

14December2018

7:00am

**Attendees:**

Chair: Janet Barnette

Parents: Betsy Kleba, Phillip Baker, Merisa Johnson, Julie Lewis, Jana Edward, Rocio Hernandez, Caryn Willardsen,

Faculty & Staff: Andrea Butterfield, Robert Guido

Administration: Larry Madden, Matt Smith

Others: Ben Schreiter (community member), Katherine Kennedy (SLC school board member), Stephanie Mortensen (Spanish language interpreter)

Location: Bryant Middle School

**Agenda:**

Welcome

November SCC meeting minutes

- Reviewed by SCC
- Two corrections made
- Jana motioned to approve, Phillip seconded, voted unanimously to approve November meeting minutes with two corrections

EEP goals review

- EEP is excellence in equity plan – this replaced the school improvement plan. There is an academic goal, culture goal, and equity goal in Bryant EEP.
- Second round of classroom observations for engagement tool will happen early 2019 – this will measure how well school met EEP goal and impact of last year’s professional development efforts
- Every 90 days there is an opportunity to evaluate and update EEP which provides the flexibility needed to make this a more effective and meaningful tool for schools

Bryant-SLCSE merger update

- On Dec 4<sup>th</sup> the SLC school board approved to combine SLCSE and Bryant into a single system
- Discussed 2019-20 academic year Bryant site structure with math/science combination and with English language arts/Social Studies
- Four teachers form a block that work all day with ~60 kids which really allows teachers to know their student group
- Anticipate about 440 Bryant students next year – block curriculum could accommodate ~500 students with proposed structure
- Open house to be scheduled for end of January 2019

- Vision is to have 4 blocks of 7<sup>th</sup> graders and 4 blocks of 8<sup>th</sup> graders
- This year half of the 7<sup>th</sup> graders are in block system – next year the entire school will be in the block system
- Administration meeting with staff at both locations to discuss and coordinate efforts to move toward formal merger including merging SIC from both schools
- Must consider SCC – does this council merge? Likely not as both locations have separate land trust funds. School board giving community the latitude to determine next steps and longer-term plan for SCC.
- Draft schedule for 2019-20 to be shared with faculty Jan 2019

#### Administrative updates

- Food pantry up and running – available Tuesday and Thursdays
- Students are allowed to take as much food as they can carry
- Hygiene packs are being prepared to distribute in the coming weeks
- Food pantry could be staffed by community members from 3:00-4:30pm on Tuesdays and Thursday. Ben will work to find volunteers and report back to SCC. Thank you, Ben!
- There are also bags of clothes that need to be sorted and distributed
- Need to get community input about naming of both schools to recognize how they are joined. Any name would be recommended by SCC who then moves to school administration who then puts recommendation before board for approval

#### Upcoming events

- Open house at Bryant January 22, 2019 6-8pm
- SLCSE open house to be held 24 January 2019 5-7pm
- Meetings set up with East and West and SLCSE high schools 28, 30 January 2019
- There is an urgent need for substitute teachers. School board requests administration ensure accurate reporting of substitute fill rate.