

LAKE VIEW HIGH SCHOOL
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Local School Council Minutes
December 17 , 2020 6:00 PM

Flo Powdermaker calls the meeting to order at 6:04 PM, quorum established.

Attendance:

Arnold Davis-Community Rep
Paul J. Karafiol-Principal
Dan Bender-Teacher Rep
Anna Proni-Teacher Rep
Robert Palmer – Non-Teacher Rep
Flo Powdermaker-Parent Rep
Chris Hanig-Parent Rep
Stacey Paradis-Parent Rep
Larry Jacobs-Parent Rep
Esme Borrero-Parent Rep
Silvia Gramajo-Student Rep
Mary Lubin – Community Rep
Joe Juarbe- Parent Rep

Approval of agenda:

Larry, Anna 2nd, unanimously approved

Public Participation:

Helen Wright, a 12-year CPS veteran, spoke in favor of the LSC approving the four-year contract extension for Dr. Karafiol as Principal of Lake View HS, stating that moving forward with this action would maintain a sense of normalcy and dignity during these trying times.

Approval of Four-Year Principal Contract Extension for Dr. Karafiol:

Flo put forward that the LSC needed to vote on whether to offer four-year contract extension to Dr. Karafiol to continue serving as Principal of Lake View High School, with contract to take effect on July 1, 2021. Anna, Joe seconded. Roll call vote taken, with decision to extend Dr. Karafiol's term with the new four-year contract passing unanimously.

Approval of minutes from meeting on 11/19/20:

Esme, Dan 2nd, unanimously approved

Certification of LSC Vote:

It was confirmed that all members of the current Lake View High School LSC were re-elected. Mary moved to certify the votes, Chris 2nd.

Internal Accounting:

Mary, Larry 2nd, unanimously approved

Budget Transfers:

Key transfers presented by Dr. Karafiol to the LSC for approval included a \$65,910.14 budget line transfer to clear budget line negative, \$24,798.50 to cover Ricoh copier overage, \$10,000 set-aside for potential Engineering/Renovation line item, \$1,400 for educational puzzle software, \$1,000 budgeted for Teacher Club Sponsors, \$1,000 for ESP Club Sponsors. Dan, with Mary 2nd.

Expenditures:

None

Book Transfers:

None

Checks:

None

Rental Agreements:

None

Fundraisers:

Online sale of chocolate from Jan 14, 2021 thru Feb 12, 2021 to benefit the Lake View Innovation Academy. Expected profit \$200.

Principal's Report:

Covered "Winning Wildcats"; construction updates (including upgrades of all Science Labs), admissions updates for 2021/2022 SY (two virtual open houses, 2,200 applicants to fill targeted 350 seats for next year's incoming freshman class), discussion of increasing failure rates.

Student representative Report:

Provided full student report

- Sent out survey to all students this week.
- Raised issues with:
 - Attendance Bot being incorrect
 - Waking up/sleep schedules an issue, especially with remote learning
 - Many students feel overwhelmed by too much homework
 - Students are positive towards block scheduling as was done in SY 2019/2020.
- Update on proposed pool renovation project
 - Original vendor (Colorado Timing System) is not a CPS-approved vendor cannot be used.
 - Working with Friends of Lake View to reach an agreement on FOLV providing some financial support in exchange for agreement to help FOLV in the future.
 - Providing greater recognition that college is not the only option and providing greater support/more information for those interested in non-college paths (e.g., trade schools, military)

GROW Community Report:

None

Next meeting is January 21th at 6:00 PM, to cover both as an organizational meeting and the regular monthly January meeting.

Motion to adjourn at 8:34 PM: Anna, Robert 2nd, unanimously approved