

OCMS SBDM

APPROVED MINUTES

Monday, August 16, 2021 | Meeting called to order by Mr. Matt Jacobson

Record of Council Proceedings
Minutes – August 16, 2021

The Oldham County Middle School Council met at Oldham County Middle School in Buckner, Kentucky on Monday, August 16, 2021.

In Attendance

Members in attendance: Matt Jacobson – Chairman-Present, Chris Nethery-Teacher-Present; Jessica Baldwin-Teacher-Present; Kym Wright-Teacher-Present; Matt Brown-Parent-Absent; Angela Wethington-Parent-Present; Shavonda Williams-Parent-Absent

Council Items-

The meeting was called to order by Matt Jacobson at 4:58 p.m.

1. Review of the Agenda- Kim Wright made a motion to approve the agenda. Angela Wethington seconded the motion. The agenda was approved by consensus.
2. Approval of the July Minutes – Chris Nethery made a motion to approve the July minutes. Jessica Baldwin seconded the motion. The minutes were approved by consensus.
3. Council Action and Review Items:

i). Closed Session to Review Safety and Emergency Plan – Randy Redecker. Jessica Baldwin made a motion at 4:59 p.m. to go into closed session. Chris Nethery seconded the motion. Council went into closed session by consensus. Kim Wright made a motion to come out of closed session at 5:07 p.m. and Jessica Baldwin seconded the motion. Council came out of closed session at 5:07 p.m.

ii). Character Strong. Mr. Jacobson explained what Character Strong is to the Council. He said the Council would need to approve the Character Strong program being added to the OCMS curriculum. Every teacher had 3 hours of training done by grade level. The program would be taught by teachers, counselors and the use of videos. Chris Nethery made a motion to approve adding the program to the OCMS curriculum. Jessica Baldwin seconded the motion. Council approved the addition by consensus;

iii). KASC Review of OCMS SBDM Policies update. Mr. Jacobson told Council that we are submitted and in line to be reviewed. Hopefully the review will be completed soon. Once completed and we have a chance to review them we will decide our next steps.

iv). SBDM Training Confirmation. Mr. Jacobson confirmed with everyone present that they had either received or were going to be receiving their SBDM trainings.

v). Enrollment Numbers. Mr. Jacobson told Council we are at 724 students as of this date. We were projected at a higher number so he explained staffing numbers and possible costs related to overstaffing.

4. Principal Update:

- a. SBDM staff election results. Mr. Jacobson discussed holding a minority staff election.
- b. First Four Days of School. Mr. Jacobson told Council we had a great first 4 days of school with children. There were a couple of mask issues but they were resolved.
- c. Consultation on Personnel Actions. Jessica Baldwin made a motion to take the Council into closed session to discuss personnel selection as per KRS 61.810. Kym Wright 2nd the motion and the Council went into closed session at 5:18 p.m. Chris Nethery made a motion to take them out of closed session at 5:34 p.m. and Jessica Baldwin 2nd the motion.

5. General Public Concerns: None at this time.

Motion to adjourn was made at 5:31 p.m. by Jessica Baldwin, seconded by Kym Wright and all agreed by consensus.

Agenda for Next Month:

Any additional items for the next meeting: please email to Mr. Jacobson at least 1 week prior to the meeting.

Next Meeting:

The next Council meeting will be held on Monday, September 20, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. in the OCMS Media Center.

Mr. Matt Jacobson, Principal

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