**Elk Ridge Middle School**

**School Community Council**

**Wednesday, October 17th, 2018 – Meeting Minutes**

Attendance:

 Wyatt Bentley Margaret Hess Jenn Zollinger

 Alishia Huefner

1. Welcome (Margaret Hess)
	* Not enough members present to make a quorum
2. Approval of Minutes (Shaunna Van Leeuwen)
	* Postpone
3. Elections of council members
	* Postpone
4. Approve Rules and Order, Vote on Quorum
	* Postpone
5. Counseling Center (Alishia Huefner)
	* 9th grade PCCR meetings – 55 sessions have already been conducted, 14 more are scheduled for next week
	* 9th grade Reality Town – Thursday, November 8th. Stephanie will send out an email to recruit additional volunteers.
	* 8th grade Job Shadow – Thursday, November 29th
	* 7th grade Career Day – Thursday, November 29th
	* Suicide Prevention Lessons – presented on Sept 24th, powerpoint presentation with notes is posted on counseling website. Suggestion was made to move the presentation to a separate tab of “other resources.”
	* Stress and Anxiety classes – participants can be parent referred, teacher referred or counselor referred, will take place during DEAR so they don’t miss class.
6. Land Trust (Wyatt Bentley)
	* All of last year’s landtrust money was spent, and in the correct categories. Getting good results from instructional coaches and academic leadership team.
7. SNAP Plan (Wyatt Bentley)
	* River Heights crossing issues, timer is short, need at least 10-12 kids crossing to justify a crossing guard, possibility of SCC conducting a poll to see how many would cross if a crossing guard was there? City will put a crosswalk in farther down on 10400 S.
	* Parking lot issue, kids are walking through the parking lot, kids need reminders, consider having someone out reminding students
8. Principal Update (Wyatt Bentley)
	* New psychologist, Dustin Fullmer, intern
	* New School Counselor, Paul Bennett
	* Math department is progressing well with standard based learning
	* Reunification plan, community training, date will be announced when it is known
	* Boundary change, if option A is voted on, portables would be needed, there would be no ability to have permits, and adjustments would have to be made for passing time.
9. Meeting dates for the 2018-2019
* December 5, February 6th, and March 27th

Next Meeting: December 5, 2018 6 p.m.