

## LSIC Minutes for October 15, 2020

Molli Hamilton, Chairperson called the meeting to order

Last meeting was held prior to school closure with the COVID-19 pandemic. The meeting date was January 16, 2020.

Minutes were reviewed from that meeting on January 16, 2020. Jeff O'Neill made motion to accept the minutes as read and Michelle Ritchie, second the motion. All in favor of accepting minutes as read.

Attendance via Zoom link for meeting today:

Attending: Molli Hamilton, Chair, Michelle Ritchie (acting as secretary), Jeff O'Neill, Jason Pauley, Carrie Beatty, G. Oiler, Kimberly Greene, K. Cimorelli, Neera Bhatia (At Large Member).

Absent: Mary Warden (At Large Member), Secretary and E. Diaz.

Introduction to LSIC was given by Principal Kimberly Greene.

Copy of LSIC Code to be forwarded to all by Principal Kimberly Greene.

Need student representative to LSIC. School scheduled elections are planned for Oct. 21 and 22. A student representative elected by student body will then be invited to attend meeting starting in November 2020.

Plan for Chair of LSIC for one year term.

Plan for meeting every 9 weeks at minimum and open to public.

County Highlight (LSIC) meeting format for 2020 has been changed to a school based presentation. Suggestions are welcomed by Ms. Greene. Date for school-based meeting is tentatively November 2020. PTSO and LSIC meeting and Principal will see approval for use of Auditorium at UHS.

Principal Kimberly Greene discussed upcoming meeting for Public Charter School Application. Hearing scheduled for 10/22/2020 at UHS starting at 6pm. Requesting a delegation from UHS PTSO. Invite others to participate. Location of onsite meeting and virtual link to meeting via Monongalia County School Board of Education. Discussed about the difference of current charter school application and IB (international baccalaureate) versus AP (Advanced Placement) curriculum. Mr. O'Neill offered his perspective.

PTSO Report was given by Michelle Ritchie. PTSO booklet nearing completion and will be posted on UHS website. Fundraising form being revised and plan to send out volunteer/fundraising form soon. Discussed activities for students and limited due to in person gatherings prohibited and use of school facilities limited. New PTSO Treasurer Kendryn McDonough. Needing committee volunteers and participation. No student report.

Administration report with progress being made with transition to blended instruction and continued offering of virtual instruction. Teachers working hard to meet needs of students. SAT was held at UHS

for last years Juniors and 135 students were tested. 25 additional students may be offered a make-up session for SAT.

Next LSIC Meeting scheduled for 11/19/2020 in the Auditorium for the students school based LSIC presentation in lieu of the County Wide LSIC presentations. Mrs. Greene to send invites. Ideas for presentations are welcomed.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle Ritchie, acting Secretary for LSIC