

Policy/Communications Meeting

MINUTES

Wednesday, December 15, 2021

6:00 PM

Mrs. Brooks called the Policy/Communications subcommittee meeting to order at 6:10pm

Present: Debbie Brooks, Amy Foster, Superintendent Dr. John Barile, Director of Operations Ken Post and Lisa Gramling.

Mike Murphy arrived at 6:27pm

PUBLIC COMMENT

Rosa Fernandes spoke about the School Library Media policy

POLICY

Discussion of Policy#1330- Use of Buildings & Letter of Appeal from the Girl Scouts

The subcommittee discussed the Use of Building Policy and the letter of appeal the district received from the Girl Scouts. Mr. Post handed out the invoicing for building usage from 2018/2019 which showed the organizations who use the school buildings and what they pay. After further discussion, Mrs. Brooks tabled the discussion until the committee receives further information.

Discussion of Policy #6563- School Library Media

The subcommittee heard an overview from Dr. Barile. Mrs. Fernandes shared with the committee what was discussed at the CAPE subcommittee meeting regarding School Library Media. She also proposed new language to be added to the existing policy.

After discussion, D. Brooks moved, A. Foster seconded, and the subcommittee voted 3-0 to bring Policy #6563 to the full Board with the recommended additional language regarding Appeals to Challenged Library Materials for a first reading on January 5, 2022.

Mrs. Fernandes left the meeting at 6:49pm

Prioritize adoption of mandated policies per CABE's recommendation (possible motion to the full Board) and update prioritized policies per CABE's recommendation (possible motion to the full Board)

The subcommittee discussed the CABE mandated policies missing from the Brookfield Public Schools Policy Manual as well as the updating the prioritized policies as recommended by CABE. The subcommittee will review the missing mandated policies and come back to the next Policy/Communications subcommittee meeting with any suggestions/changes.

COMMUNICATIONS

None

ADJOURNMENT

Without objection, Mrs. Brooks adjourned the subcommittee meeting at 6:53pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa Gramling, Board Clerk