

**NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
STATEWIDE SCHOOL SAFETY COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 14, 2022
3:00 P.M.**

Meeting Summary

IN ATTENDANCE VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE:

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chair Jason Trevino

Member Laura Hutchinson

Member Dave Jensen

Member Leon Ravin

Member Andrew Scroggins

DEPARTMENT STAFF

Director Christy McGill; Office for a Safe and Respectful Learning Environment

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Meeting called to order at 3:02 p.m. by Chair Jason Trevino. Chair Trevino led attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance and announced the absence of a quorum.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT #1

Public comment was not present.

3. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

Meeting minutes from November 21, 2022 could not be motioned for approval.

4. LEGISLATIVE UPDATES

Director Christy McGill updated the committee on the following legislative bills brought forward by the Nevada Department of Education:

- a) Expansion of the Good Samaritan law to all school,
- b) Conflict definition to be included into bullying laws,
- c) Adult to child bullying co-investigative,
- d) Clarification of restorative practices language,
- e) Consideration from DHHS for mental health authority amongst providers,
- f) Traffic safety committee considering the placement of traffic cameras on school buses and an increase in traffic fines within school zones.

5. LAW ENFORCEMENT WELLNESS CHECK

Kyra Fritz, Ph.D., Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation (PIRE) gave the committee a presentation titled, *Law Enforcement Wellness Checks Literature Review, Executive Summary*. Presentation focused on identifying best practices for wellness checks as they relate to: law enforcement procedures, cross-sector communication and training, and mobile crisis unit response. Conducting the literature review included identification of key findings, with the goal to improve the collaboration between law enforcement, school districts and mobile crisis response team.

6. SCHOOL DISCIPLINE DEFINITIONS

This agenda item to be carried-forward for a future meeting when quorum is met.

7. BIPARTISAN SAFER COMMUNITIES ACT

Director Christy McGill; Office for a Safe and Respectful Learning Environment reviewed the Bipartisan Safer Communities Act which will provide 8.8 million federal dollars to be distributed throughout each school district in Nevada.

8. VACANCY RECRUITMENT FOR COMMITTEE MEMBERS

This agenda item to be carried-forward for a future meeting when quorum is met.

9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- Placement of traffic cameras on school buses

10. PUBLIC COMMENT #2

Public comment was not present.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 4:02 P.M.