Board Workshop – 4:00 p.m. Administration Building, Farmington, UT Tuesday, March 18, 2025

Live-streamed via YouTube https://youtube.com/live/R-YezFH-L8c?feature=share

Board Members Present:

President Brigit Gerrard, Vice President Emily Price, Julie Powell, Kristen Hogan, Michelle Barber, Alisa Mercer, and Joani Stevens.

Administration Present:

Superintendent Dan Linford, Business Administrator, Mr. Tim Leffel, Asst. Superintendent John Zurbuchen, Asst. Superintendent Logan Toone, and Asst. Superintendent Fidel Montero.

Welcome – Ms. Brigit Gerrard, Board President

Student Growth and Achievement: Learning First Presentation: Viewmont High School Mr. Ryck Astle, Secondary Director & Mr. Travis Lund, Principal, Viewmont High School

Principal Lund and his Team will share how they have used High Reliability Schools for Student Learning and Success. Teacher empowerment equals student growth. Each teacher spoke in detail about the following, Ms. Lynaya Hernandez - Facilitating Teacher Leadership, Ms. Carly Maloney – Collaboration for Multi-lingual Leaners, Mr. Andru Jones – Collaboration and Innovation in Athletics, Ms. Kim Smith – Watch & Learn and Lunch & Learn, and Ms. Kasey Bradbury – Multi-School and Interdisciplinary Collaboration.

Answered questions from the Board.

Safety and Security: Semi-Annual Safety and Security Report Mr. John Zurbuchen, Asst. Superintendent, and Mr. Rich Swanson, Risk Management Director.

Mr. Zurbuchen provided an overview of what the law says, what our responsibilities are and where we are as a District. He outlined the key requirements and timelines for implementing School Safety and Security measures under HB84 from the 2024 Legislative Session. Includes Video Surveillance Requirements, Classroom Security Measures, Active Threat Response Protocol, Armed School Personnel Requirements, and School Guardian Qualifications

Mr. Swanson explained the School Guardian Identification Process and Responsibilities.

Answered questions from the Board.

Parent & Community Connections: Legislative Update

Dr. Logan Toone, Asst. Superintendent, Dr. Fidel Montero, Asst. Superintendent, Dr. Dan Linford, Superintendent, and Mr. Tim Leffel, Business Administrator.

Dr. Linford spoke about the work that is done after the Legislative Session when the Bills have been passed. He expressed appreciation to President Brigit Gerrard for pioneering the plan of inviting Legislators into our Classrooms. He shared experiences from the Day-on-the-Hill and how vital it is to keep on-going communication with Legislators.

Dr. Montero shared the Guiding Principles we follow regarding Legislative Bills. When we get a sense of the direction the Bill is going, then we meet with Legislators to provide insight and clarity to the work we are doing and to hear their thoughts.

Mr. Leffel spoke about Senate Bill 37, Senate Bill 1, House Bill 2, and House Bill 344.

Dr. Toone spoke about Senate Bill 178, Senate Bill 99, and House Bill 267.

Superintendency answered questions from the Board.

Meeting adjourned at 5:26 pm.

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