

## Neah-Kah-Nie Inclusion Committee Meeting

September 21, 2021

Chairing: Michele Aeder

Minutes: Madi Chesnut

Start Time: 5:30

Attending: Michele Aeder, Madison Chesnut, Ally McCann, S.Z. Liwaru, Michael Simpson

Opened the meeting by honoring the Grande Rhond, Nehalem and Killamook tribes which land we're on.

Discussion of Madi Chesnut's internship with the district office.

### **Equity Lens**

Made small changes to the equity lens.

Added in Neah-Kah-Nie School Districts Mission Statement.

Decided to include Neah-Kah-Nie School Districts most recent long-term goals.

### **Length of Terms**

Discussion of potentially adding term lengths to members of the Neah-Kah-Nie Inclusion Committee.

Discussed the potential of a two-year term limit, decided to make this decision when all members are present.

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### **Student/Parent/Budget Committee Members**

Discussion of including a middle school student. Committee in agreement to include middle school students in the committee.

Discussion of including more parents, someone has expressed interest in joining the group or attending a meeting at least.

Discussion of including a budget committee member in the group. The goals this committee is aiming to meet will most likely need to be funded – therefore adding a budget committee member would be in our favor.

Budget committee members approve the budget, potentially not necessary for us to have a budget committee member specifically on the committee – will look for school board member. Discussed some potential ideas for board members who might be interested.

Want to open up the invitation of joining the Inclusion Committee to all board members

Reach out to high school student for committee through Kelly Thayer.

Will discuss potential candidates for each of these categories next meeting.

**Next Meeting**

Chair: S.Z. Liwaru

Minutes: Madison Chesnut

Meeting Adjourn: 6:34