I. Rebecca Garcia called meeting to order at 6:37pm with 10 attendees.

II. October meeting minutes were approved.

III. PRINCIPAL UPDATE
   • Principal Ostrom discussed PBL as part of STEM Vision and curriculum.
   • Principal presented information on PBL resource teacher Sara Waldron.

IV. BUDGET DISCUSSION AND VOTE
   • Allocation of funds for PBL resource teacher Sara Waldron was unanimously passed.

V. FUNDRAISING UPDATE
   • Direct Give is at $28,000.
   • Chinook Books available.

VI. ADVOCACY UPDATE
   • 2016-17 Bell Times – board did not vote on bell times. In last revision all bell times were moved back 5 mins. so STEM is now 9:35am to 4:05pm. Some tier 3 schools might be moved into Tier 1 or 2. 11/18 is the new vote date.
   • Student Assignment Plan – board did not vote on assignment plan (guides student pathways). K-8 students may not be guaranteed a spot in their area Middle School. Waitlists will clear on May 31.
   • Next meeting, Literacy campaign. Move PTA meeting because of Book Fair conflict?

VII. ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS
   • Jan 14 - PBL Night.
   • Harvest Festival Potluck - thank you organizers.
   • Family Movie Night, November 20 – 4th grade fundraiser for Islandwood trip.
   • Veterans Day Assembly on Monday at 9:45, performances.
   • December 3 & 4 – Scholastic Book Fair.
   • December 10 - Grease showcase for students
   • December 12 - Grease performance
   • December 18 - Guest Author for kids. Science writer. Kelly Milner-Halls
VIII. ADDITIONAL BUSINESS OR QUESTIONS

• Helen Green asked about the status of the STEM 5 Year Plan - Principal Ostrom replied that it is no longer a living document. The STEM 5 Year Plan evolved into the STEM K-8 Vision.

IX. Poem

• Principal Ostrom recited the poem My People by Langston Hughes.

X. Adjourned at 7:50

Respectfully submitted by Helen Green, PTA Secretary.