**Ernest McGowen Elementary School**

SDMC Minutes

Date: 12/21/22

Time: 3:05pm

Meeting began with Mr. Whitaker welcoming everyone in attendance and providing a reflection on the first semester of the year. He stated that students were showing progress based on Interim Assessment results and interventions were in place for areas of need. He also stated the campus was on target with the budget with enrollment numbers yielding additional funding for the Spring Semester. Ms. Brown inquired about funding for additional technology as the campus was still not 1:1. Mr. Whitaker stated that the campus was acquiring 75 additional chrome books to close the technology gap. Mr. Whitaker spoke regarding the Spring Semester and the need for additional tutoring to help address the learning gaps in 3rd through 5th grade in preparation for STAAR. Mr. Whitaker also discuss the need for additional campus volunteers and current work with the FACE department to form an active PTO. Polar Express Day was highlighted a helping to boost the campus attendance for December which is usually very low. Mr. Whitaker concluded the meeting with campus safety expectations during the break and a quick review of the January Calendar.