BASD Policy Review Committee Meeting Minutes Education Center – Conference Room A May 14, 2013

In attendance:

Board Members Present Administration Donna Usavage - Chair Barbara Hartford Robert Scoboria John Crossley Gwen Semmens Ruth Dierolf

There were two members of the public in attendance.

I. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Usavage at 5:30 p.m.

II. Public Comments #1

No Public Comment.

III. Policy Committee Minutes

• The January 22, 2013, Policy Review Committee minutes were reviewed and approved.

IV. Policies #5131 – Student Conduct and #5144 – Discipline & Punishment

- The policies were reviewed and it was recommended that the policies be rescinded, as their content is covered in other current BASD policies.
- Mr. Scoboria was directed to recommend this action on the May 28 Board meeting agenda.

V. Policies #5114 – Discipline – Senior High School, #5114.1 – Suspension & Expulsion, and #5131.7 – Possession of Weapons

- The policies were reviewed and discussion took place.
- Mr. Scoboria was directed to make revisions and place these three items on the May 28 Board meeting agenda for first reading.

VI. Policy #5146 – Use, Possession or Distribution

• The policy was reviewed, and the Committee recommended that this policy remain as written.

VII. Policy Review Plan

- A five-year plan for review of all BASD policies was discussed.
- The Committee offered feedback.
- Mr. Scoboria will update the plan and use it with future Committee meetings.

VIII. Guiding Principles

- Mrs. Usavage reviewed suggested guiding principles for the Policy Committee.
- These were provided at a recent PSBA workshop that Mrs. Usavage attended.
- Mrs. Usavage asked Board members to provide her with feedback over the next week.

IX. Public Comment #2

No Public Comment.

X. Adjournment

• Mrs. Usavage adjourned the meeting at 6:35 p.m.