COMMUNITY COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE (CCC) MINUTES

Date: September 11, 2019

Time: 3:30-4:30

Facilitator: Amy Watkins

In Attendance

Attendees: Marie Johnson, Daren Lolkema, Michael Lopez, John Lumia, Bob Aglione, Amy

Watkins

Nomination of Chair

Marie Johnson was nominated to be the chair of the Community Communications Committee and everyone accepted.

The committee reviewed the letters received from those interested in joining the committee. The committee decided to wait until September 23, the last day to submit a letter of interest to the committee, prior to making a final decision.

Discussion

Ms. Johnson shared she would like to see greater consistency between the school websites. Dr. Watkins shared that she is working with Mr. Aglione. He is in the process of working with the building principals to update the channel bar to be consistent across schools (area in blue at the top of the page. See below.)



Mr. Lumia asked that each principal keep their websites updated. Mr. Aglione said he would continue to support each building.

Mr. Lolkema suggested a goal for the committee be to identify the items/information the committee would want to see on each school web page. All agreed.

Mr. Lumia asked why grades are not available to parents at all times. Mr. Lolkema shared how SchoolTool allows teachers to determine if they wish to publish grades for parents to view.

Ms. Johnson asked if Quick Links from the District page could link to the July 2019 project updates. Dr. Watkins said this link would be updated as the information is available on the Facilities page.

A suggestion was made to add quick links for what programs (e.g., clubs) are available at each building. This will be discussed with each building webmaster.

Ms. Johnson asked for one of the committee's goals be to discuss how information is sent home to families, specifically at the opening of school. Mr. Lolkema will request a sample from elementary, junior high, and high school to be reviewed at the next meeting.

The next meeting will take place 11/6/19 | 3:30-4:30, District Office Multi-Purpose Room Motion to adjourn was made at 4:50 p.m.