

**MINUTES
LASALLE-PERU TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT #120
POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026, 3:30 P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER

Mrs. Carol Alcorn, Committee Chair, called the meeting to order at 3:30p.m.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Committee Chair, Mrs. Carol Alcorn and Mr. Gary Ferrari (via phone)

ABSENT: Mrs. Chris Krzyaniak

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: Mrs. Ingrid Cushing, Interim Superintendent, Mrs. Jennifer Riva, Board Secretary

REVIEW AND APPROVE OF MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 12, 2026, COMMITTEE MEETING

MOTION by Mrs. Krzyaniak, seconded by Mrs. Alcorn, to approve minutes from February 12, 2026, Committee Meeting. Voting Aye Mrs. Krzyaniak, and Mrs. Alcorn. Voting Nay: none. **The motion carried.**

2026-2027 STUDENT HANDBOOK

Mrs. Cushing and the committee reviewed the updates to the student handbook recommendations for the 2026-2027 school year. Mrs. Cushing reviewed and highlighted the updates in each section of the handbook with the Policy committee.

ACCEPT TO RECOMMEND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION APPROVE THE 2026-2027 STUDENT HANDBOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

MOTION by Mr. Ferrari, seconded by Mrs. Alcorn, to accept to recommend the Board of Education approve the 2026-2027 Student Handbook recommendations, as presented. Voting Aye Mr. Ferrari and Mrs. Alcorn. Voting Nay: none. **The motion carried.**

PRESS POLICY ISSUE 121 – 1st READING

Mrs. Cushing provided a breakdown of policies that are due to the first reading discussed the PRESS Update Memo with the committee including new policies, revisions to policies, footnotes, Legal references, cross references, rewritten responses, exhibit updates, and administrative procedures that were recommended and discussed the follows: 2:140-E – Guidance for Board Member Communication, Including Email Use, 2:200 -Type of School Board Meetings, 2:220 -School Board Meeting Procedure, 2:250 Access to District Public Records, 2:260 – Uniform Grievance Procedure, 4:165 -Awareness and Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse and Grooming Behaviors, 5:30 – Hiring Process and Criteria, 5:250-Leave of Absences, 5:330 – Sick Days, Vacation, Holidays, and Leaves, 6:65 – Student Social and Emotional Development, 6:100 – Using Animals in Educational Programs, 6:145 – Migrant Students, 6:170 – Title I Program, 7:20 – Harassment of Students Prohibited, 7:50 – School Admissions and Student transfers To and From Non-District Schools, 7:100 – Health, Eye, and Dental Examinations; Immunizations, and Exclusions, 7:185 – Teen Dating Violence Prohibited, 7:220 – Bus Conduct, 7:230 – Misconduct by Students with Disabilities, 7:240 – Conduct Code for Participants at Extracurricular Activities, 7:260 – Exemption from Physical Education, 7:280 – Communicable and Chronic Infectious Diseases, 7:300 – Extracurricular Activities, and 8:90 – Parent Organizations and Booster Clubs.

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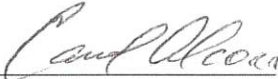
Mrs. Cushing recommended updating Board Policies 2:260, 2:265, and 5:10 to ensure the Nondiscrimination Coordinator, Title IX Coordinator, and Complaint Managers are identified

consistently and appropriately. She noted that the policies have not been updated and that the Superintendent should not be listed in any of those roles

ACCEPT TO RECOMMEND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION APPROVE THE RECOMMENDED
UPDATED TO BOARD POLICIES 2:260, 2:265, and 5:10

MOTION by Mr. Ferrari, seconded by Mrs. Alcorn, to accept to recommend the Board of Education update Board Policies 2:260, 2:265, and 5:10, as presented. Voting Aye Mr. Ferrari and Mrs. Alcorn. Voting Nay: none. **The motion carried.**

MOTION by Mr. Ferrari, seconded by Mrs. Alcorn, to adjourn. Voting Aye: Mr. Ferrari and Mrs. Alcorn. Voting Nay: none. **The motion carried. Time 4:00 p.m.**


Mrs. Carol Alcorn
Committee Chair


Mrs. Jennifer Riva
Board Secretary