



**School Organizational Team Minutes**  
**MVHS Crow's Nest**  
**1/22/2020 – 1:10 pm**



SOT members in attendance: Marquessa Aikele, Louise Culler, Terry Holzer, Aimee Houghtalen, Chad Leavitt, Hal Mortensen, Geniel Ozaki, Gary Watkins, Aubrey Aikele

By Phone : Lindsey Dalley

Absent: Kimberly Hardy

- I. Call to Order by Chairman- Terry
- II. Reading and Approval of Minutes- Minutes approved- Motion made by Chad, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gary- All in favor
- III. Public Comment (3 minutes)-
- IV. School safety update-
  - A. Fight Back Nation - A letter was drafted by Terry to send to Dr. Jara and Mr. Hanevold along with all others on the email received on 12/4/19. The letter will include further concerns and the plan to provide adequate insurance for the training. Each SOT member will sign it and then it will be mailed and emailed to all parties in CCSD.
  - B. We are only waiting for the proper signatures to move ahead with the enclosure, no start dates or other information was available.
- V. Principal Report- Budget
  - A. 2020-2021 First Budget Details for MVHS were presented. More cuts from CCSD will come out in June, 2020. Dollars from our budget need to be set aside to cover whatever the cutback will be in June, 2020. Enrollment numbers are 30 above what our in school projection adds up to. We will not count on the extra dollars for the 30 students because we will lose it on Count Day in September, 2020.
  - B. Dean Positions will no longer exist within CCSD- We have 2 options to fill that spot 1-Assistant principal 2- Student Success Coordinator - Motion made for option 1- AP position. Motioned by Aimee 2nd by Marquessa- All in favor
  - C. Connie Robertson's position (College/Career Specialist) provided by the grant was cut in half.
  - D. The grant that supported the .50 Counselor position was not renewed.
  - E. Jeff Keel's position (contingent on retirement) will be absorbed - \$88,205 His classes will be covered with current staff. The "extra" pay will be used to for the following:
    - AP position -\$21,201
    - .05 counselor - \$44,100
    - College/Career Specialist - \$20,000

Motion to approve this allocation by Gary, 2nd by Terry- All in favor

VI. General Business

A. Upcoming Board Meeting- Thursday, February 6th at 5pm at the MESC on the reservation. This will be a small meeting with lots of CCSD officials, School Superintendent Dr. Jara, and all board members present. It will be a great opportunity to have an audience to ask about ; School safety, rural funding and other concerns that are unique to our schools in the valley.

VII. Parent /Teacher Concerns-

VIII. Student Body Representative- Aubrey Aikele

A. Question about the Tardy Lockout procedure and policies. She has noticed that some of the students that were excessively tardy are showing up now with the pink slip in hand. A few students will just go home instead of getting the tardy. Some students prefer to be absent that to take a tardy. It would be helpful to know what the consequences are for tardies. Maybe we can post the tardy policy in the hallways so students understand what is going to happen if tardies persist.

B. Senior ditch day was addressed- it was suggested to maybe get the word out to students that these days are not approved and will be viewed as a truancy.

IX. General SOT Discussion/Questions

A.Question was raised about 500 hall area post construction and accessibility. The cafeteria is waiting on final inspection/approval from the Health department.

X. Public Comment (3 minutes)

XI. Adjourn

- Meeting adjourned at 3:28 pm – Motion made by Terry, Gary seconded
- Next meeting tentatively planned for Wednesday, February 5th at 1:05