

Arthur E. Canty Elementary School
3740 N. Panama Ave., Chicago, IL 60634

Mrs. Jennifer Rath, Principal
Dr. Shannon Puckett, Assistant Principal

Mr. William Justiz, LSC Chair
Mr. Ronald Jacobson, LSC Vice-Chair
Mr. Ronald Yak, LSC Secretary

Local School Council Meeting

April 23, 2025 ~ 6:15pm ~ Multi-Purpose Room
Minutes

1. Call to Order @6:21pm

Chair

2. Roll Call

Secretary

William Justiz (WJ), Carolyn Potamitis (CP), Jennifer Rath (JR), Maria Carney (MC), Ronald Yak (RY), Erin Tedesso (ET),
Toni-Marie Wahlberg (TW), **Lacey Cluff (LC)**, Ronald Jacobson (RJ), Jia Le (Jay) Zhang (JZ), Karem Korkmaz (KK)

Members that are in italics, underline and bold were absent from the meeting

3. Approval of Agenda

Chair

First Motion: MC
Second Motion: ET
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

4. Approval of Minutes from last meeting

Chair

First Motion: JR
Second Motion: TW
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

5. Announcements/Introduction of Guests

Chair

None

6. Reports:

- a. **Chair:** No report
- b. **Principal:** Went over report
- c. **PPLC:** Committee met on April 16th with admin. Points were brought up and were discussed.
- d. **BAC:** Last meeting will be on May 8th.
- e. **LRE:** We are still not meeting 90 minutes of students' IEP.
- f. **Wellness Committee:** No report
- g. **Friends of Canty:** Went over report
- h. **PAC:** Last meeting will be on May 8th.
- i. **Field Committee:** No update

7. Old Business

Chair

a. Internal Accounts Report (March)

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: JR
Yes: CP, JR, MC, RY, TW, RJ, JZ, KK
No: None
Abstained: ET
Motion Passes

b. Fundraising Report/Update (if any)

Approval of Walk-A-Thon
First Motion: RY
Second Motion: MC
Yes: CP, JR, MC, RY, TW, RJ, JZ, KK
No: None
Abstained: ET
Motion Passes

8. New Business

Chair

a. Budget Transfers

None

b. Sweeping of Canty Budget Lines

RY motioned to give JR approval to sweep all lines of the budget with the understanding that a report is given to the LSC after until June 30, 2025.

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: KK
Yes: CP, JR, MC, RY, TW, RJ, JZ, KK
No: None
Abstained: ET
Motion Passes

c. Vacant Positions Discussion/Timeline/Advisement for SY 25-26 (2 Parent and 2 Community rep's)

Motion to start the process to look for 2 parent rep's and 2 community rep's.

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: MC
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

d. Discussion of next meeting

A discussion took place about the next few meetings dates.

May 21

June TBD

July 9

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: ET
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

9. Public Comment

Chair

Mr. Martinez spoke about the field and that he would like to help.

10. Closed Session for Principal Evaluation of Mrs. Rath @ 7:09pm

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: KK
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

11. Open Session for Principal Evaluation of Mrs. Rath @ 8:22pm

First Motion: ET
Second Motion: JZ
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

12. Approval of Principal Evaluation for Mrs. Rath

Chair

Motion to Approve Principal Evaluation

First Motion: RY

Second Motion: KK

Yes: CP, ET, MC, RY, TW, RJ, JZ, KK

No: None

Abstained: JR

Motion Passes

13. Announce the date of the next meeting

Chair

Next meeting will be on Wednesday, May 21, 2025 @ 6:15pm in MPR.

14. Adjournment @ 8:24pm

Chair

First Motion: ET
Second Motion: JZ
All in Favor: Yes
Motion Passes

Respectfully submitted by:

Ronald Yak
Secretary

Minutes approved without corrections
Date: June 2, 2025