



EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, February 28, 2018 | 8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.
Teleconference

Commissioners present:

Danielle Martel (Chair)
Eileen Boland

Advisors present:

Jen Horwitz of Let's Grow Kids

Staff present:

Hannah Lane

Presiding:

Danielle Martel

Recording: Hannah Lane

Meeting called to order at 8:01 a.m.

1. Approval of the agenda

Postponed due to a lack of quorum.

2. Approval of the November 2017, January 3rd, and January 24th Meeting Minutes

Postponed due to a lack of quorum.

3. Discuss VCW Policy Document & suggested changes

The committee discussed the VCW Policy document. Hannah will incorporate Jen's suggested edits into the Education Policy draft and distribute that today so that the Committee can work on the document via e-mail before our next Committee meeting on March 28th.

Ideas generated to improve the document included defining "hazing," "harassment," and "bullying," considering data from the Youth Behavior Risk Assessment Survey, adding a mention of pornography in the section covering teen sex education, and checking in with the Health Committee about whether they'll include sex education in their section as well.

Eileen will be attending a harassment seminar for school administrators in Montpelier this month.

4. Women, Work and Child Care white paper feedback

The committee discussed with Jen her white paper and asked a few questions about language choices and specific data points and liked the paper.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:39 a.m.