

SART/IDAC Meeting Minutes

1st quarter

Valley Oak Elementary

September 24, 2019

Mrs. Duwe welcomed all in attendance and participants introduced themselves.

Mrs. Duwe went over the proposed bond measure going to the board in mid-October. She went through a power point that gave the history of the bond measures and how a bond measure works. She explained that this bond measure will primarily focus on new construction rather than modernization which the previous bond focused on. The new construction will take place mostly in SE Clovis where all the new construction is taking place. Some improvements would take place on the Valley Oak campus as well.

Mr. Westergaard had a few comments. He felt that we should be charging more in developer fees to account for the growth from the new home builds. He also felt that the city fees could help cover the costs as well. I told him I would send his comments along to the district level and let him know the response relative to that information. Mrs. Duwe handed out two informative flyers about the proposed bond going to the board.

The next topic on the agenda was multicultural education. Mrs. Duwe talked about the resources the teachers use to teach culture. At Valley Oak we have many different cultures and we try to teach with a wide range of activities that would have meaning and relevance to our students. Mrs. Duwe also discussed her PASA group and the discussions she has with this group of multicultural students. The group meets at least every quarter or more frequently as topics arise.

Mrs. Duwe gave a short presentation about digital citizenship and the age appropriate lessons that each child on campus has throughout the year. She encouraged parents to set boundaries and have discussions about devices their child use.

Mrs. Duwe asked those present to give her ideas for future meetings and concluded the meeting at 8:45.