

**Monadnock Regional School District
Safety Committee Meeting
July 21, 2026
MRMHS Library, Swanzey, NH**

Committee Members Present: Lisa Steadman and Ed LaPlante.

Absent: Jennifer Strimbeck

Administration Present: Superintendent Rathbun

L. Steadman opened the meeting at 6:35 PM.

1. Public Comments: There were no public comments.

2. Approval of Minutes: MOTION: E. LaPlante **MOVED** to approve the June 2, 2026 Safety Committee Meeting Minutes as presented. **SECOND:** L. Steadman. **VOTE:** E. LaPlante-yes and L. Steadman-abstain. **Motion passes.**

3. Update on what the committee has been working on: E. LaPlante explained that the committee has been working on a flowchart for how a parent should report a bullying or behavior issue. He explained that J. Strimbeck's focus was on bullying. J. Rathbun explained that the bus driver is not responsible for the behavior of the students while they are at the bus stop. The committee would like to come up with a list of questions for the administration regarding the policies around bussing.

4. Confirm with administration dates for School Safety Meetings: J. Rathbun explained that the Safety Committees would not be meeting until the Fall.

5. Discuss materials provided by administration for establishing a parent facing flow chart for creating an informational packet about bullying/behavior: J. Rathbun explained that the committee can review the flowchart but can not edit it. There is a document that is used to report bullying which the administration does not want to be shared. They do want it to be filled out by everyone. There is an RSA that is followed. J. Rathbun said bullying is not the act but how it is received. Someone being mean is not bullying.

6. Check in with the Policy Committee and administration on EEAEC and ECA for recommended revisions: The committee reviewed Policy EEAEC, Policy ECA and Policy JICC. **MOTION:** L. Steadman **MOVED** to ask the Policy Committee to review Policy JICC and Policy ECA and reconcile the differences. **SECOND:** E. LaPlante. **VOTE:** Unanimous for those present. **Motion passes.** L. Steadman will contact the Policy Committee regarding the review of the policies.

7. Public Comments: There are no public comments.

8. Next meeting's agenda: September 1, 2026.

9. Adjourn MOTION: L.Steadman **MOVED** to adjourn the meeting at 6:58 PM. **SECOND:** E.LaPlante **VOTE:** Unanimous for those present. **Motion passes.**

Respectfully submitted,

Laura L. Aivaliotis
Recording Secretary