

KELLER REGIONAL GIFTED CENTER

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LOCAL SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING

Keller Regional Gifted Center (Media Center)

Thursday, March 19, 2026

I. OPENING

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 p.m.

II. ATTENDANCE

Present:

Chalese Conley Dunbar, Jamie Campbell, Diannia Jemison, Queen Jones, Erin McDuffie, Malik Walls, Ethelyn Wess

Absent: Allen Lake, Nonyerem Onyebuagu, Carla Pollard Stewart, Yang Sun

Virtual: None

III. VOTE FOR MEMBER VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION

Virtual participation vote was not necessary.

IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved at 5:12 p.m. The motion to approve the agenda was made by Diannia Jemison and Erin McDuffie gave the second; all members present were in favor.

V. FLAG SALUTE

VI. MINUTES & CORRESPONDENCE

The minutes from the Regular February LSC Meeting were approved at 5:14p.m. The motion to approve the minutes was made by Erin McDuffie and Jamie Campbell gave the second; all members present were in favor.

VII. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

- A.** Principal Conley Dunbar passed out packets including information concerning or from: Expenditure Reports, Internal Accounts Balance Sheets and Briefs, and the March Students with Disabilities Report.
- B.** The ILT Institute was held on 2/10/26.
- C.** The Network 10 MOY IE Rigor Walk and MOY Evaluation were held 2/10/26.
- D.** The NJHS Induction Ceremony was held 2/12/26.
- E.** Levels 1-4 participated in a Legoland Field Trip on 2/18/26.
- F.** The CIWP Meeting #2 with the community was held 2/26/26.
- G.** Various organizational meetings were held.
- H.** Various staff members attended various Professional Development opportunities.
- I.** The February Internal Accounts were approved at 5:18 p.m. The motion to approve the internal accounts was made by Diannia Jemison and Queen Jones gave the second; all members present were in favor.

VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. CIWP

Keller is on target for the goals and the milestones that were set. A Theory of Action and the priorities of Instruction and Systems & Structures were created for SY 27-29.

B. PPLC

None.

C. Principal Evaluation

None

D. Fund-Raising

None

E. Public Relations

None

IX. OLD (UNFINISHED) BUSINESS

A. None

X. NEW BUSINESS

A. No Fundraisers were presented.

B. Budget

- Principal Conley requested that \$2,000 be moved from the Second Account budget line to the Keller Team and Staff line. The rationale is that when attending the City-wide Science Olympiad, all teams had matching t-shirts/gear but Keller. This line will be used for the Competition Clubs. The motion was made by Diannia Jemison and Erin McDuffie gave the second; all members present were in favor. Therefore, the motion to approve Principal Conley's request to move the \$2,000 passed at 5:25 p.m.
- Principal Conley requested that \$19,000 in the budget's Benefit line be moved and used for the Music Program at Keller, radios, technology and various other categories. The motion to approve the use of the funds was passed at 5:28 p.m. The motion was made by Diannia Jemison and Erin McDuffie gave the second; all members present were in favor.

XI. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

A. There was 1 community member in attendance virtually.

- The Keller Walk-a-thon is scheduled for May 8th.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

The Regular March LSC Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 16, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. The meeting was adjourned at 5:31 p.m. The motion was made by Diannia Jemison and Queen Jones gave the second; all members present were in favor.

Minutes submitted by Ethelyn Wess, LSC Secretary and Teacher Representative

Approved by: _____