PPC Minutes December 7, 2015

Call to Order

Ruth Mobley called the meeting to order at 4:16 PM.

Members Present

Brandon Craft, Ruth Mobley, Amy Adams, LouAnn Hays, Karla Bradley, Andrea Sego, Neil Norberg, Dr. Kim Garrett

Non Members

Greg Mones
Dr. Paul Hewitt

Approval of Minutes

Andrea motioned to approve the minutes, Neil seconded, motion passed unanimously

Policies (all policies can be viewed through the district website)

Policy 4150: Leave Policy

Greg presented possible revisions to the verbiage that would make the rate of sub pay more clear and align with payment made to a sub through SUBTEACH. LouAnn motioned to approve the new verbiage. Ruth seconded. Motion passed unanimously. The current policy has a sub payment schedule chart. This chart is no longer followed as we outsource our subs through SUBTEACH. LouAnn motioned to remove the chart from the policy. Neil seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There is a vacant seat on the Sick Leave Bank committee.

Community Relations Policy 6.7 (Community section of Policy Handbook):

Dr. Hewitt explained the reasoning behind the policy. There are some instances in which this policy may not need to be followed. The policy contains words such as, "should be" and "encouraged".

Parent Teacher Conferences

The committee is going to send out a survey to certified staff to determine if further discussion is needed on 6 week versus 9 week conferences.

FEA

Ruth is going to speak to ??? and see if an FEA representative would like to speak at the January meeting.

Virtual School and Fair Dismissal Act

Neil read from policy that comes with the new Virtual School. The concern comes from the waiver that is stated in the policy about teacher dismissal. Discussion was had about why the need for a waiver and yet how we can protect our good teachers.

January Meeting Agenda

Survey for PT Conferences: LouAnn Hays Policy 4150: Leave Policy (Kathy) FEA (Ruth) New Business

Meeting Adjourned at 5:19 PM