Meeting Agenda & Minutes

Time: 12:00 pm Date: June 25, 2018 | Location: BOE Community Rm

Agenda

Welcome

School Safety

- a. SRO (COPS Grant)
- b. School Safety and Security Grant
- c. ALICE Training
- d. Suicide Prevention Training (SOS)

Attendees

Beth Clark, Jacque Coleman, Lindsey Hansen, Nichole Honeywell, Kelly Julo, Charo Kelley, Susan Myers, Matt Ramsey, Shawn Rizza, Brandi Ross, Brad Weaver, Jacque Pregont, Ramona Wilson, Lorin Affield Visitors: Bryon Hanson and Matt Renk

Scribe

Lindsey Hansen

Minutes

Welcome

 Susan explained why we called a District Site Council in the summer and thanked everyone for attending

SRO (COPS Grant)

- Susan explained that we are looking into a grant that would provide a School Resource Officer at the high school first and ultimately Dr. Eplee would like to see us get two if not three.
- We would like to have this in place at the beginning of the year but at this time the grant has not come out yet
- The SRO would be a member of the Atchison Public Force and we are looking at which officer would be a good fit for high school students.
- Susan showed the Site Council the MOU for the SRO and pointed out specific things that an SRO is not

- Kelly Julo asked the council what a typical day for them would look like. Susan explained that it
 would be something that would take form after we got the grant and could start putting in the
 details
- Charo Kelley asked if the SRO would be trained in skills like anger management and other soft skills. Susan said yes they would have ongoing training in these skills
- A question was asked about finance and it was explained that the grant would cover an entry level salary for a police officer and the school and the Atchison Police would share the cost of the officer's salary beyond what is covered in the grant

• School Safety and Security Grant

- Susan explained that the state put out the grant and we had 15 days to submit it. It was a very quick turn around.
- She asked the Site Council if we wanted our buildings to be more secure what would we get.
 - What they put in the grant were:
 - Metal Detectors, Clear Backpacks, Panic Buttons and a Communication System
- She explained that this was a matching grant so whatever they got the school district would have to match in terms of money
- Questions from the Committee
 - What would a metal detector do?
 - What do we do about backpacks and athletic bags?
 - Why don't we start with bullet proof glass?
 - What will metal detectors for our persona?
 - 2nd layer of protector

• ALICE Training

- Homeland Security has advice the decision model
- Susan and Ramona were trained in active Shooter training
 - Alert
 - Lockdown
 - Inform
 - Counter
 - Evacuate
- Classroom doors lock from the inside
- Susan will do everything she can to protect the students and staff at USD 409.

• Suicide Prevention Training (SOS)

- Jacque explained SOS, Signs of Suicide, training with the committee.
- The SOS training teaches kids the ACT model (Acknowledge, Care and Tell)
- We will continue to train our students and staff in the years to come
- This training will be done in middle school and high school.
- The high school training is done in two parts
 - 9th and 1oth graders will have one part
 - 11th and 12th will be given a different part on life after high school
- All staff will also be trained in Mental Health first aid.
 - This is an 8 hour training

Nuts and Bolts

Questions

• When will we know about the grant? At this point we have no idea when we will know if we got it or not. We will let the district site council know if we do.

Action Items

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