

Art City Elementary

School Community Council Agenda

September 13, 2018

3:00 p.m.

Council: Lisa Muirbrook, Shana Huffaker, Amanda Fernlund, Jordan Seely, Rebecca Bentley-Mila, Kim Larsen, Emily Jayme,

1. Introductions:

In Attendance: Lisa Muirbrook, Emily Jayme, Kim Larsen, Jordan Seely, Rebecca Bentley-Mila, Shana Huffaker. Each person introduced themselves. We went over the schedule for the year. We discussed the SCC Council Meetings with the Superintendent that are coming up.

2. Overview of Council Responsibilities:

Mrs. Muirbrook went over what the council is responsible for. She discussed how we want to be accountable and act with integrity with the Trust Land money that is given to Art City Elementary to use.

3. Election of Council Chairs:

Emily motioned for Jordan Seeley for the School Community Council Chair
Rebecca Bentley-Mila seconded the motion.

The vote was unanimous.

Emily Jayme motioned for Rebecca Bentley-Mila to be the co-chair

Kim Larsen seconded it. The vote was unanimous.

4. Discussion of School Improvement Plan

Mrs. Muirbrook talked about how we will be looking at with the Art City School Improvement Plan at future meetings. We will discuss each goal, and decide if changes need to be made for the next year. At this meeting, she did an overview on each of the different goals that are in place for this year.

Jordan Seely brought up how the school she worked at allocated money to teachers to do reading testing before school starts, so the teachers already know where their students are when school starts. She felt that it was helpful to start school knowing that information already. We discussed how maybe we can get benchmarks done sooner, so teachers have that information sooner. We also discussed our plan to start tutoring the second week of school.

5. Discussed the Summary of Programs/Activities Not Included in Plan

We looked at the activities and programs we are doing at the school that are not on our plan. We will look at them in detail at another meeting. We also looked at our projected budget for the school year.

6. Safe Walking Route

We looked at our safe walking route and the map that goes with it. Rebecca Bentley-Mila brought up the safety factor of no sidewalks at the top of center street. There are about 15 students that live up there now. She has talked to the city about it several times. Lisa Muirbrook will bring it up to our risk management people at the district to see if they can help.

7. Items from Mrs. Muirbrook

Julie Warren will be here Tuesday, the 18th at 3:00 pm to give a presentation about the bond election coming up. PTA and SCC members are invited to attend that meeting. November 8th is the date of our next meeting at the school. Feel free to bring up any concerns that you may have. You can let Shana Huffaker know, and she will add it to the agenda. Kim Larsen brought up how having recess duty taken care of by our specialty teacher is working very well. The teachers really appreciate having that bit of time each day. We also discussed the new behavior document that we have in place for our recess technicians to use for any problems that happen out on the playground.

8. Other items from council members: No Items