

HARBORVIEW SITE COUNCIL MEETING

4:30 PM – 6:00 PM

November 10, 2025

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 **25 HBV Sept Site Council_MINUTES**

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AGENDA:

- **4:34 pm Call to Order and Welcome to Guests**
 - Welcome to Britteny Cioni-Haywood (new school Board Liaison)
 - Jodi Arnold - Teacher
 - Patrick Mincik - Interventionist
 - Tara Kovach - Parent
 - Sandy West - Family Engagement Coordinator
 - Britteny Haywood - School Board Member
 - Chris Siddon - Parent & Co-Chair of Site Council
- **Approval of September Meeting Minutes**

Move to Nov Meeting to Approve - Not a quorum
- **Site Council Updates**
 - Jodi Arnold: Site Based Inservice today, spent time exploring iReady features, looked at learning standards & dialed-in report cards.
 - Paula Hubert - Literacy Night & Pizza Night
Thursday, Nov. 13th, 2025 5:00-7:00pm

We've had a lot of high school volunteers come from JDHS, because of Ed Rising class & need to get service hours.

- Pat Minick: Recent transfers & resignations of JESS members. No contract for either JEA nor JESS, but Harborview is going in a positive direction!
- **PTA Report-** Wes McEwen (current treasurer)
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- **Staff Report**

JESS

JEA TED positions:

[https://www.applitrack.com/jsd/onlineapp/default.aspx?AppliTrackPostingSearch=location:%22Teaching+%26+Learning+\(T%26L\)%22](https://www.applitrack.com/jsd/onlineapp/default.aspx?AppliTrackPostingSearch=location:%22Teaching+%26+Learning+(T%26L)%22)

Britteny happy to ask if there is anything we can do to get traction on getting these TED positions filled. Chris Siddon's question, "How long do we go without positions being filled, before getting into alternative options."

- **Principal's Report** (Scott)

Format for Super Site Council Meeting (Thursday, November 20th, Thunder Mountain - Library), is usually the first Board Documented Budget Meeting; but this time, it may be more of a Q & A session, based on input from last year.

Harvest Festival was successful, with **355** people attending.

This week, on Thursday, November 13, from 5:00-7:00pm, **Literacy Night**

- I'll be out front in the foyer, pushing Free & Reduced Lunch Applications for whoever needs them.
 - To assist families in need, due to government shutdown.
 - To make sure our 28.19% free and reduced lunch is accurate.
 - Qualifying for Title I is more complicated than the % of students who qualify for free and reduced lunch; but the 25% threshold is the extreme low (nationwide), 40% is almost guaranteed (nationwide). In my experience, 30% is the lower threshold in Alaska.

Trying to open up another classified interventionist position, so we can start doing interventions for math as well as reading.

"A lot of growth for students in reading because we're able to teach in small groups." - Mrs. Hubert

We won't know benchmarks for growth until December.

This year we had less students in the red at the beginning of the year, than at the beginning of last year.

2024-2025	2025-2026
Kinder 41% below grade level	are now 1st grade 18%
1st grade 27% below grade level	are now 2nd Grade 23%
2nd grade 33% below grade level	are now 3rd Grade 26%

3rd grade 24% below grade level are now 4th Grade 19% below grade level.

If we are measuring success, then look at the end of the year schools, not the beginning of the year schools. We are looking at the beginning-of-the-year-scores now, because that's all the information we have (until we hit the end of the school year).

Watching this year's 2nd graders because this year's 2nd graders started with Alaska Reads Act, Reading Plans, new curriculum with explicit phonics instruction (Science of Reading)

- **Board Report-** Brittany Cioni-Haywood

- Superintendent Search - will want feedback from site councils.
 - RFP is out already.
- Election results: what do we know about new Board members?
 - Brittany: pres. Elizabeth: vp, and Amber clerk.
- Strategic Plan Committee- final rounds of meetings- By Jan/Feb will be completed
 - Ask David for an update for the Strategic Plan for next meeting

Discussed Rally funds: 2 pots of funds. \$1m from CBJ; likely send back to CBJ. \$435K other fund sources. Hearing on rally program on Dec. Board.

Supt. search. Subcommittee formed. Looking for a firm to support search. Board goal to interview end Jan/ early Feb.

JSD Board will have agenda item on a draft strategic plan.

Strategic Plan; Board meeting with consultants tomorrow. Mission, vision, core values. And the portrait of a learner.

Hope to have SP finalized before supt. interviews.

- **Super Site Council** (Nov. 20)

- See forwarded email. Provide email comments to Chris/Jenni

What does the public want in the first Budget Presentation of the school year?

The public wants to know, "Are we doing good or not good?" What level of detail provides transparency but also does not lose the interest of the public.

Interactive process vs. Sit & Get.

Relevant & Brief

Question: Where are unspent funds going as a result of vacancies?

- **Future Business**

- Strategic Plan Info

- Jenni/Chris- send site council agendas, minutes to Scott & Vanessa in November.

Adjournment @ 6:00 pm