

TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDED MINUTES

OF

THE METHUEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE

OF

MAY 20, 2026

SUBMITTED FOR THE APPROVAL OF:

THE METHUEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

“AN OPEN MEETING ADVANTAGE FOR THE COMMUNITY OF METHUEN”

RECORDED BY:

MEMBER ALEJANDRO BAEZ, CHAIR

2026.05.20

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1. Call to Order

Present: Member Baez, Member Keegan, Member McCarthy Sirois

2. Acceptance of the Agenda

Motion: Member Keegan made a motion to accept the agenda

Second: Member McCarthy Sirois seconded the motion.

VOTE: PASSED 3-0

3. Approval of Minutes - April 29, 2026

MOTION: Member Keegan made a motion to approve the minutes for April 29, 2026.

Member McCarthy Sirois seconded the motion.

Discussion - None

VOTE: PASSED 3-0

4. Public Participation - None

5. Discussion on bus traffic violation monitoring systems (Member Baez)

- Schools having input on RFP
- History of process
- Language to make boundaries between schools and city
- Put forth to full committee

6. Review and Approval of Recommendations for Section I

- Update of policy IJL
 - putting in references bill of rights
 - omit IJLE-1
 - IJL E-2 notes: Changes to section 5 and last sections as well
 - IJL E-3: Paragraph 4 change to alignment with district
 - IJL-A: Meeting all provision
- IKB: Draft will be presented by Acting Superintendent Lisa Golobski Twomey and Member Baez
- IKE: PASSED with changes to appeal process

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- IKF: MASC needs to review our most recent policy
- IKFE: Member Keegan will present a new draft
- ILD: Hold for specific language review - IMB: Bring back after more discussion
- IMD: PASSED
- IMDB: Needs to change language- Member McCarthy Sirois will take the lead
- IMG: PASSED
- IMGA: PASSED

7. Other Business from the Subcommittee

- Handbook discussions
- discussion on returning to all held policies for the next meeting.

8. Adjourn

MOTION: Member Keegan made a motion to adjourn.
Member McCarthy Sirois seconded the motion.

VOTE: PASSED 3-0

Adjourned at 2:04 PM