

Curriculum Committee
of the
Hamden Board of Education

November 29, 2023 - Zoom

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chairman Peter Downhour called the meeting to order at 18:05

Roll Call - Committee Members Present: Peter Downhour and Mariam Khan
Board Members: no additional

Staff Members and guest: Gary Highsmith, Superintendent, Linda Tran, Assistant Superintendent, Erin Bailey, Assistant Superintendent, Lejla and Helena, Students, Jasmina Besirevic, Parent, Elisa James, Media Specialist, Donna Mauro, EL Specialist and Curriculum leader, and Elizabeth Lapman Director of World Languages

II. Public comments on information and action items – none

III. Additions to the Agenda – None

IV. Information Items:

A. Sharing of Italy Trip Experience Presentation

Students Lejla and Helena presented their Italy experience (slides presented).

B. Program Updates from our Multilingual Learners Department

Presentation by Elizabeth Lapman and Donna Mauro (slides presented)

V. Action Items

A. Media Department Book Discards – Helen Street and Dunbar Hill

Motion by Peter Downhour to approve Book Discards – Helen Street and Dunbar Hill as presented, second Miriam Khan

Passes- 2 Yes, 0 No.

VI. Board Member Comment

VII. Motion to adjourn by Peter Downhour

Adjourned 19:03