Urban Science Academy  
School Site Council Minutes  
February 16, 2017  

Attendees: Evan Chamblen, Jeff Cook, Ellen Steel, Blanca Burgos, and Olinka Briceno  

- Review and approved meeting minutes for January 2017, motion to approved meeting minutes for January 2017 by Evens – all accepted.  
- Soft Landing Request was denied, still waiting on an explanation from district. Discussion on brainstorming ideas to support next years cuts:  
  - How to better market ourselves, future conversations with SSC. In order to support recruitment efforts.  
  - How to maintaining elective options such as: sharing AP class or other classes with WRA.  
  - Computer Science Pathway Program – purchase supplies.  
  - Science Week was a success; we have about 17 students participating in the Citywide Science Fair, special lunch schedule for participating students on 3/3/17.  
  - Restorative Justice Circle, review feedback from student’s participation in it.  
  - MLK Day of Service, was a success 98 volunteers, 38 of them were students who suggested we have more days of service.  
  - Computer Science Career Panel, USA was able set up shadow appointments for students.  

- Next Steps  
  Branding ideas.  
  City year support  
  Upcoming Events