**Louisiana PTA Board of Directors Meeting Minutes October 7, 2024 at 6:00**

**Call to Order** by Beth Maillho at 6:02pm

**Attendance –** Beth, Philip, Jessica; a quorum was not established.

**Secretary’s Report** – Minutes are posted at LouisianaPTA.org/lapta but were not approved.

**Treasurer’s Report** – Hancock Whitney $10,615; Raymond James $168,207

**President’s Report**

* NPTA Oct 24 Event at 9am - noon in NOLA - who wants to attend? Open to ANY PTA person
* NPTA Professional Development Institute on Oct 26 [register here](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/M2QHMJX) Agenda with Eastern Times:
* NPTA Training for LAPTA requirements needs to be scheduled around **Nov 18 – 21.**
* State Capacity Building $10K Grant will be applied for.
* Re-engaging with Pinecrest Elem/Mid PTA and Caddo Virtual Academy PTSA

**VP and Committee Chair Reports**

* Affiliation – Creekside re-engaging; Chahta Ima working hard; Slidell High won’t respond
* Membership – 4245 members/11,000 goal
* Reflections – Theme Search due Nov 18
* Contests – Safety Posters due Oct 18
* Grants – Literacy Grant deadline is Nov 22
* Healthy Minds – Oct 10 is World Mental Health Day; PTA Connected programming for people about social media and mental health this semester

**Adjourned** at 6:45pm.