

**La Sierra High School  
School Site Council Minutes**

**February 27, 2023-Rescheduled March 3, 2023**

**Meeting Location <https://meet.google.com/owg-fuet-gbc> Time 3:45pm**

**I. Introductory Procedure**

1. Call to Order at 3:52pm
2. Establishment of Quorum
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Welcome and Introductions: Brendan Callahan (student), Aven Callhan (parent), Inez Cossio (parent), Kathy Thompson (teacher), Arianna Reedy (teacher), Monica Rangel (classified staff), Tania Cabeza (principal), Abigail Aragon (student), Justin Auld (student)

**II. Action Items**

1. Approve minutes from January 17, 2023 - Arianna Reedy made a motion to approve the minutes, it was seconded by Monica Rangel, all were in favor - minutes were unanimously approved. No Discussion or questions.
2. Approval of Title I proposals: Kathy Thompson made a motion to approve the proposals, Monica Rangel seconded the motion - motion unanimously approved.
  - Proposal 1: Math department proposed needing 4 release days to align new curriculum, develop common assessments, and pacing for INtegrated 1, 2, 3. From Title I not to exceed \$7500.
  - Proposal 2: Counseling department proposed attending Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development Conference from March 31-April 3rd, Not to Exceed \$10,500 from Title I. This conference is to focus on meeting educational innovators within the industry. This conference will include exhibits, speakers and presentations that will focus on but not limited to using data and assessments to drive instruction and creating an equitable learning environment. A focus on developing a SEL program for our counseling department. Developing cultural competency with understanding implicit bias. Advocating for marginalized families by implementing systems and structures to support marginalized students and families.
  - No discussion or questions about proposals - all proposals were approved from Title I.

**III. Discussion/Information**

1. Budget Reports Summary- Cabeza reviewed balances and shared there is Title I money that may not get spent due to lack of proposals.
2. ATSI Summary: Cabeza shared the presentation as to how La Sierra was designated as an ATSI school for the disproportionate suspension rate for students that are African American. Cabeza explained the indicator that designated the status and how the dashboard works as well as the work that the school will do to improve and align the SPSA to goals to support this group and other areas of concern.

### 3. School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA)

- SSC reviewed data from last meeting for SPSA goal 3: *LHS will take a proactive and intervention based approach in ensuring all students graduate college and career ready.*
  - *The following data was reviewed again: number of class referrals, suspension and expulsion rates, use of current interventions like scholar center, attendance rates.*
  - *Also reviewed dashboard released data - CAASPP data by subgroup and re-classification rates.*
  - *Group discussed the need to keep the SPSA intervention goal and to add the following activities for next year's SPSA: case manager release days, field trips for subgroups like ELs, African American and students with IEPs, ELPAC practice release days, mentor program for students that are African American. New ideas suggested also included: ELPAC testing incentive like the In N Out truck, community based experience day field trips for students with an IEP.*
  - *To address the data a new math SPSA goal was presented to SSC by the math department and activities for this new goal will be proposed at the next SSC. As well as a science goal with new activities.*

### 4. Report from Parent Committee

- English Learners Advisory Committee (ELAC): Cabeza shared that there were 8 parents in attendance at the last ELAC meeting in February. Next ELAC is 3/13/23.

### 5. Program Reports

- Professional Development Opportunities (Paraprofessionals, Teachers): Cabeza shared that 12 teachers have been trained in Formative through the district as piloting the tool and the approved group of teachers were attending the Standards based grading conference March 6-7 which SSC approved earlier in the year. English teachers are also participating in release days for literacy strategies professional development and Study Sync refresher.
- Parent and Family Involvement Opportunities: Cabeza shared that Spring festival was scheduled for March 18 and that these events have raised thousands for school clubs and boosters.
- Principal's Report- WASC report is almost finalized and will be submitted this coming week.

## IV. Hearing Session/Public Comments

*This item is placed on the agenda so that members of the audience have the opportunity to speak regarding subjects or concerns that do not appear on the agenda. The chair reserves the right to limit the speaking time to three minutes. Government Code Section 54954.2 and Education Code Section 35154.5 prohibit the council from discussion or acting upon matters not on the agenda.*

## V. Adjournment

1. Agenda building for next meeting
2. The next SSC meeting is scheduled for March 20, 2023
3. Adjournment - Rangel made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Reedy - meeting adjourned at 4:55pm.

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