



**BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR SCHOOL SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, May 6, 2026 at 6:00 pm**

A Bristol Board of Education School Safety Committee meeting was held on May 6, 2026, at the Board of Education in the BoE Auditorium and via the Zoom meeting platform.

PRESENT: Commissioners; Jill Fitzsimons-Bula, Kristen Giantonio (6:03pm.) and Lorianne Osenkowski

ALSO, PRESENT: Director of Security, Stephen Cabelus and Mary Hawk, Deputy Superintendent

1. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

A quorum being present, the Chair Fitzsimons-Bula called the meeting to order at 6:01p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

2.1 January 14th 2026- Regular Meeting Minutes

Motion was made by Lorianne Osenkowski and seconded by Jill Fitzsimons-Bula to approve the August 20, 2025 meetings minutes as written.

Motion passed 2-0 to approve the January 14th 2026, regular meeting minutes as written.

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no Public comments to the Board.

4. DISCUSSION: SAFETY & SECURITY UPDATE

Commissioner Jill Fitzsimons-Bula introduced Director of Security, Stephen Cabelus who provided an update on Alice rollout, camera updates, vape sensor actively working, and the increase of cellphone misuse in the K-5 elementary schools. Mr. Cabelus stated he is working to do a workshop to bring awareness to raising concerns with social media, improper phone use to both the students and staff.

Questions and discussion followed the update from Commissioners.

5. ADJOURNMENT

With no other business to come before the committee, the School Safety Committee meeting should be adjourned. (6:13 P.M)

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Lynsey Melia", written in a cursive style.

Recording Secretary
Bristol Board of Education