## **Lakeridge Community Council**

## December 15, 2015

Attending: Edy Buss, Kevin Rich, Becky Caldwell, Lynette Keele, Lynn Eyestone, Randy Evans, Kathi Strong, LaNell Brown, Roger Harrison, Ryan Rocque, Dania Cuadra, Kathy Knudsen, Cretia Tinsley, Jenna Wood, Silvia Lobendahn excused: Elena Felix, Rochelle Anderson

Reading of Norms – Edy Buss

English Presentation/Proposal – Kevin Rich

Along with trends (statewide), English is the lowest scoring subject in SAGE tests. English-60%, Math, 63%, Science 66%. 2014-growth percentile 59 – 2015 growth percentile 72. Efficiency year-by-year is increasing ( 5 objectives Quarter 1 2014, 9 objectives Quarter 1 2015). Reading Literature is English Dept. area of highest academic need.

Mr. Rich submitted two Trustland Proposals; A Reading Literature Conference (CITES-BYU, \$2,454); a program (Actively Learn, \$600) that will allow and help English teachers to teach reading literature, by inputting their own questions and information, then track student's growth. He demonstrated the program, which has many capabilities, ie: translating, reading aloud, adapt to special needs, allow teachers to collaborate, compare data, and see growth. Both proposals were discussed indepth.

Special Ed (LifeSkills) Presentation/Proposal – Rick Stafford

Proposal was made to purchase software & hardware to benefit students who cannot communicate. Fundraiser is going on to support their cause with California Pizza Kitchen. They will donate 10% back for cash, 20% for gift cards. Mr. Stafford is asking the Community Council to support the fundraiser by spreading the word, posting on social media, participating personally, etc.

Technology Presentation/Proposal – Julia Stanger (read by Kathy Knudsen)

Request of \$208.78 for additional keyboards to support Life skills students was made.

Highest Academic Needs page was passed out to members to view each department's highest academic needs for 2015-16.

2015-16 Trustlands Budget and fund breakdown was distributed and discussed.

Motion was made by Roger Harrison to fund all three proposal requests, and seconded by Lynn Eyestone. Motion carried unanimously. English CITES Conference will come out of Contracted Services; Technology (keyboards) and Actively Learn will come out of Teacher Requests fund.

Motion was made by Ryan Rocque that a discretionary fund be added to the by-laws to allow for the principal to make decisions to spend money from that fund prior or post council meetings. Motion was discussed in depth. Further discussion was tabled until our next meeting.

Accreditation report was passed out to each council member to go over during the month.

Next Community Council meeting will be held on January 19, 2016