

**SUNRIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL
21ST CENTURY SITE COUNCIL MINUTES
Wednesday, October 13th 2010**

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Gita Webster at 3:05 P.M. Members present were: Fred Wolotira, Becky Payne, Teresa Fenn, Karen Vanderplatt, Fran Szumski, Matt Yoshioka, and Gita Webster. Minutes from the last meeting were approved with a motion from Teresa and second from Fred.

BUSINESS:

Gita reviewed site council protocol that is mandatory. Site council members must be staggered every 3 years. Staggered terms were established for all members so that continuity would be maintained on the council. They are as follows:

Certified Staff Members:

Gita Webster (Chairman)—exit in 2011
Dave Nirschl—exit in 2011
Becky Payne (Secretary)—exit in 2013
Fred Wolotira---exit in 2013

Classified Staff Members:

Teresa Fenn---exit in 2012
Karen Vanderplatt---no exit

Parent Volunteers:

Brenda Russell (8th grade parent) ---exit in 2011
Charity Murphy (7th grade parent) ---exit in 2012
Fran Szumski (6th & 8th grade parent---exit 2013

Administration:

Matt Yoshioka---no exit

District Office Representative:

Greg Galloway---exit per D.O. assignment

BUSINESS:

This was the first site council meeting for the 2010-2011 school year. New members include Fred Wolotira and Becky Payne. We began with a request for funds from Chris Schulze for the Outdoor School program. The current budget for Outdoor school has been cut by 1/3 rd this year. The request was made for \$1500 dollars for supplies. There were additional fund requests from John Scanlan, Sunridge Renaissance Advisory Team, David Payne and Barb Larson. Matt suggested we table the funds requests until we see an updated account balance for the Site Council. The council agreed to that with the exception of Barb Larson's request for funds for "Red Ribbon Week" which is taking place before our next meeting. Matt made the motion to grant the \$350 for this event and a second from Teresa.

Matt presented new goals for this year. The first presented was as follows: Work towards meeting AYP, specifically in the area of academic status of "Students with Disabilities." The second goal: Meet AYP; specifically in the area of attendance for the "Economically Disadvantaged," and the "American Indian" population. It was also brought to our attention that letters have been going out to the parents of those students that are missing a lot of school and they have been very successful. The council suggested an email be sent to staff members after each Attendance Committee meeting as an update. We also discussed the possibility of adding a 3rd goal that relates to positive behavior.

Meeting adjourned at 4:05 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Becky Payne
Site Council
Secretary