**SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Bell Middle School**

**Title I Special SSC Meeting**

**Meeting Minutes Date: December 13, 2016,**

Members present:

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| **Staff**  Precious Jackson-Hubbard, Principal  Kenneth Lewis (stand-in for Mrs. Hubbard)  Rene Zambrano, SSC Chair  Michaela Mappala, SSC Teacher Rep and Secretary  Porntip Leeprapaiwong, SSC Teacher Rep  Mary Lou Finley, Classified Rep  Rebekah Willis, SSC Teacher Rep | **Parents/Community Members** | **Students**  Julia Letuligasenoa-8th Grade Student Rep  Marcel Dokes-Watkins, 6th Grade Student Rep |
| **Guests:**  Kyle Wineberg, SGT Rep | **Absent**  Corwin Harris, 7th Gr. Parent Rep  Sherry Strong, 7th gr. Parent Rep  Del Divina, 8th Gr. Parent Rep  DeMarcus Thomas, 7th Gr. Student Rep |  |

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| **ITEM** | **Description/Actions** | **Action Requested of SSC Members** |
| 1. Call to order & Introductions | * Zambrano * Zambrano introduced newly elected student representatives | * Meeting was called to order at 2:53 pm |
| 1. SSC Business   Review/Approve Agenda and Minutes | * Minutes updated to reflect names of student reps, as required | * Motion passed to approve minutes from October with addition of student representatives’ names on the attendance   (Leeprapaiwong/ Hubbard) |
| 1. Data Review | * Zambrano explained to new student reps why SSC is looking at data of other schools to boost Bell’s attributes to entice more students to attend Bell. * Mappala reminded SSC members that Mrs. Hubbard did ask teachers to have students take survey in class about offering possible electives * Dokes-Watkins has suggested doing a recruitment-type to showcase clubs and electives. Perhaps get a little souvenir to remind feeder school students to go to Bell. * Leeprapaiwong had suggested that there be a clubs fair where student officers would man the booths and tell potential students the benefits of going to Bell * Willis has suggested that the Music Dept. team up with Music Depts. Of feeder elementary schools to have jam sessions to build rapport. * It was discussed to have videos made of clubs and classes to showcase Bell highlights. Mappala has suggested to let students make the videos | * Zambrano had asked the SSC members to table looking at the data until Hubbard gives us the other data that was promised from last meeting |
| 1. SPSA (Single Plan for Student Achievement) | * Not applicable this meeting | * Informational |
| 5 Budget | * Wineberg said January 29, 2017 Enero Zapatista Student Youth Conference Update: ASB already approved money for guest speakers and hot food. Hubbard confirmed that SSC funds can be used for packaged goods such as at Costco. This is being cosponsored by many school clubs. Because ASB has been able absorb most of the food costs, the Zapatista Organization is asking for a lowered SSC contribution of $360. | * Motion to tentatively approve with follow-up from Parent quorum to use $360 from Item #5735 Field Trip to cover food costs for the Zapatista Conference.   (Leeprapaiwong/Finley)   * SSC did vote to move from Classroom Teacher Hrly (#1157) to Visiting Teacher (#1165) to make sure there are enough money for subs for the History Conference. |
| 6 LCAP & DAC & ELAC | * DAC Meeting Dates * Morse Cluster Meeting is tomorrow, Dec. 14 at 5:30 pm in the Morse Library | * Next DAC meeting will be Dec. 14 at the Ballard Center at 6:30 p.m. * The Morse Cluster Committee is emphasizing that Bell be changed into a Foreign Language Academy offering more language sections in addition to content subjects (i.e. History) in the target languages of Spanish and Filipino. The effect of changing Bell into a language academy will impact other electives (i.e. eliminate them to make room for the language class offerings). |
| 7 Public comment | * Get Well Card for Mrs. Divina * Cell Tower Revenue at Bell? | * Mrs. Hubbard will order a bouquet of flowers and a card to send to Mrs. Divina on behalf of SSC * Potential revenue if Bell agrees to have T-Mobile to put up a Cell Tower on site. T-Mobile will pay the district $36,000 to set it up with half of that going back to Bell; and in subsequent years $12,000 annually. * Concerns were brought up such as radiation exposure and will the tower interrupt our current internet connection. |
| 8 Adjournment | Zambrano | 4:06 p.m. |

**Next SSC Meeting: Monday, January 23, 2017 2:45 to 4:00 p.m. in the Parent Center**