

School Community Council Minutes
Mountain View Elementary
October 11, 2019
8:30 a.m.

Members Present: Viridiana Cardenas, Nichole Swink, Yesica Torres, Amy Jordan, Osman Osman, Miriam Landeros, Kenneth Limb

I. Student Recognition

Students were recognized by the school counselors for showing the trait of being community builders. Two students in each grade were selected by teachers as those who positive role models of being a community builder.

II. School Community Council (SCC) Elections

The principal explained that nominations for elections were opened a month ago, but there were no nominations. A couple weeks ago several parents expressed in a parent meeting that they were willing to serve on the council. The principal proposed that the parents who came to today's meeting comprise the SCC, and that all in the room vote on that proposal. The vote in favor was unanimous. The parent members of School Community Council will be Nichole Swink, Viridiana Cardenas, Yesica Torres, Amy Jordan, Osman Osman, and Miriam Landeros. The room contained about thirty parents. The principal then explained the need for and the duties of a School Community Council chairperson. A suggestion was made that the chairperson be bilingual. Viridiana Cardenas was nominated. She accepted the nomination, and the vote of the members was unanimous of favor.

III. Student Success Plan

The principal showed the SCC and other parents the Student Success Plan, and explained that teachers and SCC members were involved in the creating and implementing of the plan. One suggestion was made by an SCC member that the visits teachers were doing include an adult of the same culture/race of the families visited joining the teachers. The

principal said that he and the school counselor would take that idea to the faculty.

IV. LAND Trust Plan and Budget

The principal explained the LAND Trust plan and budget that was created by the SCC.

V. TSSA Plan and Budget

TSSA was explained to SCC by the principal. The SCC approved of the use of TSSA funds being used for paraprofessionals to support literacy instruction.

VI. The proposed schedule for SCC was shared with the SCC and other parents at the meeting. One member suggested that SCC meetings rotate being held in the morning and evenings to be able to attract more parents. The principal explained that the SCC decided last spring to pursue having SCC meetings on Fridays at 8:30 so that more parents who already attend a parent meeting could be in attendance. He then explained that the SCC could address this discussion again in the near future. It was agreed that the proposed dates be the schedule for SCC for now.

VII. Adjourned