**Lamar High School**

**SDMC Meeting**

**2/06/2020**

**Meeting Called to Order: 7:30am**

**Meeting Minutes:**

All members were asked to sign in for the meeting. A motion was made to approve the minutes from the previous SDMC meeting. Motion made, seconded and approved.

Principal Graves asked the committee to review the agenda and accept. Motion to approve was made, seconded and approved.

Attendees: Present at the meeting were Rita Graves, Sergio Arjon, Christy Cobb, Betty Penaloza, Janna Rancifer, Raul Rivera-Colon, Jeffrey Shalin, Blake Wilson, Justin Wingard, Alexander Braham, Billie Wesley, Amy Earle, Chrysi Polydoros, Gretchen Himsl, Pat Rosenberg and Mackenzie Wilson.

**Mrs. Graves presented the following:**

* **Construction Update:**

Mrs. Graves provided an update on construction.

* **Student Survey Results:**

Lamar conducted a survey of students in November to find out their thoughts about our new instructional model. All four grade levels indicated a high level of comfort with how the school is operating*, with 80% or more of students in each grade level rating themselves as comfortable, or comfortable with a few questions*. A majority of students indicated they also had connected with some type of student group at Lamar*, with at least 55% of students at each grade level reporting they were part of a club, team, or other organization*. When asked about what is going well in neighborhoods, students overwhelming agreed that teachers were building a safe learning environment as well as providing easy to navigate HUB pages, and making sure students had what they needed to be successful. One area we see for growth is to continue to improve learning opportunities to provide for experiences grounded in real-world applications so that students see the work they are doing is important and has purpose.

* **IBDP Math and Science Sequence:**

Sequencing of IB Diploma Level (IBDP) Math and Science was discussed. IBDP Science courses are moving to a 2 year program for rising 11th graders to match the 2 year IBDP math courses started with 11th grade this year. Academic Deans will make recommendations on complementary science and math programs based on the student’s area of interest for further study and future career goals.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:27am

Next SDMC meeting 5/7/20