

**ATEC Community Council Meeting Notes**  
December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**Attendees:**

John Hughes (Principal)  
Debbie Kirk (Chair)  
Carol Mendenhall (Parent)

Kristie Ruesch (Teacher)  
KayRena Hogan (Parent)  
Michelle Carter (Parent)

**Meeting Notes:**

1. John proposed approval of meeting minutes from October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2014; Motion by Kristie Ruesch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Carol Mendenhall, motion carried by all.
2. John proposed approval of Alpine Transition Final Report 2013-2014; Motion to approve by Carol Mendenhall, 2<sup>nd</sup> by John Hughes, motion carried by all
3. Discussion about how to get the surveys back from parents through the students:
  - a. Suggestion made to have the students get some type of reward to bring the survey back
  - b. Suggestion to make parents more aware that there is no voting for SCC and that anyone can attend
  - c. Suggestion to get the survey copied to Spanish for parents that may be willing to participate, but unable to because of language delays
4. Motion to approve survey by KayRena Hogan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Carol Mendenhall, motion carried by all.
5. Discussion brought up about how to get parents to be more involved in the council and the activities at ATEC; suggestion made to explain to parents that their experiences at HS may be very different here and their involvement is necessary as there is no “other” students and parents here to fill roles that may have previously been filled in a HS setting
6. Discussion about how to set spend funds for next year; Kristie shared ideas from the teachers
  - a. Hire a job developer to work in the community, carving out jobs at local businesses (15-20 hours per week)
  - b. Purchase the CEC transition curriculum (\$1500-\$2400, then annually of \$300-\$400)
7. Motion to adjourn by Kristie Ruesch, 2<sup>nd</sup> – Michelle Carter, motion carried by all

**Items to Discuss in NEXT meeting (January 14<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm):**

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