Mountain Vista High School School Site Council Agenda

October 26, 2017 4:30 PM Mountain Vista High School 1901 Clinton Room 105 Madera, CA 93638

- Welcome & Introductions Mrs. Anderson introduced herself as the principal of the school and each person in attendance introduced themselves. A quorum was established with 9 elected members present.
- 2. Call to Order was given at 4:35.
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda-. Mrs. Anderson asked the council to adopt agenda as is. Motion was made to approve agenda with this addition by Mrs. Huerta to adopt the agenda as is and a 2nd was made by Mr. Castellanos motion was carried unanimously.
- 4. Public Input –The students presented some of the activities they are working on. For Halloween students are planning a haunted house. Other activities they would like to plan are a Taco Tuesday event tied to attendance or improvement of tardies. The students also talked about the idea of having a grub down soon. Lesly Morales brought up the idea of having a mural painted on the portable walls and Mrs. Anderson asked students to come up with a theme and a miniature mock up the mural and she, Mrs. Anderson, would see about getting permission. Flor asked about if there was any progress on getting permission to attend proms at the comprehensive sites. Also, students asked about senior t-shirts and the idea of graduation sash for certain students.
- 5. Reading & Approval of Minutes of September 21st, 2017. All present were provided with a copy of the meeting minutes from the September 21st meeting. Motion was made to approved the minutes as is by Mrs. Huerta and a 2nd was made by Mr. Castellanos. Motion carried unanimously.

6. New Business

1. Approval of revisions to the site plan budget. Mrs. Anderson explained that using the title 1 funds, the school wants to purchase software licenses to a program called iXL . iXL would be used to support students in English, Math and Science. Students present at the meeting expressed that they were familiar with the program because the math teachers had started using a trial version. Mrs. Anderson also said that the school was looking to purchase a software program to support students that are struggling in reading. The purchase of iXL is going to cost \$4000.00 and the reading program could cost another 3000.00 – 5000.00. Mrs. Anderson asked for the site council to approval budget revisions to be able to make these purchase to support goals of improving achievement in English and Math. Mrs. Jorgensen made a motion to approve the budget revisions, and Mrs. Mac Eacheron made a second. The motion carried unanimously.

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- 2. Important Dates –Teachers will have training on November 6th, so students will be released at 12:30. November 10th is a holiday. On November 16th, there is a flag football tournament in Merced and on November 17th, there will be a field trip to Hearst Castle. The WASC visit is December 6th and the After School program trip is December 15th.
- 3. After School Program Update The After School Program has a lot going on with activities and credit recovery. Students report that they like that the tutors are not putting up with students that are not serious and they are emphasizing completing work and recovering credits.
- 8. Next Meeting will be held in the December 7, 2017.
- 9. Adjournment- Motion to adjournment 5:10 was made by Ms. Morales and 2nd was made by Ms. Gonzalez. Motion was passed unanimously.