

**BOE Policy Committee Minutes**  
**Wednesday, June 15, 2022, 9:00 am – 10:30 am**  
**Municipal Building, BOE Conference Room**  
**3 Primrose St, Newtown, CT 06470**

**CALL TO ORDER** Meeting was called to order at 9:00 am

**IN ATTENDANCE** Dan Cruson, Deborra Zukowski, Janet Kuzma Dr. Lorrie Rodrigue, Sarah Connell,

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION** None

**APPROVE MINUTES** Dan Cruson made a motion to approve the minutes of June, 3 2022. Deborra Zukowski seconded. 2 ayes, 1 abstain (Mrs. Kuzma)

**OLD BUSINESS**

**Discussion and possible action:**

Item	Reports
<p><b>Policy 6141.51/6141.52 – Enrollment in an Advanced Course or Program and Challenging Curriculum</b></p> <p>The omitted received a concern from the Board regarding language in IV. Guiding Principles and Implementation section. The Board believes hat the language “marginalized groups may be” should be changed. The committee disagrees. The committee received input from legal counsel and agrees the language should stay.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S. Connell will send this policy to K. June for BOE second read.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Policy 6172.1 - Gifted and Talented Students</b></p> <p>S. Connell received additional feedback from legal regarding the language in this policy.</p> <p>The committee agreed to remove the proposed language from Shipman on page (a) at the bottom of the page that starts with “The multiple measures may be....” The committee agrees that is would be better suited for a regulation. The committee also agrees that on page (b) the proposed language that starts with “After the Screening team....” should also be in a regulation. S. Connell will strike the language.</p>	<p>S. Connell will send this policy to K. June for BOE second read.</p>

**UPDATE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT**

Dr. Rodrigue thanked the committee for all the work they have done. It has been a pleasure to work with everyone an she is very proud of everything they accomplished.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**ADJOURNMENT** Dan Cruson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. D. Zukowski seconded. Motion was unanimously approved. Meeting was adjourned at 9:51 am.