



# MOUNTAIN VIEW

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### Mountain View School Site Council Minutes April 2, 2019 Meeting Four

**In attendance:** Gail Miller, Laurie Cospers, Wendy DelGrosso, Daniel Roberts, Roxanne Lopez, Heather Featherstone, Jennifer O'Donnell, Rachel Ayers

#### 1. Welcome and Celebrations

Principal Miller welcomed everyone to the final Site Council meeting of the year at 4:15 p.m. She opened it up for celebrations.

Principal Miller announced that we have received the full write-up of the AdvancED review for Mountain View's STEM certification. MVS has been named only the 10th AdvancED STEM certified school in Arizona. The AdvancED Commission Board meets on June 18th, and at that point Mountain View will receive the official STEM certification. MVS received top scores across the board - highest of any school to be evaluated.

MVS will be combining Field Day with a STEM celebration on May 10th, and the PTA has agreed to sponsor a DJ for the day.

Roxanne Lopez announced that she helped the Mountain View School PTA to write and win a grant proposal that would give her the opportunity to teach parents about digital citizenship.

Heather Featherstone announced that yearbook has been submitted for final printing. MVS sold almost 200 yearbooks this year.

#### 2. Review electronic votes from January and February

With a vote of 8-0, the two electronic votes for field trip funds in [January](#) and [February](#) were approved.

#### 3. Budget Updates and Requests

[The budget ledger was reviewed.](#)

#### 4. District and School Updates and Discussions

Principal Miller explained that AzMERIT testing has been postponed throughout the state due to technical difficulties that the State system has been experiencing.



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## **Call to the public for questions and comments.**

Jennifer O'Donnell suggested that, next year, the sponsor for the SkillsUSA group receive a stipend. Principal Miller explained that the teacher could request a stipend at the start of the year just as any other extracurricular sponsor.

In response to a question about how next school year might look different with the new Teaching & Learning Specialist positions, Principal Miller explained that Dr. Kellis is a strong proponent of giving a degree of autonomy to the school sites so schools can meet their individual needs. She explained that these are all questions that are being discussed at District level right now.

Principal Miller motioned to adjourn. Laurie Cospers seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

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**On the path of excellence...**

**Motivating lifelong learners...**

**Encouraging college and career readiness...**

The Mountain View family is empowered to consistently setting high expectations where everyone is safe, respected, engaged and productive in the learning community. We engage in authentic learning experiences that foster critical thinking, creativity, communication, and collaboration, which are measured through diverse methods. This is our mission... Welcome HOME!