

Minutes

Oran K. Gragson Elementary School

School Organization Team Meeting

Library

September 27, 2017

3:30 PM

School Organizational Team Members:

Ms. Caitlin Casey-Kindergarten Teacher

Mr. Kevin Flynn-Humanities Teacher

LaQuita Coney-Office Clerk

Charles Mesler-Parent

Guadalupe Ortiz-Parent

Alondra Charles-Parent

1.0 Welcome & Roll Call

Members Present- Caitlin Casey, Kevin Flynn, LaQuita Coney, Guadalupe Ortiz, Alondra Charles

Other's Present- Lucia Valenzuela, Lynn Rosenberg, Amelia Rak-Harvey, Terese Bartee, David Hill

2.0 New Items

2.1 Strategic Budget update and vote.

- \$4,301,396.38 is what we were given for our Strategic Budget

-Carry-over of \$29,493.76 from last year

-If we keep our staff the same as it currently is we will have \$64,504.02 left for supplies.

-Using Title one budget we are able to get one more 5th grade teacher. Fifth grade is currently at a 35 to 1 ratio

-We no longer have to keep a Library Aide or P.E. aide. So it was suggested to cut the library aide since we currently have no one filling that position and keep the P.E. aide.

-In previous years we have had double what we have now for supplies and this year about \$30,000 have already been spent on supplies for the year.

-We can work on getting donations for supplies or fundraise money if needed to raise more money for supplies

Vote to approve budget as it currently stands- Yes- 5 No-0

2.2 Discussion of findings on before and after school traffic patterns and procedures

-Going to set up an assembly with the Safe Routes to School people on how to safely get to school and using crosswalks for students and parents. Sometime in November.

-Still waiting to find out if we can move locations of our “Kiss and Go” to keep some of the cars out of the parking lot out front of the building.

2.3 School Organizational Team elections information.

-New staff members elected are David Hill a humanities teacher and Terese Bartee the Librarian

-Parent vote will be held on Friday, September 29th.

-Still waiting on support staff election results.

3.0 General Discussion

-N/A

4.0 Information

4.1 Next Meeting: TBD

5.0 Public Comment Period (2 minutes per person)