# NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STATEWIDE SCHOOL SAFETY TASK FORCE COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 25, 2021 3:00 PM

### STATE OF EMERGENCY SPECIAL PUBLIC NOTICE:

Due to circumstances created by the COVID-19 pandemic, the Statewide School Safety Task Force Committee met via videoconference. In accordance with Governor Sisolak's State of Emergency Directive 006, Section 1, there was no physical location designated for this meeting, and was livestreamed on the Nevada Department of Education's (NDE) website.

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

### **MEMBERS PRESENT via videoconference:**

Chief Jason Trevino, Chair Anthony York, Vice-Chair Angela Golik Dave Jensen Joseph Roberts Kasina Douglass-Boone Leon Ravin Matt Williams Ryan Miller Tam Larnerd Shawina Tims

### **DEPARTMENT STAFF PRESENT via videoconference:**

Laura Hutchinson, Education Programs Professional, Office for a Safe and Respectful Learning Environment Elizabeth Gray

## SENIOR DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL via videoconference:

Mr. David Gardner, Senior Deputy Attorney General

#### 1. Call to Order:

The committee meeting was called to order at 3:01 p.m. by Chief Jason Trevino, Committee Chair, Quorum was established at 3:04 p.m., Chair Trevino led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## 2. Public Comment #1:

No public comment was present.

## 3. Approval of May 4, 2021 Committee Meeting Minutes:

Committee Members motioned to approve the meeting minutes from May 4, 2021.

## 4. Legislative Updates (Information/Discussion/For Possible Action):

Members of the Committee reviewed current legislative updates regarding school safety and school based mental health, during the 2021 session.

Laura Hutchinson informed the committee of the following legislative updates:

- · Non-passing of AB 306: Revises provisions relating to the SafeVoice program (BDR-34-19;
- · Moving forward, AB 371: Enacts provisions governing discrimination based on race (BDR 34-697);
- · Non-passing of SB 76: Revises provisions relating to education (BDR 34-297);
- Non-passing of SB 458: Ensures sufficient funding for public education for the 2021-23 biennium (BDR 34-1169);
- Passing of SB 36: Revises provisions relating to responses to crises and emergencies by schools (BDR 34-296).

Member Dave Jensen brought forward the discussion regarding the jeopardization of sources to funding for social workers, SROs and pupil centered funding. The committee noted several concerns for the change to this funding in relation to the passing of SB 36.

## 5. Scheduling of Future Meeting Date (Information/Discussion/For Possible Action):

Committee Members discussed and voted on the next meeting date of the Task Force. Next meeting date is **Tuesday**, **June 15**, **2021 at 10:00 a.m.** 

## 6. Future Agenda Items (Information/Discussion):

The committee discussed potential future meeting items for the next meeting.

- New committee member to replace retiring Member Tam Larnerd;
- Prioritization of future, long-term committee goals;
- Legislative updates.

### 7. Public Comment #2:

No public comment was present.

Meeting adjourned at 03:28 p.m. (Pacific Daylight Time)