

Hamilton Local School Council Meeting
Thursday, November 5
5:30pm
Hamilton Library
1650 West Cornelia Avenue

AGENDA

- I. Welcome
6:24PM motion Peggy Walsh to begin Meeting second by James Gray Vote 6-0
- II. Review and Approve Minutes from July 2009 LSC Meeting
Motion James Gray second by Esther Pullman Vote 6-0
- III. Accept New Teacher LSC Representative Esther Pullman
- IV. Nomination of New LSC Parent Representatives
 - a. Brian Hafner
 - b. Steve Hoffman
 - c. Brent Pigg
 - d. Pat RyanMotion Susan Alfred second Esther Pullman to accept Brian Hafner, Steve Hoffman Brent Pigg as new LSC members Vote 5-0 - James Gray, abstain
- V. Budget Approval
 - a. LSC Professional Development 2009-2010 School Year Funding
Motion Brian Hafner second by Brent Pigg to use \$400 as budget item Vote 9-0
 - b. Purchase of a color copier for main office
Motion Susan Alfred second Esther Pullman to move item to December meeting
 - c. Purchase of ten computers for school
Motion Susan Alfred second Esther Pullman Vote 9-0
 - d. Purchase of projector for school
Motion Susan Alfred second Esther Pullman Vote 9-0
 - e. Purchase of whiteboards for Rooms 203, 302, 303, 309 school
Motion Susan Alfred second Esther Pullman Vote 9-0
 - f. Urban Gateways Drama Program
Motion James Gray second Steve Hoffman \$8,000 for Drama residency and training
Vote 9-0
 - g. Budget transfers
Motion James Gray second Brent Pigg to move \$20,000 to equipment Vote 9-0
- VI. School Report see attachment
- VII. PPLC Report
Peggy Walsh reports Teachers have met suggestion given to James Gray
- VIII. BAC Report
Committee needs to be developed
- IX. NCLB Report
Committee needs to be formed. Need at least 6 Parents
- X. Committee Reports
 - a. Marketing
 - i. New Chair Brent Pigg
 - b. Technology
 - i. New Chair Brian Hafner
 - c. Community Relations, Stacey Paradis, chair

- i. Met with local Aldermen, local community neighborhood and business organizations and Chicago Cubs and continue meeting with CPS leadership to growing enrollment, new programming and building enhancements
 - d. Strategic Planning & SIPPAA
 - i. Initial SIPAAA Planning meeting held in October
 - ii. Committee needs to develop longer strategic plan for school
- XI. Upcoming Events
 - a. Family Night at Finley Dunes, Thursday, November 5th
 - b. Hamilton Movie Night, Friday, November 6th
 - c. Hamilton Book Sale, November 30th – December 4th
- XII. Public Participation

Mr. Burke reports first school concert was October 28 and next concert is December 16.
After-school All-stars has 55 students in the 5th week.
- XIII. Next LSC Meeting – Thursday, December 10 at 6:00 pm
- XIV. Adjourn

7:45 pm motion James Gray second Brain Hafner Vote 9-0

The Hamilton Community (Parents, Teachers, Staff and the neighborhood at large) have proven that we can come together to promote and advance our wonderful school. Please attend this LSC meeting and learn more about the school, what is happening in the 2009-2010 school year, potential plans for the future and how you can get involved to grow Hamilton! Attendance at and participation in these meetings is one very important way that Hamilton parents can join the Hamilton administration as partners in helping to shape the educational values, atmosphere and goals for our school.