



MINUTES

Ison Springs School Governance Council

Date | time 03/25/2024 | 3:00pm | Location Microsoft Teams

SGC Members

Lakasha Lee, Principal | Ayanna Brown, Appointed Teacher | Amy Nickerson, Elected Teacher | Inga Coleman, Appointed Staff | Lisa Splitt, Appointed Staff | Shante Dingle, Parent | Leslie Mullis, Community Member | Jordan Hunter, Community Member

Time	Item	Owner
3:00pm	<p>Call to Order</p> <p>-Meeting called to order 3:01 by Brown. All members present.</p>	Brown (Chair)
3:02pm	<p>Action Item: Approve Agenda</p> <p>-Splitt approved. Nickerson 2nd the motion</p>	Brown (Chair)
3:05pm	<p>Action Item: Approve February Meeting Minutes</p> <p>-Splitt motioned. Nickerson & Hunter 2nd</p>	Brown (Chair)
3:10pm	<p>Discussion Item: Elections Update*</p> <p>A. Discuss Candidate Declarations -Ms. Lee has secured 2 parents. And 1 teacher, a 4th grade.</p> <p>B. Plan to promote voting.</p>	Outreach & Communications Committee Chair
3:20pm	<p>Debrief Cross Council Meeting</p> <p>Coleman & Dingle were able to attend the meetings.</p> <p>Ms. Dingle enjoyed her time at the meeting. One thing that stood out to her was engaging parents. Sending information out paper & email is a lot. She suggested a required quarterly meeting with admin information to relayed.</p> <p>Ms. Lee shared that since she's become principal, the school has been looking for ways to enhance our parent engagement and communication. She mentioned she didn't want to include required meetings, because she understands that parents have a lot of other things going on.</p> <p>Adding a priority for next year, required parent involvement for next year.</p> <p>Coleman's takeaway's were that taking the issues that we are having doing a backwards design to find the issue. She shared that a high school is offering credit recovery for some students, which was under the flexibility waivers.</p> <p>Dingle asked about the</p>	Brown (Chair)
3:25pm	<p>Discussion/Action Item: Charter Dollar Expenditures***</p> <p>Coleman made a motion to approve the funds for the book vending machine. Splitt 2nd the motion. All members agreed & the motion was carried.</p>	Coleman (Vice)

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	Splitt then made a motion to approve to use the remaining funds for FUN Week (t-shirts, game truck, Science man, obstacle course, additional board games, tents, & arts/science supplies)	
3:30pm	Informational Item: Principal's Update Spring break coming up. Day of return is the solar eclipse day. Using that day to wear all black & k- 2 will remain in the building. 3-5 have to gain permission. The solar eclipse will begin at 1:00 & be done by 4:00. The district will excuse the day & all information will be communicated. Masks will be sold at the dance for \$1/ \$2 Spring dance, April 19 th . 2 weeks after we return from spring break. 5 th graders couldn't go on long distance field trip. But will still be going on a local field trip April 18 th April 29 – May 10 – GMAS Mullis mentioned a clean up day again for the Saturday after the dance. Lowe's will more than likely sponsor. But the date	Principal Lee
3:45pm	Informational Item: Superintendent Advisory Council Updates Mullis had surgery.	Council Representatives
3:50pm	Discussion Item: Draft Next Meeting Agenda Next meeting will be April 17 at 3:00 pm. We will have to have another meeting to transition new officers. May 15 th to transition the officers.	Brown (Chair)
4:00pm	Action Item: Meeting Adjournment Meeting adjourned at 3:39.	Brown (Chair)

Meeting Norms

Silences Phones | Be Respectful of Others' Opinions | Work for the Good of All Students

* The declaration period for parents and teachers interested in serving on their local SGCs will run from **February 5th to March 29th**. Click [here](#) to check how many council seats your school has open for these positions in this year's election cycle. Click [here](#) for election resources and updates throughout the declaration period.

** FY25 Budget development begins on February 5th and will **conclude on March 1st (Middle Schools), and March 8th (High Schools)**. SGCs should schedule their February and March meetings prior to their budget closure date to ensure the council has time to discuss and approve FY25 fiscal allocations.

*** All councils must spend the entirety of their Charter Dollars prior to the end of the school year (Charter Dollar expenditures should align with all FCS Contracting requirements and purchase deadlines). See the [Charter Dollar Matrix](#) for expenditure suggestions from each FCS district department.