



East Lansing Public Schools

Policy Meeting
Called to order at 10:32 pm

In attendance:

Rulesha Glover-Payne

Klaudia Burton

Dori Leyko

Terah Chambers

Tali Faris-Hylen

Mark Dobson

Terah Chambers - Motion approved from last meeting

Terah Chambers- Motion approved for this agenda

1. Media Center Materials. Attached are the suggestions from Thrun.
 - a. The highlighted is a suggested edit on the point that was unclear on this:
Upon receipt of the Reconsideration Form, the Principal will advise the Assistant Superintendent of the complaint. The Assistant Superintendent will bring the form to the Academic and Technology Committee for reconsideration.
Suggested edit in yellow: The Academic and Technology Committee (including the ELPS District Media Specialist) can add additional review committee members to facilitate the reconsideration process.
2. Renaming Policy: Dori will report back having talked to the building principals.
 - a. Principals want as much centralized as possible for consistency.
 - b. Anything permanent or fixed needs to go through a process.
 - c. Suggestions include a form or application per building that people complete.
 - d. Next step- Dori to draft application for anyone to complete covering all bases using the policy to drive this application. This draft will be brought back to Policy committee.
 - e. This form will hopefully cover all bases i.e. commemoration/individual building items.
 - f. When it comes to renaming a facility or field, etc. this will be more of a board decision to be discussed.
3. Land acknowledgement update
 - a. Klaudia and Steve Neal connected with Nokomis contact and the plan is for him to come in with ELPS social justice team to talk with students on what they want to do and perhaps district to host professional development series on what we can do at ELPS.
 - b. Plaque is paused- the first step is education and perhaps we move from there.
 - c. Waiting on date from Nokomis on when he will come in.



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4. For future consideration
 - a. Old policy around media comms prior to Thrun basically said school business was referred to superintendent's office. Referring to this as "practice" to go thru Dori, but policy currently doesn't say this anymore.
 - b. Let's look at this and perhaps update language on current policy to suggest for ELPS staff to go confirm information with administration when approached by media. We never want info going to media that hasn't went to families.
5. Next meeting May 18 at 10:30 am
6. Meeting adjourned at 11:11 am