CHERRY HILL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

POLICY AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Monday, September 30, 2024 – 6:00pm - 7:00pm Arthur Lewis Administration Building – Board Room

CHAIRPERSON: Joel Mayer

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Kim Gallagher, Quadsia Niaz, Gina Winters

ADMINISTRATIVE LIAISON: Dr. Farrah Mahan

Agenda

1. Discussion and Information

a. Student Mental Health Days

b. HIB letters

c. School Calendars 2025-2026 & 2026-2027

d. All Policies - Update to reflect PreK-12

e. Week of Respect and School Violence Awareness Week

2. First Readings:

3. Second Readings:

a. P0141 - Board Member Number and Term (Revised)

b. P3160 - Physical Examination (M / Revised)

c. P4160 - Physical Examination (M / Revised)

d. P5337 - Service Animals (Revised)

e. P5350 – Student Suicide Prevention (M / Revised) (Note

 This policy change is to reflect the revisions to NJSA
 18A:6-112, which requires the Board to adopt policies
 and procedures for staff to report attempted or completed
 suicides.)

f. P8420 – Emergency and Crisis Situations (M / Revised)

g. P8467 – Firearms and Weapons (M / Revised)

h. P9181 – Volunteer Athletic Coaches and Co-curricular Activity Advisors/ Assistants (Revised)

Additional Information Items

- 1. Old Business
- 2. New Business
- 3. Public Comment (Time Permitting)
- 4. Future Topics

Mr. Mayer

Dr. Mahan

District Goals for 2020-2025

Building upon our strong foundations of academic excellence, inclusion, voice, and cultural proficiency, we will:

- Create frameworks of learning and supports for all students to develop the skills needed for social and emotional wellness. (Goal #1: Student Wellness)
- Develop highly engaging learner-centered experiences within an environment that promotes voice, choice, and passion for learning. (Goal #2: Purpose & Passion)
- Provide resources, opportunities, and experiences for our students to connect to the world beyond their classrooms and to become informed and empathetic agents of change in the world. (Goal #3: Connecting Beyond Our Classrooms)