

The Subcommittee on School Committee Policies met on Friday, December 10, 2021, in the Virtual Zoom Meeting. Present were Chair Kathy Bent, Meg Mayo-Brown, Jane Moynihan, Dave Anthony, William Cole, and Jen Kruczek. Peter Goode and Jim Hardy were not present.

Ms. Bent called the meeting to order at 12:45PM.

Continue Review Policies in Section E (Support Services) of the School Committee Policy Manual

- The Committee discussed the policies in Section E:
 - ❖ EEAG – Mr. Anthony stated the use of pool vehicles is not covered. Town vehicles are insured under the policy. Liability travels with the vehicle and not the person. One on one situation could occur and cause other issues. The language was changed to “or other vehicles, including those rented/leased by the district” and changed language to “school sponsored”, added “driven by staff” in opening paragraph. Changed regulations to procedures in number 1. In number 2, added “or designee”. Owner of the vehicle must comply with the District’s procedures. Changed number 3 language to include must submit written approval. The Committee spoke about kids driving other kids. Parents will need to give permission if their child is allowed to get into another student’s car. Changed language in the second part. The Committee agreed to the changes.
 - ❖ Dave Anthony left the meeting.
 - ❖ EFD – The Committee agreed to move this policy to the next meeting when Jim Hardy was present.

Review Policies in Section G (Personnel) of the School Committee Policy Manual

- Bill Cole joined the meeting.
 - ❖ GA – The Committee agreed to change the learning program to effectively educating students.
 - ❖ GBA – The Committee agreed to use the MASC policy.
 - ❖ GBA-1 – The Committee agree to change in two to use “professional development” and remove three.
 - ❖ GBD – No changes were made.
 - ❖ GBEA – The Committee changed “problems” to “areas” and “time” to “day”. They removed the paragraph about a fine for accepting gifts and added a paragraph about the State Ethics Commission online training. They are using the MASC last paragraph instead of the one in Barnstable’s policy. The Committee agreed to the changes.
 - ❖ GBEB – The Committee agreed to use the MASC policy.
 - ❖ GBEBD – No changes were made.
 - ❖ GBEC – The Committee agreed to changes in the language in number 2, 3, 4, and 5.
 - ❖ GBED – The Committee agreed to use the MASC policy.
 - ❖ GBEF – The Committee agreed to update language to modern times.
 - ❖ GBGB – The Committee will start with this policy at its next meeting.

Future Meeting Dates

- The Committee agreed on the future meeting dates: January 14, 2022; February 11, 2022; March 11, 2022; April 8, 2022; and May 13, 2022.

Approval of Minutes

- Motion by Ms. Moynihan, seconded by Dr. Mayo-Brown, and the Committee unanimously approved the Minutes of October 8, 2021.

Motion by Ms. Moynihan, seconded by Ms. Bent, and the Committee voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting Adjourned at 2:31PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jen Kruczek
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