PLCS Executive Board Meeting January 28 2009

Attendance: Christy Scadden, Marvin Estrin, Vicki Moats, Shelli Kurth, Polly Traylor,

Teresa Drew, Matt Spathas Guests: Carol Barry, Jeff Olivero

SIOs—Introduction to SIOs Mr. Olivero and Mr. Lorden

- 1. Mr. Lorden recently familiarized himself with our strategic plan and wants to facilitate a relationship between PLCS and SIOs.
- 2. 3 different SIOs for the elementary schools and 1 each for Correia and PLHS. Carol Barry is our single point of contact for elementary SIOs. Possible changes for next year.
- 3. Actions items to re-energize strategic plan with SIOs:
 - a. Websites –get all schools back on educational networks.
 - b. Cultural Change to digital literacy, green,
 - c. Synchronize communication within school/district/community (Friday notes for all SIOs?)
 - d. Reinstate English Learners meetings at St. Judes. (Jeff Olivero to speak to Christy)
 - e. SIOs attendance will encourage others to attend from community: validate PLCS. Shared vision
 - f. Recruiting for middle school: Make students want to come here not escape something.
 - g. Involve real estate agents in PR for our cluster (Jeff Olivero)
 - h. Articles for website from SIOs
 - i. Get elementary schools to PLHS
 - j. Teacher connect for all middle-high school students and parents
 - k. Road map for college admittance needed: 1 page of needs (GPA, Etc)

Parent Institute for Quality Education

Jeff Olivero

- 1. Company acts as the bridge between parents and the school.
- 2. Teach how to navigate the system to end up successfully completing school and college ready.
- 3. Parent education offered to close gap between those who "know" and those who don't.
- 4. J. Olivero and Carol Barry will try to get federal funding through Title 1 for this program.
- 5. Focus on lower-income and second language learners as these groups have the biggest lack of knowledge.

<u>Update on Point Loma High</u>: Jeff Olivero

- 1. Looking at Lucerne high school in Whittier. They arranged their whole school around incentives and consequences.
- 2. Older students partnering up with younger students to support rewards and consequences. Builds relationships with other students.

GATE Cluster Model

- 1. Meeting at Correia regarding the GATE program.
- 2. Correia re-vamping GATE plan using more innovation and allocating funds for new ideas.
- 3. Parents disappointed at the reorganization of the GATE plan at Correia.
- 4. SCIENCE meeting at Correia. Marvin putting together team of teachers rescience elective and advanced science class at Correia.

Action Items:

1. Exec Board needs to communicate to PLCS board to communicate with the SIO's re: our plans. Particularly in scheduling meetings and putting forth PLCS strategies. We are a solutions based group and need to work together.