# Union Colony Schools Board Meeting Minutes May 16, 2018

#### **Members in Attendance:**

Jamie Wood, President Helen Reed, Vice President Mary Gabriel, Treasurer Heather Bunyan, Secretary Susan Ackerman, Member Chris Nation, Member Weston Edmunds, Member

#### **Administration in Attendance:**

Jim Anderson, Director of UCS Kevin Rouse, UCPS Principal Ken Wildenstein, UCES Principal Angie Emmons, Finance Manager

#### **Members Absent:**

The board meeting was held at Union Colony Preparatory School, 2000 Clubhouse Dr, Greeley, CO on May 16, 2018. Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Ms. Wood.

#### **Action Items**

- Consent agenda was approved. Motion by Mr. Edmunds, Second by Ms. Gabriel. Motion passed. Consent agenda included:
  - Approval of minutes from the April 21, 2018 regular meeting.
- Consideration of appointment of Matt Walsh as preparatory faculty council appointed position on board. Motion by Ms. Nation, Second by Ms. Ackerman. Motion passed.
- Consideration of 2018/2019 contract renewals, personnel assignments, and new hires. Motion by Ms. Gabriel second by Ms. Nation. Motion passed.
- Consideration of the 018/2019 Salary schedules (classified, certified and administrative)
  - Classified- Motion by Ms. Nation, second by Ms. Ackerman. Motion passed.
  - Certified- Motion by Ms. Ackerman, second by Ms. Nation. Motion passed.
  - Administrative- tabled until after work session on June 11<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Discussion Items**

- o School Building Construction Jeff Reed, owner's representative
  - Construction is tracking on schedule.
  - Adding cameras to all classrooms.
  - Budget tracking as expected.
- o 2018/2019 Budget
  - Jim and Angie presented second draft.
  - 50% MLO to go to payroll, security and technology
- o Teaching and learning conditions in Colorado
  - Surveys went to all teachers.

- Elementary
  - Support needed for new teachers
  - Teachers are seeking more evaluation and feedback
- Preparatory
  - More time needed for preparations
  - Professional development
  - Instructional support.

## Reports

#### Board

- Discussion about Module 11- Policy Development
- o Newsletter
- Recognition of retiring board members. Helen Reed (9 years) and Mary Gabriel (3 years).
- o Strategic planning session later in the year.

#### • Director

- o Bricks are now available for purchase through the website.
- o Assessment celebrations are underway.
- o There is an increased internet rate at the new building.

### • Finance Manager

- o Preparatory 5.19% ahead on budget.
- o Elementary 6.36% ahead on budget.

#### Departments

## o Mr. Rouse

- Testing is done.
- Hired a new English and Math teacher.
- Graduation is May 26th. As of right now all seniors are slotted to graduate.
- Prom and after prom were both very successful.
- The all calls reunion to remember the old building went well, good turnout.

## o Mr. Wildenstein

- Assembly and the last day of school are coming up on May 24<sup>th</sup>.
- Hallways are being painted.
- Talent show went very well.

# Adjournment

• Meeting was adjourned at 8:37pm.

Next UCS Board Meeting will be June 16th at 9am at UCES.