MINUTES -draft
BEACON BOARD OF EDUCATION
POLICY COMMITTEE
MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021
7:00 P.M. VIA ZOOM

PRESENT:

Ms. Elissa Betterbid – Chair

Ms. Meredith Heuer

Mr. Antony Tseng

Mr. Anthony White

ALSO PRESENT

Ms. Ann Marie Quartironi -Deputy Superintendent

Ms. Kelly Pologe - Clerk of the Board

Policy Review:

1.) 0101 Gender Neutral Single-Occupancy Bathrooms-

Approved to move forward with edit recommended by school attorney.

2.) 8110 School Building Safety

Approved to move forward.

3.) 8130 School Safety Plans and Teams

Approved to move forward with edits recommended by school attorney.

4.) 8410 Student Transportation

The Committee discussed busing provided to Glenham School students and equity.

Tabled for superintendent's review.

5.) 8413 Transportation for Nonpublic School Students

The Committee discussed taxpayers with students at nonpublic schools and their appreciation for busing, and the availability of robocalls for them.

6.) 8411 School Bus Scheduling and Routing

Approved to move forward with addition of item #5 from Policy 8410

7.) 8414.5 Alcohol and Drug Testing of Drivers

Approved to move forward with edits recommended by school attorney.

8.) 8416 Special Use of School Buses

Approved to move forward.

The Committee will review Policy 6700 at the April 2021 meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, Kelly Pologe Clerk of the Board