

Panguitch Elementary Community Council Minutes

March 15, 2016

Present: Principal Nick Reynolds, School board member Mike Savage, Christy Evan, Rachel Finch, Laura Cox, Ashlee Miller, Jacie Torgersen & Annie Anderson came at 2pm.

1. Welcome

The meeting began at 1:30 pm in the district office with Christy Evans welcoming those present.

2. School LAND Trust Monies 2016-2017 Plan:

Land Trust Estimates:

FY16 Funds Available	\$63,137
FY16 Projected Expenditures	\$38,466
FY16 Balance	\$24,671
FY17 Distribution	\$43,029
FY17 Funds Available	\$67,700

The Trust land money this year has been used to pay for the salaries of aides in the reading lab and also the computer lab. The Title I money which is federal money is going to be cut for next year. This money has been used to pay for 4 aides. The community council would like to use the balance of the money from 2016 to help pay for aides for the 2017 fiscal year. The plan will be to hire 4-5 paraprofessionals. Three will be in the Reading Lab and two in the 4th-6th grade classrooms to assist in reading. Also, we will hire the technology lab aide. The council also approved \$4,000 in materials for reading which would include scholastic news and national geographic for the students. Mrs. Cox asked Mr. Savage if the district could help supplement the salary of the technology person in the future as is done in the other schools. Mr. Savage said he didn't see a problem with this. This would help the council in having some money left for a few of the "extra" things. The council all agreed to the plan and signed the plan to send in to the state.

3. Schoolwide Plan:

Mr. Reynolds reviewed the schoolwide plan with the council. Each member had a copy of the plan and followed along as it was reviewed. Laura Cox said she would look into the RAP program which is a program that helps with bullying. In another school that her kids attended this program was taught in 2nd and 5th grade. The council will take time to review the plan and be ready to approve it at next month's meeting.

4. Next Council Meeting:

The next council meeting will be held on April 20, 2016 at 10am in the district office.

5. Parent Concerns:

The school has hired two new teachers for next year. They interviewed for the special education position on Tuesday and hope to have that person hired in the next week. The district will be applying for the Beverly Taylor Grant again for next year and the school is thinking about trying to get an art teacher this time instead of a music teacher. The current music teacher resigned.

The meeting adjourned at 2:30pm.