

**LEBANON BOARD OF EDUCATION
POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
LEBANON MIDDLE SCHOOL MEDIA ROOM
SEPTEMBER 8, 2021 – 5:30 PM**

MINUTES

Present: Sarah Haynes, Mark DeCaprio and Maureen McCall

Also Present: Superintendent Andrew Gonzalez and Danelle Person

- I. Call To Order – The chair, Maureen McCall, called the meeting to order at 5:31 PM
- II. Review Policy #5002
 - The decision was made to address Policy #5002 before the discussion regarding Executive Order 13D.
 - Extended discussion on Item a. regarding coats, jackets, etc. and Item b. head coverings of any kind. Understanding that Shipman & Goodwin creates policies based on best practices, the discussion led to a recommendation that the policy be updated for a first reading with items a., b. and c. removed. The new policy will begin with the item regarding footwear.
 - It is recommended that Administration uses their discretion to work any parts of items a. and b. into the student handbooks at each school as best works for that environment.
- III. Discuss Policies and Regulations regarding Executive Order 13D

There was a lengthy discussion around Governor Lamont's executive order and the COVID-19 Vaccination Regulations released by Superintendent Gonzalez. It was noted that these are regulations and not policies so the Board would not be voting on them. They would simply be adopted and filed with our policies. There is concern for employees because there are those with natural immunity and those with medical and religious issues who would suffer because of these regulations. There are lots of questions and really no answers.
- VI. The chair adjourned the meeting at 6:43 PM.

Submitted by Maureen McCall
Chair, Policy Subcommittee