

Meeting minutes

School Site Council Meeting

February 25, 2026

Present:

Voting Members present:

Lynne Bond, Kate Keefe, Joseph Maniscalco, Katie Maniscalco, Jack Newcomb, Esther Njonde, Jason Silverberg, Emily Steinberg, Wayne Taylor, Denise Wagstaff

Other voting members not present:

Brady Bond, Alanah Chhum-Mam, Shawnic Coleman, Dominic Lebron, Amanda Perrin, Bethany Peters, Cindy Sok, Dara Sok, Sasha Wainaina

Non-Voting Member present:

Mike Fiato

Other attendees present:

Susan Zielinski

Meeting Minutes:

6:01 PM - Welcome

6:03 PM - CTE Overview - (Susan Zielinski)

- CTE C74 programs
 - Business Technology
 - Culinary Arts
 - ISSN: Information Support Services & Networking
 - Marketing (Existing C74 program)
 - Multimedia Production & Broadcast (Radio & TV)
 - Robotics & Automation Engineering Technology
- Freshman were surveyed for interest
- Program Advisory Committee (PAC) Parents, Students, and People in Industry - Programs still need people to join them
- Exploratory as a freshman becomes available once there are 5 CTE programs up and running
- Budget implications
 - School gets reimbursed for Exploratory students one year after the program is up and running which means, more money for students in the program.
 - Additional Chapter 74 dollars will be reimbursed to the school budget when the programs are fully up and running and fully enrolled. Money is needed to be put back into the program for the CTE teachers and supplies.

6:11 PM - Approval of meeting minutes from 11/19/25. Jason made a motion to accept the minutes. Jack seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously. (Wayne Taylor)

6:12 PM - Approval of meeting minutes from 01/21/26. Emily made a motion to accept the minutes. Lynne seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously. (Wayne Taylor)

6:13 PM - Ice Breaker - What did you do over vacation? (Mike Fiato)

- Everyone participated

6:15 PM - Review the Budget Prioritization Survey (Mike Fiato)

- Mr. Fiato has a meeting on the budget on next week with central office. Next meeting we should have the budget to review
- Reviewed questions on survey
- Solicited written feedback from each SSC member about each question that was answered on the survey based on the pie graph.
 - Members had to answer in writing, 3 questions for each of the survey questions:
 - “I See”
 - “I Wonder”
 - “Synthesis & Next Steps”

7:07 PM Review of Meeting Dates and Times (Wayne Taylor)

- March 11, 2026 – Wednesday
- March 18, 2026 – Wednesday
- April 15, 2026 – Wednesday
- April 29, 2026 – Wednesday
- May 20, 2026 – Wednesday
- June 17, 2026 – Wednesday

7:08 PM - Adjourn - Katie M. made a motion to adjourn. Jason seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously. (Wayne Taylor)

Minutes submitted respectfully by Wayne Taylor