SAC Meeting April 16, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 5:07 p.m. by Chair Elizabeth Washington.

In **attendance**: Community: Tarcha Rentz. Parent: Elizabeth Washington. Student: Lucas Zhou. EHS Jeff Charbonnet, Principal; Adele Turnage, AP; teachers Maria Zelaya, Coral Antony, Carol Faas, Sylvia Walker; ESPs Saundra Scrivener, Dianna Payne.

The agenda was approved on a motion by Carol Faas and seconded by Dianna Payne.

The **minutes** of the February 19 meeting were approved on a motion by Jeff Charbonnet, seconded by Saundra Scrivener.

Budget requests were submitted and discussed.

- 1. The SAC has some finds remaining, and always holds some funding over the summer. However, this summer, with the county administration reorganizing schools and cutting back on staff, EHS would need to pay the salary for one Assistant Principal for the month of July in order to have student schedules ready for August. After some discussion that SAC money should not be routinely used to pay administrative salaries, the SAC agreed to pay \$7,900 for the summer AP position.
- 2. The SAC also approved funding up to \$1.064 for paying fees for seniors who need to take the ACT test again to graduate. Coral Antony suggested that the SAC create an annual budget item for this purpose, which will be implemented in the 2015-16 SAC budget. Ms. Walker gave specific information about how many seniors still need to pass the ACT.

Mr. Charbonnet presented information about the **FSA Reading Training Test** which everyone agreed was a difficult test, especially for ESL students. The FSA replaces the FCAT.

Information about the **Summer Bridge Program** for rising EHS-zoned 9th and 10th graders was distributed. Tarcha Rentz will bring this information to local pastors. This free program will run after summer school ends, Mondays- Thursday, July 13 to August 9, 9 a.m to 2 p.m. and will include literacy, math, hands-on experiences, and field trips, also lunch and breakfast. Students will earn one-half credit. There will be one teacher for ten students, with no cap on enrollment.

School Climate Surveys are being produced and processed at the district level this year. They have been distributed to parents, students and staff.

Several SAC members are coming to the end of their term. Parents whose children are graduating include Mrs. Sayeski, Mrs. Walden and Mrs. DeSue. Mike Griffis has agreed to continue for another term on the SAC. EHS staff whose terms are expiring—Dianna Payne, Saundra Scrivener, Coral Antony, Maria Zelaya, and Carol Faas-- all agreed to run for re-election for SAC for another term.

Announcements: The EHS Drama Club presents "Stand and Deliver April 16-18. The Boys Tennis and Girls Track teams are District Champions, and The School Beautification Day is April 18.