

RyeNeck Schools

**RYE NECK UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
300 HORNIDGE ROAD
MAMARONECK, NEW YORK 10543
BOARD OF EDUCATION
POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING
JANUARY 27, 2026**

Present: Trustee Ruth Homberg
Laurel Ryan, Community Representative
Mr. Michael Burke, Superintendent of Schools
Carolyn Mahar, Assistant Superintendent for Business
Corinne Ryan, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction
Mary Ellen Chiera, District Clerk

I. Opening of Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m.

II. Approval of Minutes

Upon motion duly made by Trustee Homberg and seconded by Mrs. Ryan, it was

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Policy Committee meeting of November 24, 2025 be approved.

AYES: All Present
NAYES: None

III. Discussion

Policy Manual Review Process

It was decided that the administrators will look through the sections of the policy manual and if they see something that needs to be addressed they will bring it to the Committee.

Review of Policy 8121.1 and 8121.1-R - Opioid Overdose Prevention and Regulation

Following discussion the Committee agreed that the District will not be adopting these policies since they are already covered under Policy 5420 - Student Health Services.

Review of Policy 0105 - Equity, Inclusivity, and Diversity in Education

Following discussion the Committee agreed that since there is already a procedure in place, the District will not be adopting this policy.

Policy 2210 - Board Organizational Meeting

Following Discussion, the Committee agreed to amend and adopt this policy as recommended by NYSSBA.

Discussion of Policy 8505 - Charging Meals and Other Food Items & Policy 8520 - Free Meal Programs

Following discussion the Committee agreed that they will adopt policy 8505 - "Charging" Meals and Other Food Items - as amended, and they will adopt policy 8520 - Free Meal Programs - as recommended by NYSSBA.

IV. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:05 a.m. The next meeting is scheduled for 2 p.m. on Tuesday, February 24th.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Ellen Chiera
District Clerk