January Minutes

Attendees: Candyce Lee, Merissa Graves, Taylor Tate, Brian Jenson, Miriam Luna, Keith Larson, Elyse Tate, Heather Nicholas

Meeting Notes:

Reviewed December 1st Minutes: Approved by Brian, seconded by Candyce.

- Emergency Evacuation Drill Preparedness location was approved by Heather Nicholas, Ruth Riches, and Keith Larson. Administrative assistant Alicia was given a key card to access the emergency facility, a neighborhood church.
- District Presentation from the Parkside Community Council
 - Taylor will contact the board to be placed on the agenda.
 - Positive Momentum Happenings @ Parkside
 - Increase in test scores
 - Positive behavior plan is working
 - Half day kindergarten teacher was added
 - International Cultural Festival to support community diversity
 - After school programs
 - Annual School Plays
 - Differentiators
 - SPED
 - MLLs- Multi Language Learners
 - Economically Disadvantaged
 - Requests
 - Modify funding formula to address at-risk schools and increase their level of staffing.
 - Provide teacher retention bonuses that increase with longevity.
 - Review staffing levels throughout the year to make adjustments as necessary.
 - Prioritize and accelerate the infrastructure master plan.
 - Prior to new school construction, revisit boundaries.

Motion to adjourn the meeting made by Keith, seconded by Taylor.