

PRESCOTT ELEMENTARY

04/09/25 LSC MEETING NOTES

Held at Prescott School, in room 001

Tracy Kremer– calls meeting to order at: 5:03pm

- Roll Call:

Erin Roche, Principal	Y	Tracy Kremer, Parent Rep, Chair	Y
Amy Cortis, Parent Rep, Vice Chair	Y	Ryan Crosby, LSC Secretary	Y
Jeff Marren, Parent Rep	Y	Maria Pecard, Parent Rep	N
Diana Pullilings, Staff Representative	Y	Amanda Hazlip, Teacher Rep	Y
Jennifer Phares, Teacher Rep	Y	Liam Hawry, Parent Rep	Y
Chip Patterson, Community Rep	Y	Gina Doocy, Community Rep	N
Gianna Chumil-Lazio, Student Representative	Y		

Attendees: Ms Rukelis (left at 5:32)

- Public participation – no comments
- Vote to Approve prior minutes – Motion Passed at 5:05pm
- Vote to Approve agenda – Motion Passed at 5:06pm
- Principal’s Report
 - Review content from Principal’s Report
 - Question about Student Voice Committee – why no longer active. Mentioned that teachers did not feel that voice was being heard, and therefore not continued. Students felt comments were not being taken seriously.
- 2025-26 Budget – Agenda item (proposal for fiscal budget and lottery / enrollment figures) is cancelled, since Principal Roche already submitted a budget proposal on 4/4 (LSC was notified on 4/9) due to a 4/4 CPS deadline (an extension was requested and denied). That proposal is not available for review during the meeting. Roche states that it will be shared at some point.
 - Question whether a May meeting / scenarios could be used to make decisions or to plan before CPS budget proposal comes in, so when it does we are more prepared.
 - Prescott having open and flexible conversations has always been great. Would be good to continue in that spirit. Last few years has been more “stale”, less dialogue.
 - Uniforms is another topic worth putting into a meeting before it becomes urgent. Ideally a decision-making meeting before July when it becomes too late for parents to plan. Make sure it is a structured conversation and not open ended. We should be considering a proposal rather than simply discussing and deciding.
- Immanuel Anglican Church – looking to rent parking lot on Sundays
 - Motion to approve – Motion passed at 5:53pm
- Internal Accounts
 - Motion to approve – Motion passed at 5:54pm

- Budget – currently in process (file not posted, will defer to next meeting)
- MPR Tile – completed, seeking approval to move funds
 - Motion to approve – Motion passed at 5:57pm
- Photocopier – seeking to purchase a second (250K copies/yr) – cost to repair almost same as buying a new one (\$8800)
 - Motion to approve – Motion passed at 5:59pm
- FY25 Budget transfers – added detail
 - Question about source of payment (codes) – will add note about source going forward
 - Motion to approve – Motion passed at 6:03pm
- Principal's Evaluation – Roche comments
 - School is ambitious, pushing the envelope. I see we are doing that in lots of different ways. It's been a challenging year personally, and yet there's been a lot to celebrate. We have really strong staff, and we've set an ambitious set of goals for the next few years, which is exciting.
- Motion to move into closed session – Motion passed at 6:08pm
 - Closed session to discuss Principal Evaluation and ratings.
- Motion to exit closed session – motion passed at 7:58pm
- Motion to accept the scores agreed upon during closed session – motion passed at 7:59pm