

Eastmont Middle School

School Community Council (SCC)

September 27, 2012

Susan Abelardo	[x]	Sherilyn Joosten	[e]
Scott Barben	[x]	Jennifer Humphreys, EMS teacher	[x]
Laurel Bennett	[x]	Dean Lowe, EMS Teacher	[x]
Jana Gold	[e]	Jan Sterzer, EMS Principal	[x]
Bill Haight	[x]	Julie Taucher, EMS Counselor	[x]
		Bruce Harrison (guest – ESP)	[x]

e = excused

MINUTES

1. **WELCOME:** In the absence of an elected chair and vice chair, Mrs. Sterzer welcomed the SCC.
2. Mrs. Sterzer introduced the DVD: Utah's School Trust Lands, which all SCC's have been asked to watch. The SCC watched it as a group.
3. Mrs. Sterzer outlined the duties of the SCC Chair and vice chair as follows:
 - **Duties of the SCC Chairman:** Work with Principal to set agendas and notify SCC members of upcoming meetings and activities, and oversee Council work.
 - **Duties of Vice Chair:** support Chairman in SCC work; prepare and present minutes at the SCC meetings (Jan or the Chairman will send the agenda to you by email).
 - **SCC Training:** Thursday, October 25th at 7 p.m. in the Jordan High School Tech Atrium.Following the outlining of the duties, Mrs. Sterzer asked for nominees for the positions. Laurel Bennett was nominated as Chair and Susan Abelardo was nominated as vice-chair. They were elected with unanimous consent.
4. Mrs. Sterzer outlined the Meeting schedule for the rest of the year (a minimum of 4 meetings are required during the year). These dates were reviewed and voted upon. This will be the calendar for the school year.

#1 September 27, 2012

#3 January 24, 2013

#2 November 8, 2012

#4 March 14, 2013

5. Mrs. Sterzer reviewed the Comprehensive School Improvement Plan (CSIP) and progress in meeting goals. The school's Action Plan and the 2012 CSIP had previously been emailed to all members. EMS's goals are as follows:

CSIP GOAL AREAS:

- **Math:** Increase student achievement on higher level questioning and application problems in math.

- **Language Arts:** Improvement in writing skills: By the end of the year, 90% of Eastmont students will be proficient in argumentative writing as assessed on a grade level MyAccess prompt.
 - **School Culture:** Develop and improve existing programs that result in a positive school culture.
6. Mrs. Sterzer reviewed the 2012-13 budget, which is \$46,188.41 (\$4,276.41 carryover and \$41,912 in new Trust Lands money). Eastmont's Building Leadership Team will prepare a proposal for a new Trust Lands budget that will be presented at the next meeting.
 7. Julie Taucher asked the SCC for approval for the SCC to serve as the Comprehensive Guidance Committee. This approval was given by unanimous consent.
 8. Mrs. Sterzer gave a brief report on the demographic data of EMS, a review of the instructional framework, a review of EMS's support programs, and a review of data results. She will have this in writing for the next SCC meeting in November.
 9. No other concerns were brought up.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.