

**Vista La Mesa  
School Site Council Minutes  
Sept. 29, 2014**

Principal: Bonita DeAmicis	X	Parent: Adrienne Dishon	X
Asst. Principal: Laurel Dehnel		Parent:	
Teacher: Kyle Griffith	X	Parent: Elena Zuniga	X
Teacher: Pierre Finney		Parent:	
Teacher: Sean Cawley	X	Community Member: Scott Harvell	
Staff Member: Tasha Whitley	X		

1. Call to Order at 3:06 p.m. ....Mr. Griffith, Chairperson
2. Approval of the Agenda ..... Chairperson

Motion by Mr. Cawley; Seconded by Ms. Dishon.

Discussion/amendments: None

Vote Aye: 6; Nay : 0

Underline one: Approved      Not Approved

3. Approval of Minutes from Sept. 9, 2014 meeting ..... Chairperson

Motion by DeAmicis; Seconded by Zuniga.

Discussion/amendments: It was noted that there is an error on action item 6 and the description should be removed to make the minutes clearer.

Vote Aye: 6; Nay : 0

Underline one: Approved      Not Approved

4. Public and Oral Communication ..... Chairperson  
No public comment.

5. Advisory Committee Reports ..... Chairperson

(ELAC, DELAC, GATE, ILT)

Committee	Notes
DELAC	Principal shared that DELAC is setting up another computer giveaway at VLMA and we look forward to seeing if more of our parents take advantage of this opportunity since it will be at our site.
ELAC	Principal shared that parenting classes regarding helping children make it to college are being offered to our ELAC Spanish Speaking parents and the district parent coordinator hopes to get the same classes for English speaking parents as well.

6. Action Items:

- 2013-14 SSC Bylaws

Motion by Mr. Cawley; Seconded by Ms. Zuniga.

Discussion/amendments: A question was asked about the family versus community member portion of membership in SSC. It was explained that in addition to family members, community members could also run as part of the council.

Attachments: **yes** or no Bylaws with revisions as agreed.

Vote Aye: 6; Nay : 0

Underline one: **Approved**

Not Approved

7. Information Items:

- School Plan for Student Achievement Draft

Discussion: Dr. DeAmicis walked members through the draft of the SPSA. SSC asked questions for clarifications and understood that a final draft would be available at the next meeting with highlighted changes. The draft would be approved on Oct. 20 and go to the district to be returned for any key revisions and final approval on Nov. 4.

8. SSC Member Announcements ..... Chairperson

- Upcoming Parent Involvement/Trainings—The Parent Leadership Academy is running at the district office—it trains parents to be leaders at school and advocates for children. Elena Zuniga is participating.
- School News-MESA begins tomorrow and Mr. Griffith shared with SSC how well our students performed in the competition last year.

9. Adjourned at 3:35 p.m. .... Chairperson