

**SOLOMON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
LOCAL SCHOOL COUNCIL MINUTES**

**6206 North Hamlin Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60659**

**September 13, 2022
5:30 p.m.**

In-Person and Remote via Google Meet

I. Call to Order:

- J. Anderson called the September 13, 2022 Regular Meeting of the Hannah G. Solomon Local School Council to order at 5:33 p.m.
- A Quorum was present.

II. Roll Call:

- **Members in attendance:** J. Anderson, C. Gamble, D. Kenney, M. Lehmann, C. Martin, L. Martinez, E. Patsiopoulos, S. Reiss, J. Rose, A. Sass, C. Smith, A. Tamborino
- **Members not in attendance:** G. Deppeler

III. Approval of Minutes:

- **Vote to Approve Organizational Meeting Minutes and Special Meeting Minutes from July 12:**
 - C. Gamble motioned to approve minutes from the July 12 Organizational Meeting and Special Meeting as distributed, and J. Anderson seconded. The LSC voted to approve, 12-0.

IV. Reports:

- **A. Chair**
 - Nothing at this time.
- **B. CIWP**
 - The team will begin working on revisions and a new draft of the CIWP for 2023.
- **C. PPLC**
 - Furniture and instructional materials were discussed, as well as translation and messaging for families (see New Business).
- **D. Principal**
 - C. Gamble welcomed the LSC to a new school year. Highlights of the principal report included:
 - The community calendar can be found in the newsletter and on the website. Tours and FOSSPTO meetings are taking place, with a community building event scheduled for October 28 from 5:00 to 8:00.
 - Curriculum Night is scheduled for September 20 from 6:00 to 7:30.
 - Fall after-school programming options will be shared with families shortly.
 - The new librarian, Bridey Clark, is facilitating school-wide cultural celebrations.
 - A refreshed MTSS leadership team is working toward supporting students' academic and social-emotional growth.
 - Class sizes range from 26 to 32. For budgetary purposes, enrollment is down 7 from last year.
 - Facilities updates include intercom replacement, air conditioning repairs, and a new ADA ramp/door system.

- **E. Social Justice**
 - No updates at this time.

V. Old Business:

- Members not present at the July 12 Organizational Meeting were given the opportunity to join committees. See below for updated committee membership:
 - **CIWP:**
 - J. Anderson, C. Gamble, D. Kenney, L. Martinez, S. Reiss, J. Rose, A. Sass, C. Smith, A. Tamborino
 - **Diverse Learners:**
 - C. Gamble, D. Kenney, S. Reiss, J. Rose, C. Smith
 - **English Learners:**
 - C. Gamble, D. Kenney
 - **Principal Evaluation:**
 - All LSC members, excluding C. Gamble and L. Martinez
 - **Social Justice:**
 - J. Anderson, C. Gamble, M. Lehmann, L. Martinez, E. Patsiopoulos, A. Sass, C. Smith

VI. Public Comment:

- None

VII. New Business:

- **A. Playground Updates**
 - Proposal and Ramp Options 0922
 - The LSC and members of the public viewed and discussed playground structure options.
 - Several LSC representatives and community members volunteered to help select equipment.
- **B. Approve Fundraiser Proposal Form**
 - None at this time.
- **C. Expenditures and Receipts Approvals**
 - Snap Connect contract for SY23
 - SchoolCNXT is an app-based multilingual family engagement and communication platform.
 - J. Anderson motioned to approve the expenditure of \$1,050.00 for the purpose of funding SchoolCNXT for SY23, and E. Patsiopoulos seconded. The LSC voted to approve, 12-0.
 - Internal Accounts Update
- **D. Budget Transfer Approval**
 - None at this time.

VIII. Adjournment:

- J. Anderson motioned to adjourn at 7:03 p.m., and A. Sass seconded. The LSC voted to adjourn, 12-0.

The next Regular Meeting of the Hannah G. Solomon Local School Council will be on October 11, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Chris Smith".

Chris Smith
Parent, LSC Secretary

The Minutes of the September 13, 2022 Special Meeting of the Solomon Local School Council were approved on October 11, 2022.