Evergreen Park District 231 Board of Education
Policy Committee Meeting
August 18, 2026

Present: Mary Zofkie, Merikay Marzoni
Also Present: Tom O'Malley, Superintendent

1. **Call to Order**. The meeting was called to order at 4:30 p.m. by Mary Zofkie.
2. **Review**. The committee reviewed and discussed the IASB-recommended updates included in PRESS Issues 121 and 122. Following discussion, the committee recommends that the full Board waive the first reading of these policies and adopt them as recommended by the Policy Committee and IASB.

PRESS Issue 121

2:140E	Guidance for Board Member Communications, Including Email Use
2:200	Types 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
5:50	Drug- and Alcohol-Free Workplace; E-Cigarette, Tobacco, and Cannabis Prohibition
5:250	Leaves of Absence
5:330	Sick Days, Vacation, Holidays, and Leaves
6:65	Student Social and Emotional Development
6:100	Using Animals in the Educational Program
6:145	Migrant Students
6:170	Title I Programs
6:180	Extended Instructional Programs
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 Exclusion of Students
7:185	Teen Dating Violence Prohibited
7:220	Bus Conduct
7:230	Misconduct by Students with Disabilities
7:240	Conduct Code for Participants in Extracurricular Activities
7:260	Exemption from Physical Education
7:280	Communicable and Chronic Infections Diseases
7:300	Extracurricular Athletics
8:90	Parent Organizations and Booster Clubs

PRESS Issue 122

2:30	School District Elections
2:270E	Checklist for Filling Board Vacancies by Appointment
2:120E3	Resolution to Appoint a Delegate to the Illinois Association of School Boards Delegate Assembly
2:220E1	Board Treatment of Closed Meeting Verbatim Recordings and Minutes
2:220E3	Closed Meeting Minutes
2:220E5	Semi-Annual Review of Closed Meeting Minutes
2:220E8	School Board Records Maintenance Requirements and FAQs
2:230	Public Participation at School Board Meetings and Petitions to the Board
3:40	Superintendent
3:60	Administrative Responsibility of the Building Principal
3:70	Succession of Authority
4:120	Food Services
4:175	Convicted Sex Offender; Screening; Notifications
5:40	Communicable and Chronic Infections Disease
5:70	Religious Holidays
5:110	Recognition for Service
5:140	Solicitations By or From Staff
5:185	Family and Medical Leave
5:240	Suspension
6:70	Teaching About Religions
6:80	Teaching About Controversial Issues
6:190	Extracurricular and Co-Curricular Activities
7:30	Student Assignment and Intra-District Transfer
7:80	Release Time for Religious Instruction/Observance
7:130	Student Rights and Responsibilities
7:330	Student Use of Buildings – Equal Access
7:345	Use of Educational Technologies: Student Data Privacy and Security
8:70	Accommodating Individuals with Disabilities
8:100	Relations with Other Organizations and Agencies

4. **Policy 7:20**. The committee also reviewed Policy 7:20 Vacancies on the Board of Education – Filling Vacancies. The recommendation is to edit the wording on filling vacancies.
5. **Adjournment**. The meeting adjourned at 5:20 p.m.