

Rep Council Meeting March 4th, 2014

Members present:

A. Van Tassel, A. Garcia, B. Yang, B. Ward, D. Varney, D. Krick, E. Castro, J. Lakin, J. Poulter, J. Kersavage, L. Sattler L. Beasley, L. Miller, M. Tso, P. Utrapiramsuk, P. Valencia, P. Murphy, R. Anderson, R. Robinson, S. Young, S. Dunham, J. Poulter

Call to order at 3:45 pm : Jeannine Kersavage

1. Minutes: Jan Lakin

Typo on #4 strike "will get". #5 should read \$100.60. Correct spelling of Gusdal on item #6. Ramona Anderson moved to accept with amendments. Dimitra seconded. The motion carried.

Janelle Poulter had a concern regarding QUIEA money. According to Felicia Adkins our district is applying for QIEA monies this fall.

2. Treasurer's report: Bee Yang

There is a \$320.00 credit for non-union bus riders from the leadership retreat. Checks went out in the following amounts:

- \$64.60 to the City of Banning utility bill
- \$1,150.00 to Largo Enterprises for spouses riding the bus.
- \$12.00 for a returned check

\$10,500.00 was budgeted for the leadership retreat. The actual cost was \$5,674.00. Line 2-210 - \$500.00 was for Communication/Newsletter/Website. Line 2-650 was for a charitable donation of \$500.00 for the Winter Wish program. Ending balance was \$31,276.16. Scott Young moved to approve. Dimitra Krick seconded. The motion carried.

3. Standing Rules: Jeannine Kersavage

Standing rules were distributed. They have been approved by E-Board. We now have standing rules. Scott Young stated that he would like to see at least two general meetings during the year.

4. Negotiations: Dimitra Krick

On January 25th Dimitra received an e-mail from David Sanchez postponing negotiations until March 7th. Dimitra gave Rep council a copy of the letter . She sent David and Mr. Guillen, via certified mail, a letter requesting an earlier resumption in bargaining. She received a new date of March 6th.

Janelle Poulter provided information on Health Costs (REEP increases):

- United Health Care and Blue Cross will increase 2% for medical.
- PPOs will increase 19.97%
- Kaiser will increase 3.48%
- Delta Dental will decrease 2.43%
- Met Life stays the same
- MES vision will increase 6.08%
- VSP will increase 19% (though not offered)

Quite a few teachers have not yet responded to Janelle's e-mail about scholarships for graduating seniors.

5. Grievance: Alan Van Tassel

No new grievances to report. The last grievance was resolved.

6. PAC Budget:

Alan stated there is no activity in the budget this month. The PAC budget report was distributed.

7. Reps Report Out

New reps need to be elected if sites have not already done so.

We will start doing a newsletter which will focus on one school site per month.

Beginning next year reps will write the newsletter for their site.

8. New Business:

Ligaya Beasley distributed the administrative review results. There was discussion.

Janelle Poulter moved that we send out a paper copy only to members with percentages and numbers only posted on the website, and without comments. Dan Varney seconded.

Scott Young wanted clarification. Would we all get results for all schools? Ligaya stated that we would. Michael O'Neill wanted a disclaimer attached that these views do not represent the BTA or the leadership. The motion carried. It will not be sent to the board or district office.

Jan Lakin motioned to adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 pm.