

# Sequoia Middle School - School Site Council

Minutes for Meeting on February 15, 2023

7:30 a.m. MPR

## Members in Attendance:

Karla DiDomizio, Martin Nichols, Kelly Welch, Susan Schulte, Karla Stevenson, Kim Skellenger, Keith Jones, Lisa Barron, Lisa Soury, Ed Shatzen, Jaime Taylor, Amy Hamaker, Jenna Burge, Christine Wells, Elizabeth Hill-Nishimura

7:30 a.m.

1.0 Call to order - 7:36

2.0 Pledge of Allegiance

3.0 Approval of Agenda - Lisa Soury moves, Amy Hamaker seconds

4.0 Approval of Minutes - Lisa Soury moves, Keith Jones seconds

5.0 Public Comments -

7:40 a.m.

6.0 Administrator Report (Karla DiDomizio, Kelly Welch, Martin Nichols):

Karla D - Zero Tardy party for students yesterday, renaissance bbq for students today. NPHS visual/performing arts here tomorrow to perform. Science department prepping new lab. TESLA back-up battery in place for school. Raymond T. will be honored at the school board March 1st.

Marty - recently had non-evac earthquake drill, upcoming fire drill evacuation. ELPAC testing is currently in progress. 15 students have been reclassified in the EL program. ELD trip to Moorpark Zoo. 8th grade Discover trip to Museum of Tolerance.

6.1 Bylaws Committee - hoping to finish by-law update suggestions by March 15th SSC meeting.

6.2 SPSA Progress Monitoring - Karla D. motion to approve to move \$7500 from SPSA goals 1 and 5, for additional technology purchases in gym, auditorium, classrooms - All Approved.

7:50 a.m.

## 7.0 Representative reports

7.1 Student Report - ASB rep reported a successful school dance. Timber the Bear to help engage school spirit.

7.2 DAC (Ed Shatzen) - CVUSD board meetings moved to Wed. School Choice is happening. State of the School District address by Mark McLaughlin is March 31st. All encouraged to attend. DELAC was good with their audit report. LCAP survey for students to be taken.

7.3 DELAC (Karla D) - Project Inspire for parents to help engage parents more in their students' academics.

7.4 GATE DAC (Christine Wells) - change in GATE testing to start testing students at the beginning of third grade.

7.5 SEDAC (Evelyn Delgado) -

7.6 PTA (Karla D) - working with 5th grade elementary schools to encourage parents to get involved with PTA at the middle school level.

7.7 LGBTQ+ (Elizabeth Hill-Nishimura) - trying to find more inclusive books.

7.8 AADAC (Arisha Ali)

7.9 Boys and Girls Club (Lisa Barron) - Getting ready for the Youth of the Year award on March 25th. Sequoia with a few students to attend.

8:10a.m.

## 8.0 Student successes and concerns

9.0 Teacher/Staff successes and concerns - Hamaker shout out to ASB for all of their activities and involvement. Roots and Shoots Club had a recycling drive. Robotics club raised some money. Red Cross Club is having their first blood drive.

10.0 Parent successes and concerns -

8:30 a.m.

11.0 Adjournment - 8:20

***Next meeting is March 15, 2023***