

## Dumas ISD

# District Council Meeting

**Thursday, May 18, 2017**

## Minutes

### 1. Welcome

- Meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM
- Mr. Hysinger gave the welcome and thanked everyone for attending.
- Members Present:

Brian Heaton	Marsha Griffin	Karena Tyler
Shawn Mason	Naomi Angeles	Karen BcDade
Holli Boggs	Brenda Hart	Daniel Turner
Kylene Thomas	Eric Clark	Lawrence Bussard
Stacey Murphy	Nikki Ames	Kathy Speck
Vonda Fry	Carol Ledbetter	Greg Lewis
Polly Higley	Monty Hysinger	Sally Heaton
David Sanchez	Kelly Legg	Angie Borrón
Lisa Hatley	Kurt Baxter	James Bussard
Andrea Cox	Cindy Rhoades	Stan Stroebe
Phil Guerra	Toni Crawford	Brandon Putman
Cassie Blanton		

- Members Absent:

Elyse Newland	Jason McDonald	Sherry Krebbs
Jay Davis	Sara Bishop	James Allen
Nicole Armendariz	Jacqueline Beesley	Geneva Saenz
Gloria Mason	Jenny Davis	Kim Salinas

## **2. Community & Student Engagement Annual Evaluation (Campuses & District)**

- Mr. Hysinger presented the Community and Student Engagement Evaluation Results to the Committee.
  - We received over 520 responses to the survey
  - All nine campus ratings combine to create a District score/report
  - DISD scored a “Recognized Rating”.
  - The top three area of performance were: Community and Parental Involvement, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Workforce Development, Wellness and Physical Education,
- Dumas ISD will identify the following as priorities for 2017-2018 accountability purposes:
  - Community and Parental Involvement
  - 21<sup>st</sup> Century Workforce Development
  - Digital Learning Environment

## **3. District Improvement Plan Evaluation**

- Mrs. Legg presented the District Improvement Plan annual evaluation results.
  - The annual evaluation is to be posted on the DISD website

## **4. Federal Programs Planning (2017-2018)**

- Mrs. Legg discussed and reviewed the following:
  - Parent Involvement Policy
- Federal Title Funds & Expenditure Patterns:
  - Title I
  - Title IIA
  - Title III
  - Title VI
  - Title I Part C
- Federal funding amounts are to be released in June
  - DISD will make application for these funds in June
  - We are anticipating several reductions in federal assistance

## 5. State of District

- **Budget Development & Outlook 2017-2018 (Greg)**
  - Mr. Lewis gave a brief report on the anticipated budget expectation for the 2017-2018 school year
  
- **Personnel (Phil)**
  - Mr. Guerra discussed the challenges faced in looking for quality applicants for DISD
    - Job postings are updated daily
  
- **Testing & Accountability (Kelly)**
  - Mrs. Legg reported that preliminary results look promising.
    - Still very concerned with reading and ELA scores across the district
    - Very proud of teachers, and students for their efforts this school year
  
- **Legislature – “Latest News From Austin”**
  - Mr. Hysinger Gave a quick report on the current legislative session.
    - Always trying to stay positive.
    - Many really good legislators in Austin that do support public schools
    - State funding for public education is a major concern of educators but does not seem to be a priority for the legislature. Any increase funding amounts are simply to cover enrollment growth across the state.

## 6. Other Business

- None

## 7. Adjourn

- Meeting adjourned at 4:58 PM