

Morningside Elementary School
SBDM Minutes
January 19, 2023

Meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m.

Members present were Heather Goodman, Alex Vega, Titus Sublett, Sharon Billings, Karen Henson, and Heather Paulsen.

Council reviewed the current agenda. Alex Vega made a motion to approve the agenda; motion was seconded by Karen Henson. All were in consensus.

Council reviewed the December meeting minutes. Heather Paulsen made a motion to approve the minutes; motion was seconded by Alex Vega. All were in consensus.

No public comment.

Heather Goodman shared the Principal's report with council members including the following information:

- Enrollment: 453
- Updates:
 - Mrs. Goodman is beginning to work on the Needs Assessment. It is due to Mrs. Bush by the end of the month. Will be asking for additional lighting at the drop off entrance. Council mentioned the need for new desks and chairs and doors for the TK side of the building. Council will get with teams to see if there are any other needs that could be sent to Mrs. Goodman.
- Upcoming Events:
 - Bus Evacuation will be Monday, January 23rd.
 - Early release Friday is January 27th. A guest speaker will be coming to speak with classes during their specials time on that Friday.
 - Club Day is February 3rd.
 - The Student Council will be selling Valentine Grams in the cafeteria in the mornings during the week leading up to Valentine's day. Proceeds will be donated to the Hardin Co. Animal Shelter.
 - Valentine Day parties will be on February 14th.

Heather Goodman presented the Council with a year to date budget for Section 6, General Fund, and the School Activity account for review.

Heather Goodman discussed with Council the vacant ELL Position. Tiffany Barnes' last day was on Jan. 13th. We are still seeking to fill her position.

Heather Goodman presented to Council SBDM Policies for review. The following policy was discussed and changes were suggested:

- Policy 06.02 - Title 1 Program Parent Involvement
 - Replace “newsletters” with the school website, Facebook page, and Class Dojo when referring to methods of communication.
 - Remove “Coordinating and integrating, as appropriate, parent involvement programs/activities with the Kindergarten program.”
 - Remove “Infinite Campus” from ways for teachers to “communicate regularly...” from the Parent School Learning Compact.

Mrs. Goodman will present the policy with said changes for the second reading at the next council meeting.

Heather Goodman discussed with Council that there are still ESSR funds available for this year. Those will be used to purchase math materials, possibly as textbooks, and other teacher resources. Next year will be the last year for ESSR funds.

Closing Business:

The next regular scheduled meeting is February 16, 2023 at 3:30 PM in the MES library.

Alex Vega made a motion to adjourn; Karen Henson seconded. All were in agreement. Meeting adjourned at 3:50 PM.

Heather Goodman, Principal

Karen Henson, Co-Chair