

Highland Jr. High
Community Council Meeting Minutes
March 14, 2019
4:15pm

PRESENT: Terry Humphreys, Jenna Holland, Truanne Haas, Kevin Karician

WELCOME: Jenna Holland, Chair

MINUTES: February 14, 2019 minutes reviewed and approved

PRINCIPAL REPORT: Ms. Humphreys

- Reviewed and approved to **add/include** to the current policy for Cell Phones and other Electronic Devices;
All Electronic devices – Phones, iPods, games, etc will be turned off when first bell rings (8:05am) and remain off until student’s lunch break, will then be turned off again until end of school (3:10pm). Random checks will be performed to enforce the change to policy.
- Ms. Humphreys presented SAGE testing results from 2014 – 2018,
Highland’s scores reflect small increases, small decreases, then finally very little movement from 2017 – 2018 in all three Test Subject areas – Lang Arts, Math, and Science.
From this information, the goal for the 2019-2020 School Plan/Land Trust Fund’s Proposals are to increase student scores and improve classroom behavior, therefore, the proposed allotments are as follows;

Reading and Math component

❖ Staff assistant for Math Lab	\$14,000
❖ Portion of ELA daily instruction	10,000
❖ Reading Plus Program	14,500
❖ After School Tutoring	10,000
❖ 1 Cart w/40 Chromebooks	10,000

Behavior component

❖ 2 behavior Staff assistants	31,000
❖ Hero program (reward, tracking program)	4,000
❖ Mindfulness program	1,000
❖ Portion of Latino In Action instructor	10,733
❖ TOTAL	\$ 105,233
❖ Carryover	3,315

COUNSELOR NEWS: Kevin Karician, Counselor

- 7th Grade CCR’s will begin last week of March through first part of April. All grades CCR’s will then be complete for 2019-2020 school year – student scheduling will then begin.
- She-Tech Workshop scheduled for April 9, 2019 has approx. 36 9th grade girls signed up and excited to go.
- We are excited for the opportunity to welcome a part time counselor starting the 2019-2020 school year.

Motion to adjourn 4:45pm
Next Meeting, April 11, 2019