

# ***K.O. Knudson School Organizational Team***



## **AGENDA**

**K.O. Knudson Academy of the Arts**

**School Organizational Team Meeting**

**K.O. Library Annex**

**Thursday, September 14, 2023**

**4:00pm**

### **School Organizational Team Members:**

Karen Bauer

Rebecca Dirks Garcia

Tobi Ferguson

Kim Fujii

Jarvis Jones

Stacey O'Brien

Amy Symes

Steven Gaskill

Robert Gerye, Interim Principal

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It is asked that speakers be respectful to each other, team members, the principal and school district staff. Speakers that are disruptive will be asked to leave the meeting.

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### **Welcome**

**Members present: Rebecca Dirks Garcia, Tobi Ferguson, Stacey O'Brien, Amy Symes, Steve Gaskill and Robert Geyre**

**Meeting called to order at 4:01pm**

### **Agenda Items**

1. August Minutes Approval - **Rebecca Dirks Garcia motioned to approve, Amy Symes seconded motion. Team voted unanimously to approve the minutes.**
  
2. 2023-2024 Budget - **additional funding thanks to the Legislative session.**
  - **We will use those extra funds for staffing and items that will benefit students. This includes additional staff and smaller class sizes.**
  - **Funds included for professional development for teachers; local and out of state.**
  - **Discussion about travel funds for students - a committee will be formed to determine criteria of students being eligible for fund allocation.**
  - **Discussion of Tile 1 paper budget - this could be better used towards family and parent**

**engagement.**

- **We still have Title 1 monies, but they could disappear in the future as several schools have already lost funding.**
- **We have carryover money, but we should be spending it as there is no guarantee that this will not be eventually taken by CCSD,**
- **When a new Principal is put in place for our campus, that individual will be able to do a budget adjustment if need be. This will have to be approved by the SOT.**

### **General Discussion**

- **Final SOT meeting for this team. Elections for parents and staff to be held at the end of September. New team will begin in October with the new Principal.**

### **Information**

1. Next Meeting: TBD
2. Calendar of Upcoming Events: <https://www.knudsonms.org/>

### **Public Comment Period (2 minutes maximum allotted)**

**Adjourn - Meeting adjourned at 5:10pm**