

Minutes for School Council Election

Perry Middle School

August 22, 2011

1. Call to Order

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore called the election to order at 6:31 p.m.

2. Recognition of Electing Body, Roles/Responsibilities of School Council Members, Position(s) Available on School Council, School Council Election Procedures

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore welcomed and recognized the parent electing body of Perry Middle School. Mr. Moore explained the election procedures, discussed the roles/responsibilities of school council members, and stated the position available on the council along with the term length.

3. Nomination(s) for School Council Membership

Presiding Officer Mr. Moore called for nominations from the floor for the parent position for a two year term. The following persons were nominated for this position:

1. Ms. Melissa Lee

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore accepted nominations until no further nominations were made by the electing body. Mr. Moore asked for a motion from the electing body to close nominations on this position. Mr. Moore then asked for a second motion and a majority vote of the electing body to close nominations on this position.

4. Voting Procedures

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore instructed the electing body on the following voting procedures:

1. The electing body will write in the position and term length on the ballot.
2. The electing body will write in the name of the nominee on the ballot for whom they wish to vote.
3. The plurality method will be used in conducting the election. One vote will be taken. The nominee with the highest number of votes is elected to the school council. Where two individuals tie with the highest number of votes, subsequent votes will be required until one single individual emerges with the highest number of votes.
4. Each member of the electing body should turn in their own completed election ballot to the election tellers for counting.

5. Counting of the Election Body Votes

Mr. Michael Deese (teller) informed the presiding officer of the number of votes each nominee received from the electing body:

1. Ms. Melissa Lee 4 votes

6. Announcement of Newly Elected Member

Presiding Officer Mr. Thomas Moore announced Ms. Melissa Lee as the highest vote recipient for the parent representative for a two year term. Ms. Melissa Lee is elected by the electing body to serve in this position on the Perry Middle School Council.

7. Nomination(s) for School Council Membership

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore called for nominations from the floor for the Parent/Business Partner for a two year term. The following persons were nominated for this position:

1. Mrs. Angela Ford (Houston Home Healthcare)

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore accepted nominations until no further nominations were made by the electing body. Thomas Moore asked for a motion from the electing body to close nominations on this position. Thomas Moore then asked for a second motion and a majority vote of the electing body to close nominations on this position.

8. Voting Procedures

Presiding Officer Thomas Moore instructed the electing body on the following voting procedures:

1. The electing body will write in the position and term length on the ballot.
2. The electing body will write in the name of the nominee on the ballot for whom they wish to vote.
3. The plurality method will be used in conducting the election. One vote will be taken. The nominee with the highest number of votes is elected to the school council. Where two individuals tie with the highest number of votes, subsequent votes will be required until one single individual emerges with the highest number of votes.
4. Each member of the electing body should turn in their own completed election ballot to the election tellers for counting.

9. Counting of the Election Body Votes

Mr. Michael Deese (teller) informed the presiding officer of the number of votes each nominee received from the electing body:

1. Mrs. Angela Ford 4 votes

10. Announcement of Newly Elected Member

Presiding Officer Mr. Thomas Moore announced Mrs. Angela Ford as the highest vote recipient for the Parent/Business Partner for a two year term and is elected by the electing body to serve in this position on the Perry Middle School Council.

11. Adjournment

With no further positions available on the school council for election by this electing body, the election was adjourned at 6:45PM by Presiding Officer Mr. Thomas Moore.

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