

Community Council Minutes (Draft)

Date: 2/7/2022

Attending: Brad Bench, Jeff Harrah, Jennifer Morgan, Julie Steel, Heidi Gunn, Ninfa Hernandez, Stephanie Jernagin, Eric Campell, Kristina Stout, Amber Guerisoli

Excused:

Welcome: Meeting opened by Brad Bench

Minutes: Minutes of last meeting were reviewed. Motion to approve by Heidi Gunn, seconded by Julie Steele. The vote to approve was unanimous.

Agenda Items:

Proposals for State Trust Lands Plan (2022-2023)

- New Paraprofessionals - Science Para has been very helpful this first year. Mid year we had one start working with Language Arts and it has also been very beneficial. We would like to utilize a para in Science, Math and Language Arts for next year.
- Social Studies Needs - Headsets (the kind that can be disinfected) to use with chromebooks. Brain Pop subscription.
- Science Needs - There is a list of needed supplies listed on the budget spreadsheet. Mr. Campbell went over each item and explained the need for each item within the science classrooms.
- Language Arts Needs - USB mice for Chromebooks, classroom sets of books, subscription for magazines, plagiarism software and other learning software programs.
- Chinese Needs - Chairman Bao subscription - There was discussion about how to challenge and help Chinese students.

Cell phone use in school - There was a discussion in the PTA meeting about phone usage at school. Is it a problem? Do we need to do something to minimize the accessibility of phone usage? Would it be helpful for teachers to have containers to park phones during class time so that it is not a distraction? Is there something we need/can do as a community council to address the issue? Add to the agenda in March to discuss further.

Mr. Bench will ask the Language Arts teacher to come in March and discuss the books wanted and their angle for choosing them.

Next Meeting: March 7, 2022 12:15 meeting. Meeting was adjourned by Stephanie Jernagin