



Moapa Valley High School SOT Meeting Minutes 09/24/24



Call to Order/ Roll Call

Duane McMinn, Mitch Ozaki, Chad Leavitt, Kenna Higgins, Mark Cottle, Teresa Kruse, Wynette Bodily, Terry Holzer and Lisa Cornwall

Review & Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve minutes from 04/03/24; Mark Cottle made the motion Kenna Higgins seconded. Minutes were approved.

Motion to approve minutes from 08/28/98; Kenna made the motion, Mark Cottle seconded. Minutes were approved.

Special note: Bryan Linford is out of town for the meeting but has given Kenna Higgins his proxy.

Informational Items:

A. Budget - Mitch Ozaki, Duane McMinn

Duane presented a copy of the Fall Budget Summary and informed the members that at the moment the budget was balanced but with a zero operating balance. He also stated that during a staff meeting on 09/23/24 that he informed the staff that we had zero operating budget; we would not be losing any positions and that they were working with the District on getting funds and for everyone to be patient.

Chad Leavitt asked why the operating budget was so off; Mitch stated that the District accounting department did not account for teacher raises.

Suggestions on how to get operating funds:

1. Cancel the certified kitchen project, (approximately \$400,000 returned)
2. Not hire the additional teacher position, (approximately \$120,000)
3. Request the \$282,738 from the Hold Harmless Fund

Kenna made the motion to object to the budget, Mark seconded the motion. The budget was objected to and will be presented again at the next SOT meeting with the new members. (NOTE: If CCSD presents us with a reasonable budget on Friday, September 27th we will approve the budget with conditions,)

B. New SOT Members

Licensed teachers voted for new SOT members; the outcome will be announced on Friday. Support staff never received the google form to vote; Duane asked Teresa to call the union. Telephone call was made and was informed that Jan Gyles would get back to her; to date she hasn't. So, there has been no vote made by support staff for new SOT member.

Terry Holzer asked when community members would be voted upon; Mitch said that would be up to the new SOT committee.

C. Next Meeting - October 2, 2023 at 1:10 PM

Adjourn - 2:45 PM