

Meeting Date 3/11/2026

Meeting Location: Dodge Conference Room/Zoom

Members present	Thomas Mery, Sergio Ortiz, Brenda Meneguín, Maura McKechnie, Madelin Patterson
Members absent	
Constituency group represented	

I. Called to order at 4:00 by Thomas Mery

II. Approval of Minutes for 12/3/2025

DISCUSSION NOTES	Mr. Mery read aloud the meeting minutes from our Site Council meeting held on 12/3/2025.
CONCLUSIONS	Mrs. Meneguín motioned to approve the minutes and was seconded by Mr. Ortiz.
ACTION ITEMS	

III. Call to the audience

DISCUSSION NOTES	Call to the audience was made. 4 of 5 participants were on zoom.
CONCLUSIONS	
ACTION ITEMS	

IV. Reports

REPORTS TO REVIEW	Principal reports was given by Principal Meneguín.
DISCUSSION	Principal Meneguín discussed Dodge's state of the school, beginning with our enrollment demographic's and outlook for next school years enrollment data, followed by iReady diagnostic data, magnet plan, budget money, campus updates/improvements and campus events for March and April.
CONCLUSIONS	
ACTION ITEMS	

V. Action Items

ITEM TITLE	Sound System
DISCUSSION NOTES	Principal Meneguín discussed the current situation of improving the sound system for Dodge’s art department. As of now, the projected costs exceed \$65,000 which is not possible. Since deadlines have past, Mrs. Blain will continue working towards securing sound system improvements into 2026-2027 school year.
RESOLUTION	
Since deadlines have past, Mrs. Blain will continue working towards securing sound system improvements into 2026-2027 school year.	

ITEM TITLE	Folklorico
DISCUSSION NOTES	Principal Meneguín discussed that Folklorico conductor Mrs. Arvizu inquired about the possibility of paying the Folklorico teachers with undesignated funds. This is not possible. There is 1 stipend remaining, but there are 2 instructors and not able to split the stipend. The team brainstormed ways to pay these instructors for their time, including donations of gift cards, charging membership fees. The team discussed that there are several clubs on campus who’s instructors do not receive compensation, understanding that it’s volunteer time. It was also discussed to determine these details before the school year begins so it’s agreed upon before any time is worked.
RESOLUTION	
Compensation is not possible for this year’s Folklorico instructors. We will continue to brainstorm ways to compensate the Folklorico teachers for next school year.	

VI. Discussion/information items

ITEM TITLE	No other discussion items.
DISCUSSION NOTES	
RESOLUTION	

VII. Submission of items for next agenda.

VIII. The meeting was adjourned at 4:22pm by Thomas Mery

