

Policy Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

October 1, 2026

A. Call to Order Dr. Heble called the meeting to order at 6:22 P.M.

Committee Attendance: Dr. Heble, Ms. Sheehan, Mr. Giorgi, Dr. Persichetti, Ms. Borgeson, Ms. Frapwell

Policy Committee [Sign-in sheet October 1, 2026](#)

B. Approval of Minutes from September 3, 2026

Motion to approve minutes first. Ms Frapwell, second Mr. Giorgi

C. Public Comment

None.

D. Old Business

1. Second Reads

The committee reviewed the following policies for second read:

- Policy 102 - Academic Standards
- Policy 105 - Curriculum
- Policy 204.2 - Virtual Attendance and Wellness Checks
- Policy 249 - Bullying and Cyberbullying
- Policy 704 - Maintenance
- Policy 803 - School Calendar

Discussion highlights included the following:

Policy 249 Bullying and Cyberbullying: Administration reviewed the expanded language addressing conduct occurring outside of school when there is a connection to the school environment. A wording correction was identified in the definition section so that the policy states that bullying includes cyberbullying.

Policy 102 Academic Standards: The committee discussed the requirement to incorporate instruction on social media literacy and asked how the requirement is addressed in the District's curriculum. Administration explained that policy updates are reviewed with the curriculum department to confirm implementation and compliance with state requirements. Additional information regarding the District's current social media literacy instruction will be provided.

Policy 704 Maintenance and 704-AR-6 Drinking Water: The committee discussed the revised drinking-water testing requirements and the District's testing practices. Members also asked whether responsibilities removed from the policy were addressed in another administrative regulation or policy. Administration will identify the applicable language and include the related regulation in the Board materials so the discussion is fully documented. Operational decisions regarding testing practices may be addressed through the Facilities Committee and incorporated into the administrative regulation when appropriate.

Policies 105, 204.2, and 803: The policies were included in the second-read review. No additional substantive discussion was recorded.

The committee agreed to move the second-read policies forward to the Board, subject to confirmation of the formal motion and approval details.

2. Policy 810 Transportation

The committee revisited Policy 810 and confirmed that the existing clearance language for contracted drivers would remain in the policy. Policy 810 was added to the group recommended to move forward to the Board with the agreed revision.

Motion to approve with the revised policy updates and Board approval. First Dr. Perschetti, 2nd Mr. Giorgi.

E. New Business

1. Proposed Revisions to Policies 006 and 903

The committee reviewed proposed language addressing public comment when a quorum of the Board is present at a committee meeting. The purpose of the revision is to clarify that noncommittee Board members may attend and participate in discussion without voting and that committee meetings will provide one public-comment period.

The committee discussed whether the language belongs in Policy 006, Meetings, or Policy 903, Public Participation in Board Meetings. Members generally favored placing it in Policy 006 because that policy applies more broadly to Board and committee meetings. The committee also discussed whether public comment at committee meetings should be limited to agenda items and expressed support for allowing comments relevant to the committee's subject area even when the specific topic is not listed on the agenda.

F. Adjournment The meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm

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