

# DRAFT DPMS School Community Council Minutes

**Date:** 10/09/2024

**Location:** DPMS Media Center - moved to classroom 1426

**Time:** 3:15pm

**Virtual Meeting Link:**

<https://canyonsdistrict-org.zoom.us/j/5463200753?pwd=Q3g1aVNYclE4RnZvQ1hzenQybSs5dz09>

## School Community Council Members

**Parent Members Present**

Janene Day  
Christine Chapman  
Kathryn Dahlin  
Nancy Nichols  
Edie Goodrich  
Jessica Smith  
Jennifer Willie

**Parent Members Virtual**

Angie Stallings  
Shandra Brown

**Staff Members Present**

Dr. Chip Watts (Principal)  
Nancy Butler  
Nate Ricks  
Gretchen Givone  
Laura Harris

**Staff Members Excused**

Kim Oldroyd


**Invited Guests:**

Madison Roberts - DPMS Digital Citizenship Coordinator  
Dan Harper - Canyons District Legal Department

**Visitors:**

Amber Tuckett  
Susan Edwards  
Kayla Cullimore  
Brooke Rauzon  
Lindsay Lamoreaux  
Joshua Lujan  
Angie McFarland  
Mary Nichols  
Stacie Sipes  
Cami Shipp  
Holly Neibaur

**Business Items:**

1. Welcome (1 min)
2. Approval of Minutes from previous Meeting
  - a.  DRAFT DPMS SCC 9/11 Minutes
  - b. Motion to Approve by Janene, seconded Nate

Janene Day

- c. **VOTE** Approved by all
  - 3. Approval of [Bylaws](#) & [Rules of Order and Procedure](#) (5 mins) Janene Day
    - a. Specifically discussed:
      - i. Meeting Time updated under **Section 8: Meeting Expectations**
      - ii. Added Time Keeper to **Section 11: Officers**
    - b. **VOTE** Move to approve bylaws by Janene, seconded by Nate
      - i. In favor- Givone, Day, Stallings, Harris, Chapman, Ricks, Butler, Willie, Goodrich, Dahlin
      - ii. Opposed- Smith, Nichols
      - iii. Bylaws were approved by majority vote
      - iv. Link to approved Bylaws: [24-25 Draper Park SCC Bylaws](#)
    - c. **VOTE** Rules of Order and Procedure- all approved unanimously
      - i. Link to approved Rules of Order and Procedure:  
[24-25 DPMS Rules Order.docx](#)
  - 4. TSSP and Land Trust (5 Mins) Chip Watts
    - a. [Link to DPMS Fall MAP Baselines](#) presentation Dr. Watts shared with SCC members.
    - b. Chip handed out a graphic organizer of goals and focuses for school this year. Report card is broken down into areas for our school.
      - i. Report Card Link:  
<https://reportcard.schools.utah.gov/School/OverAllPerformance?SchoolID=718&DistrictID=186056&SchoolNbr=407&SchoolLevel=K8&IsSplitSchool=0&schoolyearendyear=2024>
    - c. Achievement was commendable. Rate of proficiency is 10-12 points higher than the state, Science is even higher. In growth we scored commendable. In English Learner progress we are in the typical range.
    - d. School store is open and kids earn points by following the rules of the school. First day was great and students were excited to spend their points.
  - 5. School Safety/Digital Citizenship (20 mins) Chip Watts
    - a. <https://www.canyonsdistrict.org/safe-schools/>
    - b. Due December 20th
    - c. The District Safety Report was shared with everyone. Suggestion to communicate about School Safety Plan through email this month.
    - d. [Link to 2023-2024 Safety and Digital Citizenship Report](#)
    - e. Maddie Roberts is the Dig Cit coordinator for DPMS. We are a Common Sense certified district. Discussions on how to be a good digital citizen, there will be a staff wide training session for teachers. Look for monthly communication about Digital Citizenship. Parents can go online and filter your student's level of access.
      - i. Jessica stated she is worried about filters not working the way they are supposed to and getting access to what they need for school.
      - ii. Visitor - Angie McFarland asked to have an email sent to parents informing them they can request restrictions for their students. She requests that this is sent separately from other communication.

- iii. Teachers are following lanschool and making sure that students are where they need to be on their chromebooks.
  - iv. Dr. Watts will be doing "Chromebook Sweeps" to monitor how things are going and make sure Lanschool is being used
  - v. If embedded in Canvas they should be able to access all the content that's required of their classes. Teachers are working with coaches and making sure that things are getting embedded.
  - vi. Dr. Watts would like to see 100% of teachers using Lanschool in the school.
- f. Parking Lot is now a right turn only on the west side of the school. Seems to be getting better with traffic. Suggestion to have that in the south lot as well.
- i. Dr. Watts is concerned about electric scooters. We had a recent accident, not school related. and there are some concerns about kids being in danger from riding their scooters.
  - ii. Supervision and safety is better this year during passing periods and lunch.
  - iii. Nancy suggested Dr. Watts talks to Dina at CCHS about what they are doing about scooters..
  - iv. Visitor, Lindsay, suggested that the crosswalk on Highland Drive and 13200 S be staffed as there are a lot of students crossing and it is a safety concern. This can be added to our Safe Walking Routes
6. Safe Walking Routes (20 Mins) Mark Mitchell
- a. Draper Park Middle School [SNAP Plan](#) Mark shared with SCC members
  - b. Drop off zones- Blue area is where you drop off students if you are coming from the South. West side we are proposing to have the city put in a right turn only lane. Red arrow is for picking up in emergency situations. Blue zone is for buses, we need to have them turn right and not left.
  - c. New Walking Route- Are the walking routes correct? Are students following them? Are they safe? If not, let's talk to Draper City.
  - d. Wanting to add a new walking route in the new development by Draper Elementary.
  - e. Walking routes by the stake center on 13th east were added last year to help support students who walk to school.
  - f. We would like to address the possibility of having a crossing guard or flashing lights or warning system at Highland Drive and 13200 S. and add that to our Safe Walking Routes.
  - g. **VOTE** Moved to approve Safe Walking Routes by Dr. Watts, seconded. Unanimously approved

**Special Presentation:** [HB257](#) (20)

Canyons District Legal Department

*Due to the sensitive nature of this topic and associated privacy concerns, the district will not comment or discuss specific students, staff or situations at DPMS.*

1. Dan Harper presented. He stated he will not be taking individual questions but is happy to talk to you if you have questions.

- a. Email: [daniel.harper@canyonsdistrict.org](mailto:daniel.harper@canyonsdistrict.org)
- b. Phone: 801-826-5061
2. Discussed U.C.A [80-2A-201](#) and [63G-31-301](#) Sex Designated Privacy Spaces in Public Schools

**Discussion Items: (Time Permitting)**

1. Cell Phone Policy Update Chip Watts
  - a. Dr. Watts [shared this Cell Phone Policy](#) with the members. It shows the rules for cell phones/personal electronic devices at DPMS.
  - b. There may be some changes made by the legislature that may change in the future and change our policy on phone use.
  - c. The title needs to be changed to “Personal Electronic Device Policy” as this plan covers more than cell phones.
2. Problem Solving Solving Between School and Community Chip Watts
  - a. Dr. Watts brought up working on school culture and the community. Working in positive ways to work with the community. Worried about things that are posted negatively on social media about DPMS. Dr. Watts encouraged more discussion between the school and community. Door is always open!

Meeting Adjourned at 4:45

**Upcoming Meetings:**

SCC Meetings are held the Second Wednesday of every month in Room 1426 at 3:15pm - 11/13, 12/11, 01/08, 2/12, 3/12, 4/09, 5/14