

**MINUTES OF THE POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING OF SENECA TOWNSHIP
HIGH SCHOOL, DISTRICT 160, SENECA, ILLINOIS**

A meeting of the Policy Committee was held on January 10, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order with the following members present Ron Frye, Tiffany Biros, and Jason Eltrevoog.

Also present: Dan Stecken.

Absent: None

A. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

B. PRESS Policies Update:

Dr. Stecken reviewed the most recent PRESS issue update, summarizing key changes.

Key board policy updates include:

2:20 - Changes to the minimum bidding threshold from \$25,000 to \$35,000

2:110-Changes to the minimum treasurer's bond from 25% of fund balances to 10% of fund balances.

3:50, 6:20-Marking Election Day 2024 as a school holiday.

4:10 - Requiring the BOE to present, annually, a three-year report on average operating expenditure.

5:30 - All job postings must include salary and benefit specific information in the posting, not language such as "per the collective bargaining agreement."

5:25 -Allows multiple employee absences due to a child's death for a variety of reasons.

5:50- Mandates health class instruction of the dangers of fentanyl.

6:60 - A "Senecaized Policy," requires additional curriculum content of Native American experience in America as well as teaching about the dangers of allergies.

7:60-ALLOWS a BOE to allow full time employees children to reside attend the district tuition free without applying for the yearly waiver.

7:270 - Now requires districts to maintain a supply of undesignated opioid antagonists to administer, as necessary.

E. Other

The meeting adjourned at 6:24 p.m.



Board President



Board Secretary

1-17-2024

Date