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March 12th Minutes

SCC members in attendance: Miriam Luna, Merissa Graves, Heather Nicholas, Brian Jenson, Elyse Tate, CJ Wilkinson (Candyce Lee is held up at an appointment)

Also in attendance: Jill Weight and Kelly Taeoalii (Board Members), Sheri Biel (Instructional Coach)

Minutes from February reviewed and approved by Merissa Graves, 2nd by Brian Jenson.

Legislative Update by Jill Weight. LE.UT.gov to see bills and see who your Legislators are. Reminder that you can have conversations with your representative all year long. Text is actually the best way to get a response. Also, personal stories are good to present rather than "I don't like it or you need to rethink". Make it real with your reps.

There was discussion of SCC member who had not come to any meetings this year. Based on the protocols it says the Council can vote after a Council member has missed more than 3 meetings. This was brought to a vote by Merissa and all members in attendance voted to remove this council member.

Discussion on the Trustlands plan for the upcoming school year. We shared information about the Proposed boundary change. Our budget on the state land trust site says we would be receiving 87,192.41. The draft of the Trustlands plan only shows \$76,967.81. This is the amount the District is projecting we will receive due to the boundary change. Had Sheri Biel share some information on the Science of Reading and the reason why all students at Parkside would benefit from a writing goal. Discussed Language Acquisition and our subgroups that we are in CSI for (ESL, Black subgroups). We have been making growth with our subgroups each year but it has not been enough. Explained the influx of MLL's and how our numbers of Level 1's have doubled this year (current level 1 was 109, total ELL of 178).

Ms. Nicholas talked about what was important for teachers to spend money on. First, ELD (English Language Development teacher). The district funded a .5 FTE for this position. Teachers felt it would be most beneficial to open this position as



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a 1.0 FTE. Our trustlands plan will fund .5 FTE for this teacher (\$60,000). We also need stipends/professional development for Professional development and allotted money for this from the plan (\$16,000).

Goal			
English language students will show growth in writing by the end of the school year. Specifically, 75% of English Language students will meet their growth goal on WIDA access.			
Academic Areas			
Writing			
Measurements			
WIDA Composite Scores			
Action Plan Steps			
 Hire .5 English Language Development Teacher to coordinate MLL services. (60,000) Stipends for teachers to develop school wide writing rubrics with grade level content and Professional Development (16,000) 			

Category	Action	Funding Amount	
Salaries and Benefits	#1 and #2	\$76,000	SLT

The plan was voted on and unanimously passed with 6 members voting yes to approve and zero members voting no. Candyce Lee was absent for this vote. Trustlands plan was approved.

We also discussed how the district office had looked at our growing numbers and gave us an additional .5 FTE to help with our growing student numbers.

Motion to adjourn the meeting made by Heather Nicholas a 2nd from Brian Jenson.