

**School Community Council Meeting Minutes –Draft September 23, 2015
Riverton High School 5:00 PM**

In Attendance:

Matt Young	Dean Melville
Carolyn Gough	Amy Murray
Mike Anderson	Scott Gunther
Scott Festin	Shauna Eccles
Melinda VanKomen	Michael Bohling
Brigitte Comish	Time Dennis
Brenda Bingham	Janilee Taylor
Lisa Childers	Rhonda Spivey

Not Present:

Dustin Caldwell
Travis Anderson
Garrit Lipscomb
Jim Groethe
Linda Tranter
Donna Semadini
Marc Semidini

Mr. Anderson's presentation on possible boundary changes between Bingham HS and Riverton HS. Council seemed to approve of the suggestions to change the boundaries to follow the Riverton city boundaries.

Minutes of the last meeting approved.

Vice Principal Janilee Taylor- review of the rules and responsibilities of SCC

Principal suggested for members to view the Land Trust video.

Election of Chairperson: Volunteers for Chair and vice chair: Michael Bohling and Vice president is Scott Festin. Voting proceeded and both parties were accepted by the council.

The Budget report for fund-raising was presented; Ms. Murray questioned why the choir fundraiser was not listed. Any fund-raising ideas should be approved by C. Hagan.

Agenda item #9: Sage testing.
Principal guided the group on the internet to www.gateway.schools.utahs.gov-then proceeded with a discussion of school assessment systems

Ms. Gough prefers to target ACT tests, rather than SAGE scores, feels they are more relevant to today's students. A discussion about the changes in PLAN to a new national test, Aspire.

Question from Tim D. about possibly moving the ACT dates to early in the year or to 10th grade. Shauna was concerned about more ACT info to be better prepared. Tim wanted to know how the school prepares students for college and career readiness. Carolyn suggested that comparing the two tests may give a more accurate picture of student readiness.

Ms. Gough introduced the need for reforming the mission and vision statements for the school before accreditation. The plans strengths and weaknesses should be discussed.

#6 Agenda- A list was presented of many suggestions given by school and community members.

Members discussed many and limited the lists for further review. There were questions about focusing on the individual not on the school.

#9 Agenda-Safety with technology –discussion of the law HB213 and that there is a 3 fold approach to the topic.

Assembly Netzmarts

In class discussion with the principal on policy, also cyberbullying, and cell phone appropriate behavior

Member Brenda suggested a parent info night on safety and bullying. A summary of compliances was discussed; be age specific, share expenses between schools, how to encourage parents to come to the night. Possibly use the Driver's-Ed info night.

#11-AA446 Wellness-hard to implement. Smart Snacks? And Fundraisers must also comply? There are exemption of fundraiser activities.

#12-check the website for the School Trust Land budget- monies were used last year to hire a math teacher. This year we're spending more funds on technology.

#13-next meeting 1-13-16,
information about training for community council members at District office JSD-
10-08 @ 6:30, 10-21 HHS, 10-28 CHHS