# Minidoka County School District Superintendent's Report April 18, 2016

#### Correspondence

- **Evacuation Request** We received a request from St. Nicholas to use the District Service Center as an evacuation site in case of an emergency. We are drafting an agreement and will get it to Mike Tribe for his approval.
- I received a revised proposal from LKV architects, removing the population growth study (attached). I was informed by Theo that when this was discussed at the Facilities Meeting (which I was unable to attend) that they felt that the population growth study was needed before we started looking at where we could expand our buildings. I have asked LKV for a price for just a population growth study and will present more information next month.

### Information/Updates

- Minico Pizza I met with Russ Taylor, our Food Service Director and he has reinstated Pizza Hut's deliveries of lunch pizza to Minico as of April 4. I believe we have everything sorted out in that area.
- Interest Based Bargaining Training We continue to meet weekly for our Interest Based Bargaining sessions with the Minidoka County Education Association. We have made progress and are beginning to address multiple items in one evening. Our next session will be Tuesday April 19, from 4 to 6 pm.
- **Chartwells Meeting** Russ Taylor, Trustee Stimpson and I met with a representative from Chartwells, a food service provider company. If the board would like to pursue having them come in and do a free evaluation of our system we need to do so quickly or wait until next year.

#### **Meetings/Activities**

- **Conference** I attended the District Administration Leadership Institute in Colorado Springs, Colorado and was able to gather considerable information about: advances in classroom technology, how we can better move toward 1:1 devices in the district, and how we can better track standards in our schools.
- **Parent Meetings/Calls** I have met with parents and addressed a number of concerns by parents and staff throughout the month.
- **Committee Meetings:** I met with the Employee/Teacher of the Year Selection Committee, Policy Review Committee, and a Summer School Coordination Meeting where we finalized dates and needs for this summer.

#### **Upcoming Events**

April 19	Interest Based Bargaining (IBB) Session 4-6 pm DSC Conf. Rm. #2
April 20	Parent Patron Advisory Team Meeting 12 pm DSC Conf. Rm. #2
April 25-26	Law Conference in Boise
May 3	IBB Negotiations 4:00-6:00 pm
May 4	Facilities Committee Meeting 12:00 pm

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May 11Policy Review Committee 3:30 pmMay 16Regular Board Meeting 5:00 pm