



January 2023 Southern Nevada Trades High School Update

Unique Conditions

- Plan for Principal Hiring Submitted September 30, 2022
- Memorandum of Understanding with ACE submitted November 30, 2022
- Revised Budget including ELL staff member submitted November 30, 2022
- By March 1, 2023, submit evidence Principal is hired

Facility

We have engaged Bob Gronauer, a land use and zoning attorney, to assist the school. On October 11th our team met with Commissioner Segerblom and determined that we would hold an initial neighborhood feedback meeting in November. We held the meeting on November 17th and it was very well attended by over 25 community members and a representative from the Commissioner's office. The team addressed concerns raised regarding traffic impacts and possible student misbehavior. We have received our hearing dates for our Special Use Permit, 2/16/23 at the Sunrise Manor Town Board and 3/8/23 at the County Commission.

We are working closely with Red Hook and the architectural team to meet a short construction time frame--expected to be four months. The project has two distinct phases with phase one meeting the minimum of classroom and admin space for our proposed opening.

Staffing

We had an initial group of 22 applicants for the position of principal. The Executive Director reviewed the submissions to ensure they met basic requirements of the position and forwarded 11 resumes on to the initial review team of Bob DeRuse and Adam Nicely from ACE, Cindi Rivera of Futuro and Shambrion Treadwell of Opportunity180. Feedback has been received and initial screening calls will be concluded and hiring committee interview dates set by 1/27/22.

Our next position to be posted is the registrar position to assist with enrollment beginning in March.

Students

We continue to partner with Latino Outreach Solutions and are tabling weekly at events including trunk or treat, Winter Wonderland, soccer games etc. We have also held parent meetings to re-engage the families who provided letters of interest for the application process. These efforts and our postcard mailer have resulted in over 50 new student interest forms in addition to our initial 100. We plan to open our application on February 1st.

Finances

The school is partnering with EdTec for our back-office services. To date our team has raised \$714,000 in unrestricted donations and received the full CSP grant of \$1,500,000.

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