

**Avella Area School District**  
**Safety Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**Friday, November 8, 2019 8:00 a.m.**

**I. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Shola at 8:04 a.m.

**II. Roll Call**

Cyril Walther	Brian Smitsky	JT Mylan
Officer Shephard	Laura Shola	
Sheryl Wright-Brown	Zack Zebrasky	

**III. Introduction of Visitors**

**IV. Review and Approval of Minutes**

A motion was made to approve the safety committee meeting minutes from October 5, 2019 by Mr. Smitsky and was seconded by Mr. Mylan.

**V. Unfinished Business**

The emergency drill took place in both buildings. It was a suspicious package drill. The next safety drill will occur after the Christmas holiday break.

The district received quotes for a replacement playground slide. The AEC is donating \$4,000 towards the cost of the slide. The slide will be ordered and directed to not ship the slide until after March 1<sup>st</sup>.

**VI. Review of Accidents**

**VII. Review of Facilities Inspections**

The only issue noted in the elementary center is the back stairwell stair treads. On two of the steps the non-slip grip is peeling up.

The only issue noted in the jr./sr. high school is the back entrance door slamming shut forcefully.

**VIII. New Business**

Mr. Walther wrote the safety grants for this school year. The guaranteed portion of the grant was written for vape detectors for the bathrooms and locker rooms and door prop alarms. The second portion of the grant that is competitive was written for new bus cameras, new radios, and a mental health counselor to work with students two days per week.

**IX. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:32 a.m.