

Morris Brandon Elementary School - Meeting Summary

Date: 11-30-17

Time: 5:30 PM

Location: Morris Brandon Main Campus - Media Center

1. Call to order

A meeting of Morris Brandon's Go Team was held at ___Morris Brandon Main Campus__ on __11/30/17_____.

2. Roll call; Determine quorum status;

Gordon Benedict
Nza Branton
Sue Friedrichs
Tracy Hudson
Kate Laing
Kara Stimpson
Kelly Trotter
Sonya Walston

3. Approve meeting agenda; Approve previous meeting minutes

SK made a motion to approve the 11/3/17 meeting agenda.

SF seconded the motion.

In favor: all

Opposed: none

The November 3rd agenda was approved.

4. Discussion Items:

a. Principal's Update

-Kara provided our projected enrollment for the 2018-2019 school year.

-We are projected to have 1022 students, which matches our current enrollment

-The chart explains the expected gains by every grade level

-Kara thinks that the numbers may be a little inflated, but we should be okay to make budgeting decisions based on this projection

-Kara needs to provide feedback to the district by 12/1. Her feedback will be that this projection is fair.

b. GO Team Discussion - World Language Offering

-Caren read through public comment norms and the purpose of the go team

-Kara brought everyone up to speed on what we have done so far to address the 2nd language offering that is taught at Brandon.

-The topic of changing the 2nd language of Brandon was brought to Kara 4 years ago. DLI provided the option of Spanish in the school. Some families are still not satisfied with the ideas that Spanish is not an option. Last year's survey of rising kdg, 1st, and 2nd grade students. The results were 61% Spanish 39%. Upon closer desegregation of the data of the rising 2nd graders. The break down was Spanish- 51% French 49%. Because it was so close to half and half a decision was made to keep French in place and re visit later

5. Public Comment- see attached summary

6. Adjournment

KL motioned to adjourn the meeting.

SF seconded the motion.

- In favor: all
- Opposed: none