

School Improvement Advisory Council
Meeting
Minutes

Galva Upper Elementary Commons Area
Galva, IA

May 23, 2019
7:00 p.m.

Members Present:

Community Members: Ken Seifried, Bob Butcher

Students: None

Teachers: Emily Stracke, Susan Kalin, and Lynn Wunschel

Administrators: Jon Wiebers, Mike Richard, Bret Warnke, and Sevond Cole

1. Call to order – Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.
2. Approval of agenda – Stracke motioned and Butcher seconded to approve agenda. Motion passed
3. Welcome – Superintendent Wiebers welcomed and thanked everyone for being in attendance.
4. Review Purpose of committee – Superintendent Wiebers reviewed the purpose of the group with members
5. Review/Discuss Wellness Policy – The Wellness Policy was reviewed with the committee. The committee members shared no suggestions to consider.
6. Review School Goals – The current SIAC goals recommend to school board were reviewed. Progress on each of the goals were shared.
7. Recommend Goals – Seifried motion and Wunschel seconded to continue with current goals with modification as noted.

Goals:

Continue to work on meshing Elementary Curriculum and aligning curriculum Kindergarten through 12th grade.

Continue to focus on rigorous curriculum in the areas of Math/Reading/Science with STEM activities.

Build and maintain a positive school culture and utilize local resources. (If the future we may want to identify specifics areas as we progress on this area)

Focus on High School long range student planning, including college prep courses, vocational tech opportunities, and career planning.

- a. **Market schools to attract new students and promote the Ridge View Schools**
- b. **Focus on Employment opportunities through academic opportunities in trade related fields.**

Continue to improve infrastructure for student learning. **Facility improvement is recommended for the industrial technology shop area and weight room. There is a high demand from the students for these classes so there is need for improvement for both size and safety reasons.**

- c. Ensure all students have access to devices on daily basis

- d. weight room
- e. wrestling room
- f. parking
- g. continue to update existing facilities

8. Meeting adjourned at 8:14 p.m.