

# **Longfellow Middle School PTA General Meeting Minutes Monday, March 20, 2017**

## **Call to Order and Welcome**

President Elizabeth Hale called the meeting to order at 9:36 a.m. Approximately 19 members were in attendance—attendance sheets are attached.

## **Approval of Minutes**

- MOTION: To approve the minutes of January 23, 2017 -- Motion (Jennifer Von Elm) and Second (Trish Downey)
- VOTE: Motion carried on voice vote
- RESOLVED: Minutes from the January 2017 meeting were approved without modification

## **Business**

- None taken up

## **Treasurer**

Lisa Hilliard provided budget update. Fundraiser at Chipotle raised over \$1,000. Amazon has raised \$3,000 for the year. The PTA has paid out \$4,000 in teacher grants.

Contributions to various funds are down and it is expected PTA will be unable to make a significant monetary contribution for technology.

## **Program Reports**

VP of Programs Noelle Soobert and chairs reported on various PTA programs:

- The Eighth Grade Part is scheduled for June 22. The event will be held at McLean High School. Parent volunteers are needed to make the party a success.
- How to Thrive at Longfellow is scheduled for April 27.
- Heritage Night was a big success with a large crowd of students and parents attending the March 17 event. Chair Lamia Sarver credited strong student involvement for much of the success. The PTA members thanked her for the leadership she provided for the event.
- Donations are being sought for the Spring fund drive for Longfellow Love program which provides assistance for LMS families in need.

**Action:** The meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Vance Gore, PTA Secretary