

ESPERANZA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Esperanza Elementary 4956 W. 3500 S. WVC, Utah

CONFERENCE ROOM

MINUTES

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Esperanza Elementary School Community Council was called to order at 8:30AM on Monday, January 30th, 2023.

Members Present: Eulogio Alejandre, Jessica Avila, Elizabeth Chacon, Dawn Foutz, Homar Gosain (sub for Ivonne Medina), & Angelica (Kavoni) Campas) Members Excused: Members Absent:

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1. Welcome and introductions by Angelica Campas, chair of the school community council. The meeting was called to order at 8:30am and Mrs. Campas reported that everyone on the council was present, except for Ivonne Medina who just gave birth to a baby. Mr. Homar Gosain attended to substitute for Ms. Ivonne Medina.
2. Mrs. Campas asked if everyone had an opportunity to look at the minutes shared and posted online and sent to everyone via email and handed out at the meeting.. Everyone agreed that they had. Jessica Avila made a motion to approve the minutes of December 19th. Dawn Foutz seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous to approve the motion.
3. Mrs. Campas turned the time over to Principal Alejandre to provide information about Principal's report.
 - A. Mr. Alejandre reported that our student enrollment has remained steady. We have had steady numbers for several years now and in fact, the state charter director presented a chart at the State Directors Meeting in January recognizing the TOP 10 STABLE charter schools in the state. Esperanza Elementary School is the 4th most stable school. Stable means that they have been at full capacity for several years 102% full.
 - B. Enrollment is currently at 531 students currently on the rolls.
 - C. The wait list is also over 100 students strong.
 - D. We can still easily replace students in K-2nd but the upper grades is more difficult for our teachers, students, and the school.
 - E. County Environmental Health Inspection. They identified 7 findings. 1. Broken dumpster lid 2. Garbage around the dumpster 3. Plan to prevent pests is not in place 4. There cannot be any FOOD in classrooms that are not in metal or extremely heavy plastic containers (rat & mice proof). 5.
4. Homar Gosain reported that over 200 parents attended the Literacy Workshop on January 25th. We are now planning the Mental Health Required Training for March. After that workshop, the final training will be in April, which is the College & Career Readiness Workshop.
5. Mr. Alejandre reviewed the calendar- Valentine's activities will still include the parade of princesses and princes, which Sidy is planning with the help of several other employees.
6. APPEL Audit & Nutrition Program audits are in progress.
7. Next meeting on February 27, 2023
8. Adjourned at 9:44am