

Policy/Communications MINUTES

ZOOM Meeting

Wednesday, December 21, 2022

5:00 PM

Mrs. Brooks called the Policy/Communications subcommittee meeting to order at 5:01 pm

Present: Debbie Brooks, Amy Foster, Sharon Butow. Superintendent Dr. John Barile and Lisa Gramling

The subcommittee welcomed Sharon Butow as its newest member

Public Comment

None

A. Foster moved, S. Butow seconded, and the subcommittee voted unanimously to approve the minutes of the November 30, 2022 subcommittee meeting.

POLICY

DISCUSSION NON- RESIDENT TUITION POLICY #5118.111 (NOT REQUIRED OR RECOMMENDED)

The subcommittee discussed Policy #5118.111, Non-Resident Tuition. Dr. Barile made the recommendation to the subcommittee to lower the tuition rate for employees who do not reside in Brookfield but would like their children to attend the Brookfield schools, from 25% of the yearly rate to 10%.

After discussion, D. Brooks moved, S. Butow seconded, and the subcommittee voted unanimously to bring this policy to the full Board for a first reading on January 4, 2023.

After further discussion, D. Brooks moved, S. Butow seconded, and the subcommittee voted unanimously to amend the previous motion, and bring this policy forward to the full Board on Wednesday, January 18, 2023 instead of January 4, 2023.

DISCUSSION OF FERPA, RESTRAINT & SECLUSION & BULLYING

Dr. Barile reported that Policy #5125- FERPA (required), Policy #5144.1, Restraint & Seclusion (required), and Policy # 5131.911, Bullying (required) are currently being reviewed by the attorney. Dr. Barile will bring these policies back to the subcommittee when that review is complete.

DISCUSSION OF POLICY#6162.51, SURVEY OF STUDENTS

The subcommittee continued its discussion of Policy #6162.51, Survey of Students. This policy was brought to the Board for a first reading on November 16, 2022, and the Board had further discussion at its December 14, 2022 meeting. The Board requested that the Policy/Communications subcommittee take this policy back for discussion at its next meeting.

After discussion, D. Brooks moved, A. Foster seconded, and the subcommittee voted unanimously to bring Policy #6162.51, Survey of Students, back to the full Board for a final reading on January 4, 2023.

COMMUNICATIONS

Superintendent Barile gave an update on the webpage. Principals are talking to the webpage company to update where they can. Discussion continues on the current webpage vendor and moving forward with updates/enhancements.

Dr. Barile gave an update on the videos being made to spotlight the schools.

The Public Budget Hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, January 4, 2023 at 6:00 pm in the BHS Media Center.

ADJOURNMENT

Without objection, Mrs. Brooks adjourned the meeting at 6:03 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa Gramling, Board Clerk