

Board Meeting

December 2, 2016



IDAHO
STEM
ACTION CENTER

Room WW17

1:00 - 4:00 pm

Welcome back Finia!



Welcome to the team Stephanie Lee

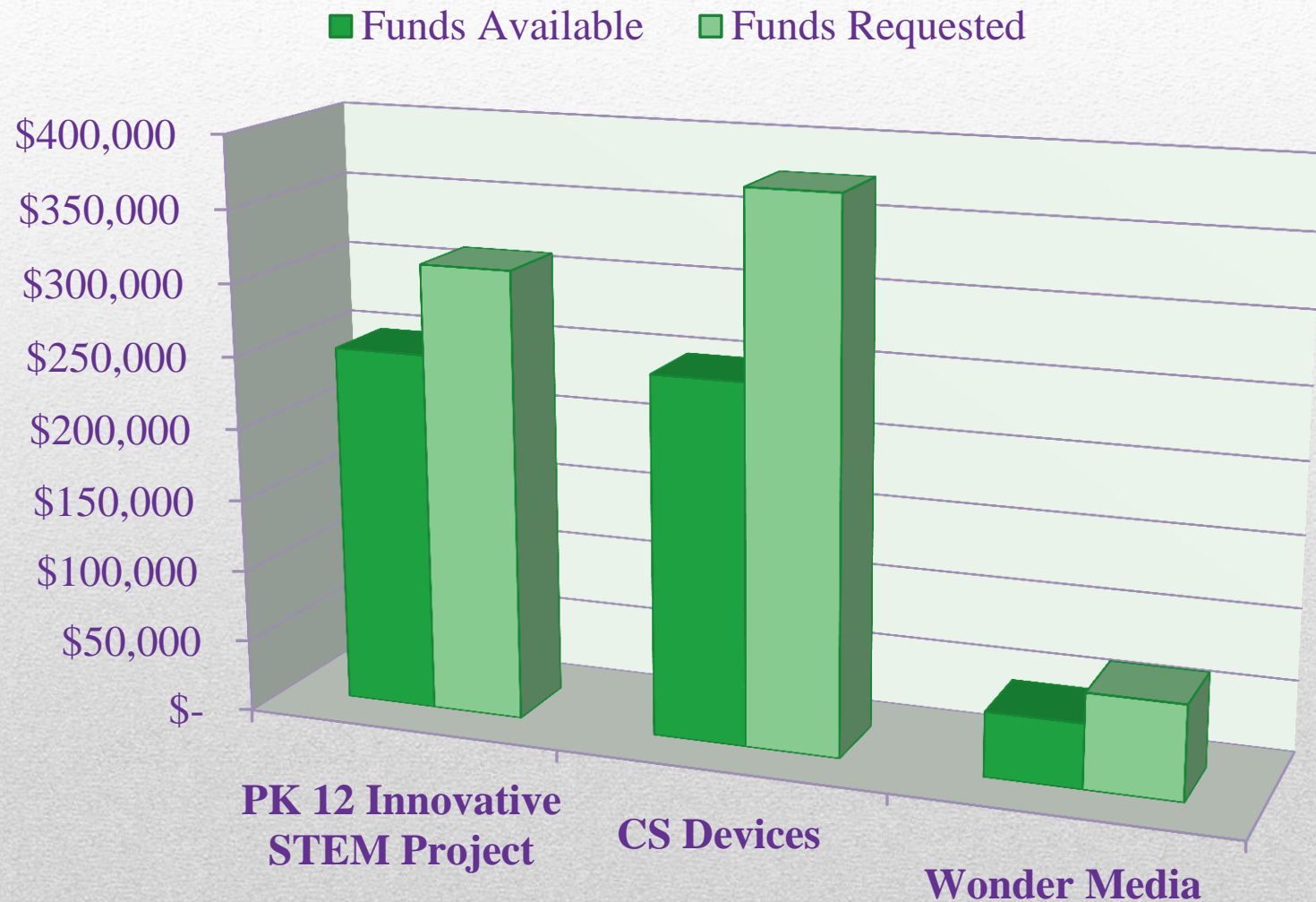
GOAL #1: Coordinate and facilitate implementation of STEM programs throughout Idaho

- Idaho Science and Engineering Fairs
- DCI + AT&T Grant and Coding Camp
- FIRST Robotics Grant and Recruitment
- CS Device and PK12 Innovative STEM Grants



- PD Initiative – high quality STEM/CS PD
 - Community Maker Kits Pilot
 - Wonder Media Story Maker™ Pilot
 - BotBall PD and Showcase
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PK12 & Device Grant Update



GOAL #2: Align education and workforce needs throughout Idaho



- Hour of Code Events
- CS Co-Op and UI
- Expansion of CS Endorsement

- Project-Based Virtual Mentorship Platform Update
- Oracle – Alice, Greenfoot, and Java Fundamental Training



GOAL #3: Increase awareness of STEM throughout Idaho

- **White House** visit with IDLA and Code.org
- **Presentations:** STEMx National Conference, Idaho School Boards, Delta Kappa Gamma, Maker Day
- **Marketing Plan** with ITC and Industry



- Working on **Media Coverage** for PK12, Device, Wonder Media and PD Initiative
- **STEM Matters at the Capitol**, Tuesday January 24th

STEM Awareness in Idaho

Subcommittee on STEM Awareness

- Working on templates now
 - Will send out asap



FY18 Budget

Request:

- Funding to remain at FY17 levels and become ongoing
- New FT staff member - Grants and Contracts Operations Analyst

Predictable budget & additional staff facilitates planning and maximizes the Center's efficiency.

JFAC Presentation Updates

No PPT allowed

- Q&A presentation focusing on FY16, FY17, then FY18
 - Working on FY16 and FY17 impact data and numbers now
 - Three Successes from FY17 (July 1 – Jan 1)
 - Grants Supported
 - Professional Development Offered
 - Events Hosted: Community, Camps and Competitions
 - Others?
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STEM Matters Day at the Capitol

Tuesday, January 24th from noon-4pm

- Can you attend?
- Do you have suggestions for invites?



FY18 Legislation

DRAFT - STEM School Designation

- See Handout
- No new appropriation, would use STEM AC funds if subcommittee determines awards should also be monetary



Legislation

Public Comment



Upcoming Events

One-On-One Calls: Jan 30 – Feb 10

Pre-Legislative Session Meeting

January 10th, 1:00 - 4:00pm
