

**Sunset Ridge Middle School**  
**Community Council Minutes**  
**23 March, 2011**

Excused ms. Robinson and her husband, she's already been briefed  
Becky Stephens, Steve Thatcher, Don Findlay, Rhonda, and Travis attending

**Calendar of events**

Tomorrow - end of the 3rd quarter  
Should be emails going out from Skyward  
April 7th Hot Diggity Dog  
Spring recess 20-21 April

**CRT**

lots of sleep and breakfasts and parents don't take students out of school for CRT testing  
A Computer based  
SpEd will have them digitally read to them  
Load tests in the next two weeks

**School land trust**

Discussed goals  
Increase proficiency in sci, la, math by 2%  
Rewritten last year's plan (it was a 5 year plan)  
RTI - our iFlight program

Continue to fund intervention aides, one per grade level and one for math  
Focus in having aides be with students who do get it and teachers with those who don't  
It takes a 17 hour person to do the paperwork and track data  
Track Ds and Fs daily  
And 20 students per grade level tracked everyday  
Question - What is RTI? Response to intervention  
Purchase hardware - printers  
Instructional technology (ie Averpen)

How do we measure this? CRTs  
ISQ survey - We'll get this back in May  
Math lab, RTI, and intervention aides by Ds and Fs  
Technology survey

CSIP - No longer money attached to it  
5 year plan

RTI has several critical factors, particularly being flexible  
Only going to have about 6 weeks of iFlight this quarter because of CRTs

If you go onto land trust website the numbers will be different because of money carried over  
Carryover was divided to each level  
Salaries and benefits - teacher professional development and intervention aides  
2. Helps cover if professional development goes over  
Helps pay for summer collaboration  
4. Travel (would only be for out of state)

Next June as part of schools to watch we'll be sending teachers to DC (June 2012)  
8. Printers, tablets, averpens

Plenty in textbooks (much is going in software) and library budgets already  
Pay for ongoing fee to access ebooks  
Textbooks aren't the biggest bang for your buck, focusing on student needs is  
Approved by committee – signatures given

**FALCON traits**

Ordered 3' x 5' flags for cafeteria - colonial flag

Passed out example story for "confidence" falcon trait story  
Don - it has been very effective in TA

### **Fall registration**

now online enrollment

Late June information will be coming about online enrollment

Paper packet will be 1/10 the size because it will be done through family access and skyward

Have to have signature on network acceptable use

Around 7 papers that need signatures

April 14 - Skylert

Currently only have one line, this new program attendance has to do nothing

Email, text, voice call about concert for example

Will translate messages into Spanish

District paying for Skylert, rolling it into Skyward

Next year all online computer registration

Skyward mobile - access from phone, PE teachers will be able to access it from the field

Q - can't we print out for sand bring them in

Fee waiver is an optional form

All forms will be translated into Spanish

Q - All testing will be on the computer? yes

Netbook labs (40 x 3 labs; bumped two labs up to 40 computers, one lab at 32, and one more 40 netbook labs from district)

### **7. Other**

Just found out - superintendent Stoddard - district received triple A bond rating, same as before and are split

Only small percentage of all govt agencies are triple A, state of UT, JSD, and SLCSD

Can bond at much lower interest rates

### **SHIELD**

Ask students lot of open ended questions

Don't write down any student names

### **Change in late work policy**

Needs to be academically rigorous, developmental responsible, socially equitable

What do you feel our late work policy is or where it needs to go

Parent - student with ADHD, very hard to get student to get work in, leniency on late work relieves emotional stress, stress makes students less functional

Discussion that there would be a different late work policy for each grade

Hep students feel more accountability?

9th grade is talking about midterm and end of quarter

Need to understand that getting things in on time is the standard and not the exception

High school is zero consistency

Same experience with his student - lots of teachers with different standards

CHHS is moving toward professional learning community model

Perhaps HS will have late work among academies

Q - have parent's perspective on the late work committee?

Do a parent survey?

Q - What is your Hispanic population?

ESL 18%

7 Pre-emergent

40 Emergent

Rhonda - Wasatch - Latinos in Action come and do translation at parent teacher conferences

High school was willing to pay for Latinos in action, but we didn't have an available teacher

Can't have students of any grade level transmitting private information

Rhonda - Student really enjoying iFlight

Adjourned