# "Strategic Initiatives of Local School Districts"

### **Legislative Education Study Committee**

## House Municipal Schools Presented by Bonnie Lightfoot August 15, 2018

#### Interesting Facts about House, New Mexico:

- •Founded by John and Lucie House
- •Post Office granted and established in 1906 (before NM statehood)

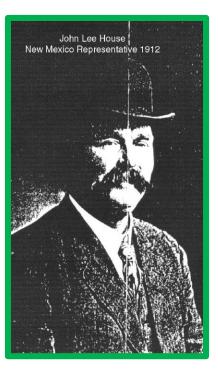
•John and Lucie are both buried in House, NM Cemetery



•John Lee House served as NM Representative in

1912







#### Interesting Facts about House Municipal Schools: <u>"Where Everyone is Someone Special"</u>

•147<sup>th</sup> smallest high school in NM of 160 schools ranked by NMAA

•First school in House, NM was built in 1921

Our Current Schools
House Elementary (PreK-6<sup>th</sup> Grade)
House Junior High (7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> Grade)
House High School (10<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> Grade)
The Learning Center ~Alternative School (9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade)

#### **House High School Athletics and Activities:**

•Co-op Athletic Program is vital to our athletes and opportunities for our high school students. Proud to have been a part of the Fort Sumner/House Co-op since 2013 for football.

 •2017 – 2018 House athletes were part of 3 State Championship Teams
& Class 2A – 11 man Football – First time in NMAA History a Co-op team won championship title

Class 2A Girls Basketball – First time in NMAA History a Co-op team won championship title

Class 2A Boys Basketball – First time in NMAA History a Co-op

team won championship title







House High School Athletics and Activities: •Fort Sumner/House Co-op 2A 11 man football 2018-2020

•Grady/House/San Jon Athletic Co-op Volleyball, Girls and Boys Basketball 2018 – 2020

•House Varsity and Junior High Track Team

•House FFA Chapter

•House BPA Chapter - Business Professionals of America

•House FCCLA Chapter (Family, Career and Community Leaders of America)

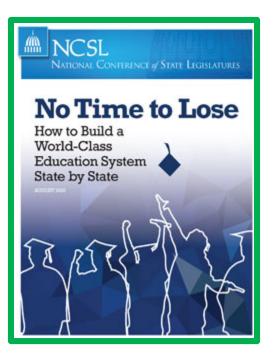
•House National Honor Society Chapter

•House Student Council

#### House Elementary Activities: •Elementary Art Program

- •Elementary Music Programs
- •Elementary Talent Show
- •Elementary Pee-Wee Athletic Programs
- •Elementary Reading-Bee
- •Archery sponsored by NM Game and Fish Department

## "No Time to Lose"



"We are discovering what seems to work. Common elements are present in nearly every world-class education system, including a <u>strong early</u> <u>education system</u>, a reimagined and professionalized teacher workforce, robust career and technical education programs, and a comprehensive, aligned system of education."

## "No Time to Lose"

We agree....

- 1. House Elementary School "D" in 2017
- 2. Current standing of students performing at grade level:
  - □ 2017 House Elementary School "F"
  - □ 2017 House Junior High School "F"
  - □ 2017 House High School "C"
- 3. Improvement of lowest performing students:
  - ✓ 2017 House Elementary School "D"
  - ✓ 2017 House Junior High School "F"
  - ✓ 2017 House High School "D"
- 4. 2017/2018 House High School identified as CSI School (Comprehensive Support and Improvement) due to consistently low graduation rate

- 1. <u>"Strong Early Education System"</u>
  - Pre-School program for 3yr/4yr offered once per week combined in our kindergarten classroom
    - Occupational Therapist
    - Physical Therapist
    - Speech Language Pathologist
    - Vision and Mobility Specialist

- 2. <u>"Professionalized Teacher Workforce"</u>
  - ✤ 2017-2018
    - Contracted with Cooperative Education Services (CES) SITE Team (School Improvement Technical Expertise) for 8 days of free professional development for ELA and math teachers K-12.
    - Primary training provided by CES-SITE Team was curriculum review and alignment to CCSS awareness.
    - Professional Development also focused on data analysis in PARCC, SBA, Istation, and MAPS to drive instruction.
    - NMPED provided a Reading Coach via Reads to Lead funds. Monthly data meetings resulted in greater accountability among elementary teachers. Students were taught how to set goals and track their own progress.
  - **\* 2018-2019** 
    - CSI Grant Awarded allows us to partner with Instructional Coach
    - CES-SITE Team will facilitate full vertical and horizontal alignment of ELA and Math curriculum K-12.
    - NextGen Science Standards ongoing training K-12

3. <u>"Career and Technical Education Programs"</u>

•House FFA Chapter celebrates 17/18 National FFA Agriscience Fair competitors.

•House BPA Chapter (Business Professionals of America). House Middle School BPA Chapter was established in 17/18 which was inline with the organization National focus.

•House FCCLA Chapter (Family, Career and Community Leaders of America). House student served as 17/18 State President.

