District PAC Meeting Minutes for September 9, 2016

Attending: Alma Maceiko –ALW; Samantha Carr– FH; Dawn Lohr-MAS; Misty Lowry- GP; Angi Robinson – SMITH; Candy Jordon, Administrator

2016-2017 Title I Audit Schedule – Albert Gallatin should be in the rotation for this year's federal auditing of Title I programs. Mrs. Jordon will not be here after December so parent representatives should be made aware of auditing requirements as they relate to the DPAC and PAC's at the schools.

New Policy for Parent Involvement – The Title I Parent Involvement Policy will be adopted for 16-17 and encompasses requirements of the new grant guidelines (Uniform Grant Guidance)

Title I Grant Requirements – The Title I grant requirements have increased grant reporting requirements. Performance goals must now be set and the programs purchased with Title I funds must be for the purpose of meeting these goals. All elementary schools are Title I and are school-wide programs.

The following programs were purchased for the Title I goals:

- IXL Math has replaced the First in Math program
- DIBELS Next –RTII monitoring tool for ELA
- 4Sight testing- Grades 3-5 ELA and Math
- Tutors for each school Reading Specialist, Cindy Fullem-ALW, will review and approve appropriate instructional support to students referred or selected for tutoring.
- Supplemental grammar books for Grades 3-5
- Supplemental math for Grades 3-5
- Professional development presentations during Act 80 and in-service days
- Homeless set aside required by UGG.

District Parent Involvement Activity-

• The DPAC parent event will be held on Thursday, September 29th at the high school auditorium at 6:00 PM. Posters have been placed at the schools and on Facebook and flyers were sent home with students. DPAC members will work to spread the word by means of additional advertising. *DPAC members should be at the high school by 5:30 PM to assist with sign in and directing parents to the appropriate area.*

Parent Information Workshop – Information was given to parents at individual school workshops about how parents can locate and utilize Title I programs. Parents may use the resources available at their schools or DPAC members can provide information from the resource materials at Central Office.

District Calendar – 2017-2018 – It was suggested that the calendar focus on physical activities for next year's calendar.

Questions Addressed – Questions were addressed regarding the showing of movies and any licensing involved. It was suggested that PTO's assist with funding these activities.

Next Meeting: Thursday, November 3, 2016 and 9:30 AM at Central Office.