

VASSILIADIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONAL TEAM (SOT) MINUTES
September 18, 2024 at 3:25 p.m. in the Library

SOT Members Present	Laura Gallagher, Rachel Levandusky, Becky Desautels, Tiffany Mehling, Madeline Ben-Shoham
Extended Team Present	Paul Catania, Nestor Pineda, Heather Musni, Lindsay Anton, Chara Mariani, Jeanine Gusmerotti, Tina Stevens, Unique Brown,
Absent Members	Stephanie Ashe, Aimee Levy, Vicki Vesp, Julie Moffett
Members of Public	Scott Cesarone, Tiffany Olson, Amanda Andreasen, Jolyn Smith

NEW BUSINESS

❖ **Budget Update**

- Due to district budget cuts, we had a \$541,331.19 deficit in our salary budget. This equates to 5 teacher salaries.
- A combination of Fund 161, ELL, and At Risk funding was used to pay salaries.
- With the funds from Fund 161 we are able to keep all staff and no changes will need to be made.
- Projecting the next two years, we will need to continue raising money to keep staffing the same.
- Admin will attend PTO meetings to discuss the importance of fundraising.

❖ **Staffing Updates**

- None

Future Business

- ❖ The SOT is scheduled to meet again on October 22, 2024 at 3:25 p.m. Agenda to follow.

The meeting lasted from 3:25 - 4:20 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Lindsay Anton