**Soldotna Elementary Site Council**

10/3/19

In Attendance: Kim Harding, Kelly Creglow, Lisa Juliussen, Emily Nicholson, Andrew Shook

**Site Council Minutes**

**\*\* School Relocation-** Members discussed the possible relocation of our school over to the now empty Middle School. Included are some of the points we discussed:

* Would staff be able to check out the building once approved
* Playgrounds? Would we move the equipment from Soldotna Elementary?
* Would the playgrounds be fenced in?
* What would it look like with the two schools in this building? Would there be a definite distinction to separate the schools.
* What are the next steps, can we voice our opinion on if we do or do not want to move?

\*\* **PBIS -** Do we keep the program? Is it working for our school and if not what could we do to improve the program. If we decide not to continue with PBIS what do we do in place of it. **It was decided that this should be presented to the whole staff at the next staff meeting.**

\*\* **New Fundraiser –** We discussed replacing the Art fundraiser with the Innis brook wrapping paper fundraiser. All agreed that it would be a great idea to do next year, would need to enlist help to distribute.

\*\* **PTO Events –** We spoke about the fact that there might not be as many PTO events because there is a lack of volunteers for these events. Should the book fair be moved to another location for more traffic? There was a thought that maybe we should only do the Book Fair for a couple of days less volunteers would be needed.

\*\***School Store –** It was discussed that we no longer have a class running the school store since Mrs. Kwamme left. We decided that we should discuss at the next staff meeting who might want to take this over as a fundraiser for their classroom. There is potential to raise more money. It was indicated that if we were to have a Student Council that they could run the store.

\*\***Community Member –** Site Council is seeking a new community member, possible ideas are Carolyn Cannava, Tyson Cox & Leslie Morton.

\*\* **Student Council –** We discussed the possibility of creating a student council to include upper grade members. Andrew and Dana expressed interest in heading this up. Teachers should recommend students for the council. We think the students would benefit from having some say in how things happen at their school. Possibly run the school store and help with other projects at the school.