

Panguitch Elementary School Community Council January 20, 2016

Present: Principal Nick Reynolds, Christy Evans, Rachel Finch, Jacie Torgersen, Annie Anderson & Laura Cox

Welcome:

The meeting began at 10am at the district office with Christy Evans welcoming those present and turning the time over to Mr. Reynolds.

Review of School LAND Trust Monies:

The carry-over from last year was \$19,912.00. The FY 2015 distribution was \$43,225.00 making \$63,137.00 available. The \$43,000 distribution is one of the biggest that the school has ever received. Year to date we have spent \$21,000 on aides salaries with a projected expenditure of \$51,446.81. Annie Anderson suggested that the council keep some of the money for next year to help out with salaries for the aides, Christy Evans also agreed. The council is not supposed to carry-over more than 10% into the next year, however it has been done before. Amy Marshall, Kelley Lee, & Carol Orton who run the reading lab are paid out of trust lands money along with Kim Fullmer who is the computer aide. Mr. Reynolds met with the aides and showed them the budget letting them know that their hours will probably need to be cut in the future. Annie Anderson suggested having the district or PTO help out with the salaries. Jacie Torgersen said that the PTO does not have the money to do that. Christy Evans suggested that the district pay the base salary for Kim Fullmer and then the council could fill in the rest since she is paid at a higher rate. Rachel Finch would like to know how the computer specialists are paid in the other schools and get a plan in place for next year. The council would like to have Mr. Reynolds approach the district about helping out with the salary for Kim Fullmer. The council discussed how important the reading lab is and how it is a priority to keep it and have the aides available to run it.

SNAP Review and Discussion:

The council reviewed the Student Neighborhood Action routing Plan which is how to get the kids home from school. It is much better than a few years ago when Panguitch City, law enforcement officials and the school worked together to create the plan.

Elementary Budget Review:

The school was allotted \$18,000 to spend in supplies, there is \$13,000 left. The following is what the school is planning on ordering:

\$1,000 copy paper

\$800 butcher paper

\$800 poster maker paper

?? order a new laminator

The remainder will be left for teachers to order their own supplies.

Schedule of Council Meetings:

The next meeting will be held on March 16, 2016 at 10AM in the district office.

Parent Concerns:

SEP's will be held on February 3rd & 4th. There will be a teacher survey coming out in the spring through the district where parents will have the opportunity to evaluate the teachers. Mr. Reynolds said that this has been a very good thing in the past as he has been able to share the positive comments with the teachers and hope that everyone will take time to fill it out in the future.