

District Accountability Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: April 22, 2023 **Time:** 5:15 p.m. **Location:** District School Board Meeting Room, 100 N. 6th St. Dolores/Google Hangouts

Attendance: Staci Cost Co-Chair, Mary Weiss, Katherine Freeman, Molly Cooper, Trish Huston, Ginny Johnson, Reece Blincoe, Alesa Reed.

- DAC Monthly Meeting Process Meeting called to order at 5:20 PM. timekeeper- Molly Cooper, notetaker - Staci Cost, facilitator- Staci Cost
- II. Review of previous meeting Staci reviewed prior meeting minutes.A. Review of Parent Survey results
 - 1. Low response rate
 - 2. Power-point with chart of results from prior years
 - 3. Changed wording on one question from previous year
 - B. No questions about minutes
- III. Superintendent report Dr. Blincoe, Alesa Reed
 - A. Progress with implementation of SCAP
 - 1. Reece has been attending meetings
 - 2. Alesa went to a school review Hanover
 - a) She found the professionalism above board
 - b) Well organized
 - 3. SCAP superintendent retreat in Denver coming up
 - 4. Alesa is worrying with Mark to build the SCAP web page
 - 5. Will be involved with UIP until October/November then SCAP will start
 - 6. June admin meeting will involve training
 - B. There are a lot of schools that are wanting into SCAP

- C. Planning for 3 surveys in the Fall and Spring
 - 1. Parent
 - 2. Student
 - 3. Teacher
- D. Alma is a change from PowerSchool
 - 1. SIS Student Information System
 - 2. New links and websites to see everything
- E. Reece returned recently from a Superintendent Conference
 - 1. School funding bill may change how rural school districts are funded
 - 2. May pick up another \$400,000 to \$500,000 to be mostly placed toward staff raises.
 - 3. Molly asked if there is a possibility of the money being taken away.
 - 4. Reece replied that with the roll money going into the funding factor can not be taken away.
 - 5. If the state does not have that much money, they may reduce the amount of money.
- F. Reece reports that the plan is to put money into summer school. The fun Friday money will be going away (it was part of ESSER money from COVID)
- G. Alesa reports testing went well this year. PSAT and SAT were completed electronically.
- H. One of the charges was to improve communication.
 - 1. Diligent with the Newsletter
 - 2. Worked on the website
 - 3. District Facebook page
 - 4. App is better
 - 5. Abre and Alma will have a communication piece and will be looked at prior to being implemented.
- I. Graduate profile is completed
 - 1. Huge posters will be placed throughout the school

- 2. Teachers will be working to build the graduate profile characteristics into their lessons
- J. Katherine reported seeing early and mid-career teachers leaving the district
 - 1. A way to reduce this may be childcare
 - 2. Maybe a discount for teachers
 - 3. Provide childcare for PD days
- IV. TLCC Survey
 - A. No results to review
 - B. Results will be out next week.
- V. Preparation for the report to the board
 - A. Staci will be present to the board.
 - B. It will be brief with review of each charge given by the board
 - 1. Student Survey SCAP will provide this survey
 - UIP Math program is the main concern. Math curriculum and professional development are being implemented.
 - 3. Budget Pay teachers a higher salary
 - 4. Parent Survey Analysis
 - 5. Provide strategy for improved parent-community engagement
 - a) Communication roadmap
 - b) District office has been helpful in implementing further communication
 - c) Next year will be important to learn more about the SCAP process.
- VI. Elect New Officers and Continuing Members
 - A. Molly would like to learn more before volunteering to become co-chair.

- B. Trish reported her plate is full but she might be willing in a future year.
- C. Ginny offered to be the next co-chair.
- D. Ginny Johnson agreed to be the 2024-2025 school year co-chair for the DAC with Cara Gildar.
- VII. Meeting adjourned at 6:14 PM
- VIII. Future Business Prepare for 2024-2025 school year.

Regular Meeting adjourned at 6:14 P.M. DAC's next regular meeting is planned for Monday, August 26, 2024 at 5:15 P.M. and will be held at the district office and on Google Meet.

Submitted by, Staci Cost, DAC Co-Chair