

# **NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STATEWIDE SCHOOL SAFETY COMMITTEE**

**WEDNESDAY March 19, 2025**

**3:00 P.M.**

## **Summary of Minutes of the Regular Meeting**

### **In Attendance via Videoconference:**

#### **Committee Members**

Chair Anderson  
Vice-Chair Ravin  
Member Alamo  
Member Alonzo  
Member Hoag  
Member Miranda  
Member Mattice  
Member Blackeye  
Member Loudon  
Member Dzyak  
Member Peixoto

#### **DEPARTMENT STAFF**

Lexi Kovalovich – Nevada Department of Education, Office for a Safe and Respectful Learning Environment

#### **Additional Attendees**

Kevin McPartlin – Associate Superintendent, Clark County School District  
Rosa O'Bannon – Director, Clark County School District  
Cameron Roehm – Assistant Principal, Clark County School District

#### **CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

Meeting called to order at 3:05 p.m. by Chair Anderson. Quorum established.

#### **Public Comment #1**

No public comment

#### **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes**

Motion to approve minutes for January and February was held. Motion by Vice-Chair Ravin, seconded by Member Blackeye, no further discussion, vote passes unanimously.

#### **Introduction of New Members and Updates**

Members had a brief introduction to as new members have been appointed to the committee

#### **Review of Nevada Legislative Session 2025**

Members were given an opportunity to revisit all bills in the 2025 legislative session. Chair Anderson noted he had spoken to the Senate Committee on Education on various areas of safety such as physical safety, and mental Wellness. Members are encouraged to reach out to Department Staff as needed if questions on any bills arise.

**Discussion on Vaping in Schools**

Member Blackeye had brought in subject matter experts on the topic. Guest speakers from Clark County School District attended and presented their experiences and their initiatives in the district to address vaping in schools. Associate Superintendent McPartlin and Director O'Bannon shared their programs and initiatives as a district. Programs include education and restorative actions when vaping occurs. Assistant Principal Roehm discussed his results and experience with vape detectors in his school. Members were given an opportunity to ask questions.

**Future Agenda Items**

Members discussed future possible items. Including student panel, visit from doctor from UC Davis, weapon detection, and creating preliminary recommendations in the event of seat restructuring due to legislation.

**PUBLIC COMMENT #2**

Member Mattice notes that they will be retiring and last meeting will be in the coming month.

**ADJOURNMENT 4:25PM**