



BENITO JUÁREZ COMMUNITY ACADEMY



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Juarez Community Academy Local School Council

- I. Call meeting to order
 - a. 5:38pm start
- II. Roll Call
 - a. Mr. Ocon, Beatriz, Oscar, Ismael, Ms. Bigelow, Glenda, Alicia, Rosa, Ingrid
- III. Approve Minutes
 - a. Nancy Bigelow motions to amend the 19 Sept Agenda
 - b. Amendment: Rosa Esquivel and Oscar Torres along with Beatriz Castillo to the Athletic Center Committee
 - c. All in favor of approving
 - d. Beatriz motions, Rosa seconds, all approved for 4 October 2019
- IV. New Business
 - a. Work Stoppage Info
 - i. Mr. Ocon handed out a "Upcoming Trainings and Communications" document that will address the work stoppage due to CTU, SEIU strike on 17 October 2019
 - ii. Although classes are cancelled, the building will remain open.
 - iii. Non-members of CTU will be present at the building to help keep building open at 7pm.
 - iv. Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner will be served at the building
 - v. Ismael – approx. how many personnel will be present?
 1. Mr. Ocon - 7 personnel will keep the school building open; but it can vary depending on amount of students that show up; could also mean that personnel have to go to other schools to provide relief
 - vi. Oscar – about how many students will show up?
 1. Mr Ocon – last time there was a strike about 10 students showed up
- V. Transfer of funds
 - a. Transfer of funds to cover negatives on pointer lines due to updates in salaries
 - b. Ismael – motions to discuss "transfer of funds" before the Budget on sec VII, part F; second by Ms. Bigelow; approved by all
- VI. Announce Date of Meeting
 - a. Next meeting 11/20
- VII. Reports
 - a. Principal evaluation
 - i. Mr. Ocon – looking to create the committee
 1. Glenda, Alicia, Ms. Bigelow, Ms. Peralta, Beatriz
 2. Mr. Ocon – Willy Montes de Oca; Julissa Cruz from LSC relations, CPS will also be part of the committee
 3. Ms. Bigelow – parents will also get notified
 - b. Bilingual Committee

- i. Mr. Ocon – looking to create committee
 - 1. Mr. Ocon – the bilingual committee will work with LSC and BAC, and lead instructor Ms. Paula Steward.
 - a. Esmeralda – what time do they meet?
 - b. Mr. Ocon – 9:30am, 3rd Tuesday of the month
 - c. Glenda will be member
- c. Athletic Center Renovation Committee
 - i. Rosa, Oscar, Beatriz
- d. Acre of Land Committee
 - i. Ismael, Esmeralda, Glenda, Alicia, Pedro
- e. CIWP
 - i. Mr. Ocon – we have Ms. Mendez, Drew Pikins, Ron Chaconey, Mr Marquez, Ms. Rontisi have volunteered to be part of the committee, and will meet in November
 - ii. Rosa, Ingrid
- f. Transfer of fund
 - i. Ms Barnes – now we have negatives in the budget
 - 1. Glenda – are we still paying for teacher that was removed?
 - 2. Ms Barnes – yes position is still listed
 - 3. Ingrid – where does security get paid?
 - 4. Ms. Barnes – security gets paid from buckets; from allocated funds
 - 5. Ismael – lets Glenda know that during the budget committee meeting the Wednesday prior; Ingrid, Ms Bigelow, and Ismael asked about the employee that was removed
 - 6. Ms. Barnes indicates that the line is still present and cant touch it until CPS indicates what to do with the investigation
 - 7. Ismael Cuevas – motions to give Ms. Barnes permission to close out the negatives in the budget, Beatriz seconds.
 - 8. All approved
- g. Budget
 - i. Fundraising proposal
 - 1. Angel – part of the Senior Council; proposing to allow a fundraiser dance
 - 2. Rosa motions; Ms. Bigelow seconds; all approved
 - ii. Medicina Club – looking to raise money
 - 1. Ismael motions; Ms. Bigelow seconds; All approved
- h. ESSA/PAC
 - i. Mr. Ocon – in September there was a meeting to establish each of the committees.
 - 1. On October 15 there was a meeting w ESSA and BAC
- i. BAC
 - i. Same as the above
- j. Teacher report
 - i. Ms. Bigelow – possibility of having a “school climate” committee
 - 1. Rosa – what kind of issues?
 - a. Ms. Bigelow – for example, last year we spent a lot of time talking about the Cell Phone policy. This committee can handle those type of issues.
 - b. Rosa would like to see this committee. This committee for example can discuss issues where campus climate will be discussed. For example, student safety, food, etc.
 - c. Ms. Bigelow motions to create NAME TBD Committee that will discuss safety, procedure, protocol concern
 - i. Rosa second; All in favor; Ismael abstain (wants to see other committee work)

- k. Student Report
 - i. Angel – student complaints
 - 1. Soccer field – benches are damaged;
 - a. Ismael – where would money come from?
 - i. Mr. Ocon – ideally we want stands instead of benches; and since campus is open the community there is more wear and tear. We need to think about closing athletic facilities to the community.
 - 2. Cell phone lockers – students are upset that they are paying for lockers but are not using them.
 - 3. Athletic students – students want teacher support
 - l. Principals Report
 - i. Mr. Ocon – hands out a 5 page principal report
 - ii. Competency A
 - 1. CIWP report which was discussed
 - iii. Competency B
 - 1. Jumprope – will be used during report card pick up on Nov 14
 - iv. Competency C
 - 1. See attached report
 - v. Competency D
 - 1. See attached report
 - vi. Competency E
 - 1. Mr. Ocon emailed and printed out the Sex Education Curriculum for CPS
 - 2. Glenda – passed out 2 forms. 1 form was a 1985 sheet that has outdated language on dealing with LGBTQI issues. the 2nd form – is an article on educator responsibility to confront sexual violence
 - 3. Ismael – he proposed to write the letter to CPS on behalf of LSC Juarez asking to update the Sex Ed Curriculum in particular in regard to how it deals with LGBTQI issues. He will bring letter to the next LSC meeting.
- VIII. Public Participation
 - a. Abigail – She would like to sign up for the “School Climate” Committee; can chromecarts be used for non-teachers?
 - i. Mr. Ocon – Chromecarts can only be used by teachers
 - b. Marisela Lopez – n/a
 - c. Elisa Crisantos – N/a
 - d. Manuel Gallardo – N/a
 - e. Maritza Reyes – Mujeres Latinas en Accion – spoke during the Principal Report
 - f. Anel Olivares – would like to be added to Principal Evaluation committee
- IX. Announcements
- X. Adjournment
 - a. Beatriz motion to adjourn at 7:51pm