## Supporting Information for: Li<sub>15</sub>P<sub>4</sub>S<sub>16</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub>, a lithium chloro-thiophosphate as a solid-state ionic conductor

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Figure S1. Difference Fourier maps used to identify Li sites generated from synchrotron X-ray diffraction data (left, where white regions indicate positive difference peaks associated with the Li electron density) and time-of-flight neutron diffraction data (right, where white regions indicate negative peaks associated with the Li coherent nuclear scattering length density). The residual positions from both X-ray diffraction and neutron diffraction matches well with the refined positions from Rietveld refinement.

a = 14.3066(4) Å

Site	Wyck.	Х	У	Z	Occ.	$B_{iso}(Å^2)$
Li(1)	12a	0.00000	0.25000	0.37500	1	3.65(48)
Li(2)	48e	0.1427(13)	0.2082(15)	0.5921(19)	1	3.65(48)
<b>S</b> (1)	16c	0.0322(2)	0.0322(2)	0.0322(2)	1	1.35(7)
S(2)	48e	0.1086(2)	0.3428(3)	0.4721(2)	1	1.35(7)
Cl(1)	12b	0.00000	0.25000	0.87500	1	2.23(17)
P(1)	16c	0.1996(2)	0.1996(2)	0.1996(2)	1	1.18(13)

Table S1. Refined structure of  $Li_{15}P_4S_{16}Cl_3$  using synchrotron diffraction data ( $\lambda = 0.24116$  Å).

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Fig. S2. Nyquist plot of Li<sub>15</sub>P<sub>4</sub>S<sub>16</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub> at 30 °C.



Fig. S3. The Mean-squared Displacement-time (MSD-t) relationship