



## Policy Committee Minutes

April 14, 2026

### 6:00PM - HHS Library Conference Room

**Present:** Nichole Hopkins, Scott Ritter, and Craig Dudek

**Others Present:** Dr. Stamm, Randy Holmes, Chris Downey, Tracy Lunger, Tracy Yerg, Jessica McCoy and Melissa Bunce

1. Employee Social Media Policy  
Dr. Stamm explained the district doesn't have an official policy. It's the responsibility of the Superintendent to handle any staff social media issues currently.
2. Attendance and Truancy  
Board would like the current board policy & student handbook policy followed. There should be no flexibility in the policy and it needs followed as written by administration & attendance officers. Dr. Stamm explained it's not being followed as written currently.
3. School Employee Injury Reporting (NEW)  
Mr. Ritter showed the video to the attendees. Brief discussion about working with the school solicitor on a new policy.  
See web link below for a summary & attached Policy example  
<https://www.wrtv.com/news/wrtv-investigates/school-board-member-drafts-new-policy-to-address-teacher-injuries-following-wrtv-investigation>
4. Electronic Devices (237)  
Brief update on current legislation & further discussion/ideas for next school year, reviewed options for where students can keep devices such as lockable bags, lockers and backpacks for next school year.
5. Field Trips (121)  
Ratio will now be 4:1 from 5:1 for chartered bus trips in elementary. Teachers will also not be counted as a chaperone. If charter buses have empty seats, seats will be available for parents with current chaperone paperwork on file.

Meeting Adjourned