

Bear River High School

Community Council Minutes

Meeting Date: October 22, 2018

Meeting Time: 3:30pm

Meeting Location: Bear River High School Conference Room

Members Present: Kristi Capener, Crystal Hernandez, Brett Marble, Jamie Mecham, Tiffany Schultz, Layne Sorensen, Katie Stapley, Jason Warner, Ben Wiley for Tory Birkinshaw

Introductions: Layne Sorensen welcomed the committee and went over the Trustlands spread sheet of when and where the money was spent for the 2017-18 school year. He turned the meeting over to Kristi Capener.

Financial Report: Kristi explained the results and accomplishments of the 2017-2018 final plan.

Goal #1- Bear River High will increase ACT college readiness benchmarks. Last year 16% of our junior students met all four of the college readiness benchmarks. We would like to increase this by 3% which is a 1 point increase in the composite score. Kristi stated that it is really hard to raise the ACT by 1 point. We did have an increase in scores by 1.3%.

Goal #2- Bear River High School will decrease the number of failed classes. This year, up to third trimester, we had 948 "F" grades. We will decrease this number by 2%. We will also increase the number of students graduating from Bear River High School. Last year, 94% of our students graduated. We would like to increase this to 95%.

Plan Implementation Report: Kristi wants to continue with the ACT Prep for all juniors. It will start in November and go into February to prepare the student for the National ACT on February 20th. There was \$1200.00 left to purchase an ACT prep program. We did not find a program that was cost effective, they priced per student. So we did not purchase program. The money went to the carry-over so we amended the plan and purchase chrome books and a chrome book cabinets. We also paid the entry fee for our Robotics Team to participate in the World Robotics completion in Kentucky.

Kristi stated that we already have an attendance problem. Attendance letters have been sent and the Vice-Principals are meeting with parents and students. The rate of failing students is due to students not attending. Katie Stapley said she has seen a difference in attendance this year, students that are on an attendance contract are attending. Katie would like to go over the action plans and possible rewrite the plan, due to the attendance problem. Student are failing, because they are not attending.

Next Meeting: Monday, November 26th @ 3:30 in the Office Conference Room.