

Attending: Valerie Bryant, Janet Abelson, Robin Wilson, Robert Studdiford, Cathy Garza, Tammera Campbell, Alison Crooks, Kris Moore, Charles Cowens, Harlan Kerr, Travel Campbell

The agenda was approved and the meeting started at 7:24 pm.

Minutes from the February 27, 2006 board meeting were motioned for approval by Robert Studdiford, motion was carried.

Newsletter (Robin Wilson)

- This is the last newsletter from Robin. Charley Cowens will be taking over.

Community Outreach report (Robin Wilson)

- No news to report.

Membership report (Janet Abelson)

- The state of California hit 1,000,000 mark in PTA memberships this year.

Treasurer's report

- The following checks were ratified (motioned to approved Robert Studdiford, the motion was carried – seconded).

970	VOID		00
971	32 nd District Council	Pass thru expense	\$400.00
972	Janet Abelson	Convention fees	\$159.00
973	Robert Studdiford	Reflections expense	\$87.36
974	Janet Abelson	Postage	\$37.00
975	32 nd District Council	Pass thru expense	902.80
976	32 nd District Council	Pass thru expense	225.00
977	32 nd District Council	Pass thru expense	75.00
978	Sheldon Elementary	overpayment	25.00
979	Olinda Elementary	overpayment	25.00
980	Robin Wilson	Newsletter expense	\$227.58
981	32 nd District Council	Pass thru expense	588.80
982	San Ramon PTA Council	Sacramento trip	195.00
983	32 nd District Council	Pass thru expense	13.60

984	Robin Wilson	Newsletter expense	126.84
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- The budget for next year should be made prior to the end of the school year.
- We may add in money for the Helms Tucker scholarship. There may be monies given for that scholarship.
- The motion to approve the preliminary budget was motioned by Cathy Garza, seconded by Tammy Campbell. The motion was approved and passed.

Bayside Audit (Janet)

- Approval of the 2/11/06 audit of Bayside council was motioned for approval by Valerie Bryant. The motion was approved and passed.

Reflections report (Robert Studdiford)

- The 32nd District Reflections member will send out a packet to each PTA unit in each school.
- Units interested should give information to Robin Wilson.

Bond Oversight Committee (Robert Studdiford)

- WCCUSD received monies for solar panels in ECHS from PG&E.
- By taking out energy costs from the budget, these saved monies may be used on buildings or elsewhere.

President's Report (Charley Cowens)

- Bylaws Status: The new bylaws were sent to Shayne Silva at 32nd District Council on 04/07/06. Valerie Bryant will check their status.
- JSUSD Parcel Tax: The new parcel tax is being proposed and will be voted on in June 2006.
- Officer elections: The following people have been nominated (and accepted the nominations for the following positions for 2006-07 school year:
 - President: Robert Studdiford
 - VP, Programs Robin Wilson
 - VP, Membership Janet Abelson
 - VP, Communications Charley Cowens
 - Auditor Cathy Garza

Officers are still needed for secretary and treasurer. Tammy Campbell motioned that this slate be officially nominated for elections. The motion was approved.

- School Uniforms: Harlan Kerr is the point man for uniforms by the district (Harlan.kerr@gw.wccusd.k12.us) Harlan Kerr stated that there were few negative emails regarding the institution of school uniforms at WCCUSD. There were many

supportive emails (from rotary, etc.) and parents seem to want uniforms. There are > 8,000 public schools that instituted school uniforms in the nation.

The WCCUSD board voted to move ahead with instituting school uniforms at the March meeting. The rules regarding uniforms include the following:

- A waiver order
- Need to provide financial assistance
- Schools may select their own uniforms

Jan was asked to gather information regarding school uniforms, specifically Pittsburg and Antioch school districts instituting school uniforms.

There was a round table discussion regarding the pros and cons of uniforms.

- This Saturday, there will be an opportunity to meet the new Superintendent of Schools at PVHS.
- There is also a meeting regarding student safety, specifically internet safety (MySpace.com) at PVHS at 6:30 this Wednesday.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 pm.

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