Salem School Committee Policy Subcommittee Meeting Minutes July 13, 2020, 5pm

Approved 11/20/20

On July 13, 2020 the Policy Subcommittee held a meeting at 5:00 p.m. using the Zoom on-line meeting platform.

Members Attending: Ana Nuncio (Chair), Manny Cruz

Members Absent: James Fleming

Ex Officio Members Present: Mary Manning

Others Present: Jill Conrad, Chief of Systems Strategy

Ms. Nuncio opened the meeting at 5:00 p.m. Mr. Cruz motioned to call the meeting to order and Ms. Nuncio seconded. Vote by roll-call:

Mr. Cruz: Yes Ms. Nuncio: Yes

Mr. Cruz motioned to approve the minutes from the June 25th Policy Subcommittee meeting and the July 7th Policy Subcommittee meeting. Vote by roll-call:

Mr. Cruz: Yes Ms. Nuncio: Yes

Both were approved.

Transportation Policy - Policy 3601

Members reviewed the draft of this policy and proposed language changes. Questions arose about whether or not the proposed language change solves for the original challenge with newcomers. Members felt comfortable with the policy as currently written so long as it was reviewed by Rebecca Westlake, ELL Director. Ms. Conrad agreed to circulate the draft to Rebecca and her team. Members requested that Ms. Westlake attend the next meeting to confirm.

Policy 5217 Student Publications

Members reviewed and discussed the proposed edits. Members asked that the proposed changes be sent to the high school principals to make sure it works for them and also to

Attorney Colby Brunt, Attorney for the School Committee. The main question they wanted clarified was what constitutes an online publication (something published or any online posting)?

Policy 5221 Co-Curricular and Extracurricular Activities

Members reviewed and discussed this policy. In the last sentence, delete everything after "available to all students." Mr. Cruz moved to refer the revised policy to the full committee for first reading. Ms. Nuncio seconded the motion. Vote by roll-call:

Mr. Cruz: Yes Ms. Nuncio: Yes

Policy 5221 was referred to the full committee for 1st reading.

Motion to Adjourn

Members discussed possible times for the next meeting settling on 7/23/20 at 3pm. Mr. Cruz made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Nuncio seconded the motion. Vote by roll-call:

Mr. Cruz: Yes Ms. Nuncio: Yes

The meeting adjourned at 6:35pm.