KELLER REGIONAL GIFTED CENTER

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LOCAL SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING
Keller Regional Gifted Center (Media Center)
Thursday, June 4, 2026

I. **OPENING**
The meeting was called to order at 3:07 p.m.

II. **ATTENDANCE**
Present:
Chalese Conley Dunbar, Jamie Campbell, Diannia Jemison, Queen Jones, Erin McDuffie, Carla Pollard Stewart, Yang Sun (3:12pm), Malik Walls, Ethelyn Wess
Absent: Allen Lake, Nonyerem Onyebuagu,

III. **VOTE FOR MEMBER VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION**
Virtual participation was approved at 3:09 p.m. The motion to allow virtual LSC member participation was made by Erin McDuffie and Queen Jones gave the second; all members present were in favor.

IV. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
The motion to amend the agenda by moving Public Participation to later in the meeting (after item 6) was made by Principal Conley and Diannia Jemison gave the second; all members present were in favor.
The agenda was approved at 3:12 p.m. The motion to approve the agenda as amended was made by Erin McDuffie and Jamie Campbell gave the second; all members present were in favor.

V. **FLAG SALUTE**

VI. **MINUTES & CORRESPONDENCE**
The minutes from the Regular April LSC Meeting were approved at 4:29 p.m. The motion to approve the minutes was made by Erin McDuffie and Queen Jones 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, CIWP, School Budget and the May Students with Disabilities Report.
- **B.** The first Keller May Day was a big success.
- **C.** IAR testing was held the week of 4/7/26.
- **D.** KAA Family Fun Night was held 4/23/26.
- **E.** Keller Math Day occurred 4/24/26
- **F.** Classroom Speech Arts Competitions were held the week of 4/27/26.
- **G.** Levels 5-8 attended a Cyber Safety Presentation 4/29/26.
- **H.** The PTA held the Student Market Fair on 4/30/26.

I. Various organizational meetings were held.
J. Various staff members attended various Professional Development opportunities.
K. The April Internal Accounts were approved at 4:29 p.m. The motion to approve the internal accounts was made by Erin McDuffie and Queen Jones gave the second; all members present were in favor.

VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. CIWP
The Committee Meeting was held 4/14/26.

B. PPLC
None

C. Principal Evaluation
Mr. Walls will finalize the form.

D. Fund-Raising
None

E. Public Relations
None

IX. OLD (UNFINISHED) BUSINESS

A. Playground
   a. The design is done.
   b. The playground is approved but not funded.

B. Marquee
   a. There has not been any further communication with Keller.

X. NEW BUSINESS

A. SY 26-27 Budget Presentation
   - The SY 26-27 Budget was approved at 4:15p.m. The motion to approve the budget was made by Principal Conley and Erin McDuffie gave the second; all members present were in favor.
   - A motion to move $17,000 from the Ruth Secord fund to the General Operating Expenses fund was made by Principal Conley and Diannia Jemison gave the second; all members present were in favor. The motion was approved at 4:16 p.m.

B. SY 27-29 CIWP Presentation
   - The CIWP was approved at 3:26 p.m. The motion to approve the CIWP was made by Principal Conley and Diannia Jemison gave the second; all members present were in favor.

XI. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

A. There were 5 people in attendance (in person) and 11 people in attendance (virtual).
   - Topics from the public
     1. Kindergarten
     2. How to increase enrollment to 250?
     3. Where does art fall on the priority list?
     4. School fees = $125 currently

XII. ADJOURNMENT

The Organizational LSC Meeting is scheduled for July 8, 2026, at 9:30 a.m. The meeting was adjourned at 4:43 p.m. The motion was made by Erin McDuffie and Diannia Jemison gave the second; all members present were in favor.

Minutes submitted by Ethelyn Wess, LSC Secretary and Teacher Representative
Approved by: _____