- 4. <u>"Comprehensive, Aligned System of Education"</u>
  - Facilitated by CES and Instructional Coach, in SY 2018-2019, we will produce guiding documents in ELA and Math. As professionals, we anticipate this process of review and refinement to occur for 12 months, and beyond.
  - Teachers will use these documents to guide their ELA and Math instruction in CCSS at the appropriate grade levels K-12.
  - Teachers will be accountable to themselves, their students, families and parents. Teachers will also be accountable to each other.
  - A comprehensive, aligned system should be attainable with small staff.
    - House Elementary = 4 Teachers
    - House Junior High and House High School = 7 Teachers
    - The Learning Center = 3 Teachers
  - 43% of House teachers are Level III and are expected to serve as leaders and role models in our school.

### House Schools Systems addressing "No Time to Lose" House Schools 2017-2018

- ✓ Strong Early Education System YES
- Professionalized Teacher Workforce YES
- ✓ Career and Technical Education Programs YES
- ✓ Comprehensive, Aligned System of Education YES
- ✓ Honest Conversations YES
- ✓ Collaborative Efforts YES
- ✓ Student Engagement at Higher Degree YES
- ✓ Dedicated Teachers YES

## What happened???

#### 10 Highest-Performing School Districts in Terms of Growth '17-'18 and '15-'18 English Language Arts

Code	School District	ELA 2-Yr Change	Code	School District	ELA 4-Yr Change
50000	House Municipal Schools	29.5%	14000	Melrose Public Schools	30.6%
16000	Fort Sumner Municipal Schools	17.6%	52000	San Jon Municipal Schools	24.9%
77000	Peñasco Independent Schools	12.9%	27000	Roy Municipal Schools	22.7%
7000	Lake Arthur Municipal Schools	10.8%	10000	Springer Municipal Schools	17.6%
14000	Melrose Public Schools	8.7%	26000	Vaughn Municipal Schools	17.4%
85000	Des Moines Municipal Schools	8.5%	50000	House Municipal Schools	17.2%
52000	San Jon Municipal Schools	8.1%	51000	Logan Municipal Schools	16.7%
58000	Elida Municipal Schools	7.1%	18000	Hatch Valley Public Schools	16.4%
26000	Vaughn Municipal Schools	6.6%	38000	Corona Municipal Schools	16.3%
84000	Clayton Municipal Schools	6.3%	59000	Floyd Municipal Schools	15.9%

#### 10 Highest-Performing Schools in Terms of Growth '17-'18 and '15-'18 English Language Arts Small Schools < 100 Students (Assessed)

Code	School	N Total	ELA 2-Yr Change	Code	School	N Total	ELA 4-Yr Change
50059	House Elementary School	8	50.0%	14093	Melrose Junior High	32	65.1%
7073	Lake Arthur Elementary School	17	34.5%	46057	High Rolls Mountain Park Elementary School	10	60.0%
56003	Lindrith Area Heritage	13	30.8%	68157	Union Elementary School	80	41.5%
79039	Rio Costilla Southwest Learning Academy	20	30.0%	25020	Anton Chico Middle School	36	39.5%
16060	Fort Sumner Middle School	56	29.2%	86018	Los Lunas Family School	36	37.6%
50058	House Junior High School	14	28.6%	50059	House Elementary School	8	34.6%
78047	El Rito Elementary School	11	27.3%	30017	Animas High School	71	31.1%
77128	Peñasco Middle School	60	26.9%	16060	Fort Sumner Middle School	56	29.9%
46057	High Rolls Mountain Park Elementary School	10	25.7%	52145	San Jon High School	25	29.8%
37036	Carrizozo High School	42	24.5%	48038	Cloudcroft Elementary School	72	29.1%

#### 10 Highest-Performing Schools in Terms of Growth '17-'18 and '15-'18 Mathematics Small Schools < 100 Students (Assessed)

Code	School	N Total Math	Math 2-Yr Change	Code	School	N Total Math	Math 4-Yr Change
7073	Lake Arthur Elementary School	17	40.8%	3045	Datil Elementary School	12	58.3%
46057	High Rolls Mountain Park Elementary School	10	40.0%	52144	San Jon Elementary School	34	37.6%
19018	Alta Vista Early College High School	46	37.8%	85045	Des Moines High School	38	35.3%
50059	House Elementary School	8	33.3%	68125	Tony Serna Jr. Elementary School	85	34.1%
27135	Roy Elementary School	21	31.7%	19018	Alta Vista Early College High School	46	30.0%
56003	Lindrith Area Heritage	13	30.8%	7073	Lake Arthur Elementary School	17	29.8%
78047	El Rito Elementary School	11	27.3%	88152	San Rafael Elementary School	43	29.0%
52001	San Jon Middle School	30	27.0%	68157	Union Elementary School	80	28.8%
3045	Datil Elementary School	12	25.0%	43132	Ramah Elementary School	74	28.0%
8047	Eagle Nest Elementary School	40	22.8%	74079	Midway Elementary School	45	28.0%

### Thank you LESC!! It's good to be House Cowboys and Cowgirls!!

