff Member **Present**  
Marilyn Spillers, Parent Member **Present**  
Rebecca Lucero, Principal **Present**  
Kathy Hoyt, Asst. Principal **Present**

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**1.0 Welcome & Roll Call**

- 1.1 PROCEDURES & TEAM NORMS. Summary of public comment procedures, and information on the scope of the Team's advisory authority.
- 1.2 Team review last meeting highlights for public attendees.

**2.0 New Items**

- 2.1 2021-2022 School Budget Recommendations/ Finalize
  - Discussion and recommendations for the budget decisions. Finalized Discretionary Teacher Placement, librarian, (will add required Library Aide Position). Will have a Humanities position, focusing on Social Emotional Learning skills. Will fund 2 extra hours for Instructional Assistant supports. Will use funding for more hours for support staff to help with morning before school and help in the new use of a sick room and well room. Will fund a CTT with Academic Support Funding. Extra duty money will also be included in the budget. Amount to be determined. Discussion of programs to possibly purchase (ex. aimsWeb assessment and math on-line supplemental program. This discussion will continue in the Academic Committee. We will try to put as much as we can in the Academic Support Funding to free up some of our regular school budget for school supplies/tech needs.
  - SOT voted in support of the current budget and use of the budget.
- 2.2 School Performance Plan
  - Plan discussion on goals and action steps. We will keep our plan to focus on bringing up our math proficiency. May need add in "enhance concrete understanding in math" and also updating other areas of the plan concerning math. Tentative Sight Word program to help support reading.
- 2.3 Hybrid, Reopening, and Small Groups information- **Will send info. to parents**
- 2.4 Community Q & A/ Information- Tentative February 17th or 23rd.

**Information**

- 3.1 Next Meeting: Virtual/ Google Meet, tentative date and time: Thursday, March 25, 2021 (3:45 p.m.)