



MINUTES

OES PTA VOTE

April 18, 2024

In Attendance

Vote held by email for budget increase for playground improvements. See attachments.

PTA Business

Vote by google form for budget increase.

SUMMARY: We have a very exciting opportunity to fund some playground improvements, but we need PTA members to vote before we can proceed. Vote [HERE!](#)

MORE INFO:

OES Administration worked with FCPS Facilities and provided a proposal of up to five additional playground equipment pieces for the main playground at OES. The total cost for all of the improvements is \$35,000.

Per the OES PTA's bylaws, any budget amendments over \$500 must be voted on and approved by PTA members. Thus, the PTA Board proposes to amend the 2023-2024 budget to include a line item for playground improvements. The PTA Board would like to use reserve funds to make an up front payment of \$35,000 but will conduct an armchair fundraiser to raise approximately \$15,000.

The draft budget with the proposed amendment can be found [HERE](#):

Voting is limited to PTA members. This [online form](#) will serve as your voting ballot. Please submit all responses by **COB Thursday, April 18, 2024**. The proposed amendment can only be approved if a majority of responses votes in favor.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Joy Park at president@oaktonpta.net or joypark@gmail.com.

Budget

See above for budget increase.

Results

SUMMARY: The budget amendment has been approved!

MORE INFO ON THE NUMBERS:

- We have 123 PTA members.
- 67 members submitted a vote.
 - 65 voted in favor of the budget amendment.
 - 2 voted against the budget amendment.

- The PTA bylaws provide that 10 members constitute a quorum. Since 67 members voted, we established quorum.
- For the budget amendment to pass, we needed a majority of the votes submitted needed to vote in favor of the amendment. Since 65/67 members voted in favor, the budget amendment passed.

If anyone has any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me!
Thank you for your participation!

Upcoming Events and Activities

WHAT'S NEXT?

Be on the lookout for info regarding the armchair fundraiser!

Hopefully we can also provide an update soon on when the equipment installation will take place/be completed.

See separate attachments of renderings of pieces to be added.

Next Meeting

May 29, 2024 we will vote in the new officers for next years board.