

Taylorsville Elementary Community Council Meeting
October 15, 2009 at 4:00 p.m. at Taylorsville Elementary School

In Attendance:	Jon Adams	Terry Bawden	Alison Bateman
	Doris Earl	Carlos Malespin	Nikki Moore
	Jenny Rico	Dinese Schlosser	Bryan Watts

- Jon Adams shared the good news that our school made Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) for the 2008 – 2009 school year. Especially impressive were the increases in both Language Arts and Math scores for the Limited English group.
- Mr. Bawden from the Granite District Board of Education thanked the Community Council members for all of their efforts on behalf of the students.
- Mr. Bawden also discussed the upcoming bond vote in November. Reminding everyone that money from the bond would be used, in part, to equip all schools in the Granite School District with air conditioning, and passing the bond would not result in a tax increase.
- Alison requested contact information from everyone so that she can complete and submit our Community Council Roster.
- Reviewed 2008 – 2009 Plan to make sure it reflects what we actually did. We still need some of the financial data so we will meet again on Friday, October 30, 2009 at 8:30 a.m. to finalize this report before the November 20, 2009 due date.
- Reviewed 2009 – 2010 Budget. Jon informed us that the District will be paying the salary for our 3rd Grade Reading Specialist, which we had budget approximately \$8,000 dollars for.
 - Mr. Adams proposed using approximately \$4,000 of this money to fund the before school math program. Motion to approve was made by Alison Bateman, with a second by Mr. Watts. Approved by unanimous vote.
 - Mr. Watts proposed using some of the money to copy Rocket Math books, but Mr. Adams said there is money in the school textbook budget for this.
 - Mr. Adams proposed using approximately \$2,300 to pay for substitutes for a teacher collaboration day. This was something the teachers felt worked really well last year, providing them with a great opportunity to share ideas, successes, etc. As well as building a great bond between the teachers. This was also approved unanimously.
- Jenny Rico expressed concern about the school crosswalk on 2200 West near the Community College. People are parking in the crosswalk making it a dangerous place for students to cross the street.
- Alison asked Dinese to send a copy of all our Community Council minutes to Andy Misco, so that he can post them on the school website.
- Watched “A Matter of Trust” video.

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 p.m. Next meeting is scheduled for Friday, October 30, 2009 at 8:30 a.m.