

## Union County Middle School Governance Team Minutes

February 3, 2017

Present: Pam Allison, Denise Driskell, Mason McCombs, Aunderea Owenby, Kris-Ann Poe, Leslie Shields, Sean Spade, Gwen Stafford

### I. Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Kris-Ann Poe

### II. Action Items

#### A. Minutes from the last meeting sent electronically to members

Motion to approve made by Pam Allison

Seconded by Sean Spade

Vote to approve unanimous

#### B. Agenda was sent electronically to members

Motion to approve made by Leslie Shields

Seconded by Sean Spade

Vote to approve unanimous

#### C. Title I Needs Assessment/Review Plan

Members received an electronic copy of the Title I document and reviewed it. A few questions were asked about the testing in 8<sup>th</sup> grade for the accelerated students. Leslie Shields voted to approve the document, and Sean Spade seconded the vote. After an unanimous approval, the members signed off on the document.

### III. Discussion Items

#### A. Climate Survey/Safety

Parents, Teachers/Staff, and Students take a climate survey each year. The students took it before Christmas, and the teachers have been sent the link to take it. The link for the parent survey is on the website. The surveys help the safety team make the safety plan. Each school has a monthly fire drill, a tornado drill on the statewide day, and an intruder drill. The drug dogs come through randomly.

#### B. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Transition

5<sup>th</sup> grade tours the building and has a short presentation from the band and chorus. There is also a parent night and common questions are sent home. Suggestions are to give a list of things to be involved in. Also have the 8<sup>th</sup> graders go eat lunch with them.

### IV. Informational Items

#### A. Go Guardian

This is a program where teachers can see what the students are viewing on their chromebooks during class time.

#### B. Pathways Presentation

The 8<sup>th</sup> graders are meeting during connections time on Tuesday to learn about the different pathways in high school. There is a parent meeting that night at 6:00 at the Fine Arts Building. There is also a DC trip informational meeting on Tuesday at 5:15.

#### C. No One Eats Alone

This event is Friday, Feb. 10 during lunchtime. This is student led, and the students are encouraged to eat with someone different. The Beta Club, Junior Board, and the Leadership club are all helping guide conversations at various tables.

### V. Adjournment

Motion made to adjourn by Denise Driskell

Seconded by Aunderea Owenby

Vote to adjourn unanimous

Next meeting ins March 24

Minutes submitted by Denise Driskell, Secretary