

School Community Council Meeting Minutes

October 25, 2011 at 3:45 PM

(This meeting was tape recorded.)

1. Welcome:

Members that were present: Gary Thomas, Joan Liquin, Dyana Roberts, Lannie Adamson, Kandyce Barber, Diane Malmquist, Demi Frandsen, and Lisa Ward

Not attending: Mark Lawver, Darci Ripplinger

2. Announcements:

* Joan Liquin was announced as this school years co-chair and Dyana Roberts as secretary.

3. SCC training updates from 9/27 meeting at the District office

*All School Community Councils meetings need to be tape recorded and does not necessarily need to be place on the school webpage.

* When preparing for next school years community council members, elections should be the responsibility of the Chair and Co-chair and not the school principal. It was suggested that the Chair and Co-chair draft a letter for committee member nominations in the Spring so the committee can be up and functioning when school begins in the Fall.

4. Land Trust Video- Committee members watched School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration Video.

* Last school year, trust land money was used to put reading aides in the classroom. This school year the trust lands money is being used to provide math aides for grades 3-4-5 and provide continued support of reading aides at Heritage Elementary.

5. Tammy Pyfer: State School Board Representative

Tammy Pyfer shared that Senator, Pat Jones, is pursuing a future proposal to help create more funding for public education. Also, she discussed the importance of getting more parents actively involved in politics. She said that until we as parents get involved and become advocates for public education, we will continue to take the back seat with legislation.

6. Trust land plan is on the school website and is tied to the school improvement plan.

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 15 at 3:45 PM in the conference room.