

EMLA General Membership Meeting Minutes

January 28, 2018

9:25 AM in High School Choir Room

1. **Secretary's Report**
 - 8/28/17 Secretary Report – approved
 - \$200 donated to Cora Gibbs (email vote)
 - \$200 donated to Diego Vazquez (email vote)
2. **Treasurer's Report**
 - Treasurer's Report - approved
 - Budget Report - approved
3. **President's Report**
 - HVTU Fall Drive-In
 - HTVU Holiday Dinner
 - Education Minnesota Dues Review Committee
4. **Political Convention**
 - Lori and Kevin attended
 - Make sure to vote!
5. **Audit Committee**
 - Audit is complete.
 - Motion to accept the audit approved.
6. **Education MN Representative Convention**
 - April 27 – 28 (Bloomington, MN)
 - Our local may elect one delegate and one alternate
 - Matthew Wilmes (chair) is elected as delegate
 - Lori Anderson is elected as alternate
7. **National Education Association Representative Assembly**
 - June 30 – July 5, 2018
 - Our local can send as many as we'd like – we have to have 5 – 7 delegates.
 - EM is looking for volunteers to work at the national event
8. **Precinct Caucuses on Feb. 8th**
 - 7 PM – straw poll for Governor
9. **Reminders:**
 - Ask for representation at any meeting with Administration (Brian Menk or Matthew Wilmes)
 - Contract hours:
 - 30 minutes before day starts
 - 15 minutes after teaching day ends
 - As soon as students leave on Friday
 - Tax deduction for union dues

10. Licensure Update

- Name change to Professional Licensing and Educator Board
- Make sure to keep your license current!
- New requirement: cultural competency

11. Meeting adjourned at 9:50 AM.