

Bastian Elementary School

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SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL AGENDA

JANUARY 24, 2017

- I. BASTIAN SISTERS
- II. LAND TRUST REVIEW
- III. WASATCH SAVINGS FUNDRAISER
- IV. CHARITABLE FUNDRAISER FOOD BANK IN MARCH / APRIL

Bastian Elementary Community Council

Minutes from the Community Council Meeting held on January 24, 2018

People in attendance: Rachel Gray, Christie DeSpain, Doree Strauss, Kristen Wahlin, Shawn Walker, Ashley Moon, Amanda Huntsman, Kellie Severson, Amy King, Thelissa Powell, Andrea Ingleby, Bruce Ingleby, Darrell Robinson.

Rachel Gray welcomed the Council members and turned the time over to Mrs. Strauss.

- 1. Donation Mrs. Strauss explained to the Council the Bastian Sisters donated \$10,000 dollars to Bastian Elementary for technology, a math library, and supplies to be used in Stem, drama and art classes. Bastian is very appreciative of this extra help from the Sisters.**
- 2. Land Trust Mrs. Strauss went over our Land Trust proposal. She reviewed what was in the proposal the Council had previously worked on and reminded them how the money was to be spent. Mrs. Strauss reported that Specials (funded by Land Trust), was highly effective and it helped struggling students and also enrichment for gifted students. She invited the Council to come to Bastian to see Specials in action.**
- 3. Technology We spent 6,335.75 from the fundraiser on ipads, apps and software to help our students improve their skills. We are seeing huge improvements in their scores as they work on Splash Math, Imagine Learning and Prodigy. One concern addressed was we are piloting many programs on the computer and will not be able to afford all of them next year. Darrell Robinson told the Council he is working with a special district committee to help fund some of these programs on a district level because schools cannot afford them by themselves. District help is crucial to keep these programs going. We are seeing wonderful strides using these computer programs and do not want to lose them.**
- 4. Charitable Fundraiser Our charitable fundraiser will be held in the spring when the food bank needs our help the very most. Our student council and Heidi Campbell (during character education class) will oversee this fundraiser.**