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## LINDEN S.T.E.A.M. ACADEMY

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> Linden STEAM Academy Governing Board Agenda January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ 5:45pm Linden STEAM Academy Library

1. Call-to-Order at 5:55

John Murray, Elaine Ritterhaus, Tim Ruggere, Cynara Cannatella, Jessica Leggett, Eden Garhart-Smith, Kenya Avant, John Froio, Justin Umlah, Callie Walsh, Vetsetnet DePabachewek

- 2. Approval of Minutes from December
- John Murray motions to approve, Elaine Ritterhaus seconded, motion passes
- 3. Ongoing Business
  - a. Governing Board Goals (Short Term / Long Term/ End Dates)
    - Add a long term goal to weight future of the Innovation status
    - Add a short time goal to fix parent election process
    - 3 overarching themes
      - Continuing the AEP program
      - Look at the structure of the GB
      - Parent/Family 2 way communication
        - GB, academics, social/emotional learning
- 4. Update on Subcommittees and meeting dates
  - Check with union on open meeting law
    - 1. Parent Engagement
      - a. Tuesday, January 22nd at 6pm (potentially need agenda)
    - 2. AEAP
      - b. Feb 5th at 2:45
    - 3. Governing Board Bylaws
    - 4. Grants
      - c. Date tbd

## 4. New Business

- a. February PD based off Lisa Dieker
  - i. Floors would like the opportunity to meet and discuss behaviors/expectations to get through the rest of the year and their can be more uniformity
  - ii. There will be a new plan for behavior for the 2019/2020 school year

## 5. Administrator's Report

- a. Received \$60,000 STEM grant to start a Makerspace
- 6. Public Comment
  - a. Minutes are not getting on the school website quickly enough
- 7. Personal Privilege
  - a. Kenya researched parent parity and will send the documents for research
- 8. Adjournment
  - a. Motion to adjourn John Froio, seconded by Callie Walsh, Motion carries (6:55 pm)