

School Security Advisory Committee

08/22/18 Meeting

Minutes

Attendees:

<u>Selectmen</u> Deep River- Angus McDonald (or designee)- Absent Chester- Lauren Gister (or designee) - Absent Essex- Lisa Fasulo -Present & Bill Buckridge - Present Ad hoc Security Consultant – Ed Cook - Present	<u>District Administration</u> Superintendent- Dr. Ruth Levy – Present Assistant Supt. – Dr. Kristina Martineau - Present Business manager - Kim Allen – Present Director of Technology – Pam Murphy – Present Valley Regional High School Principal – Mike Barile - Present Building/Grounds/Physical Plant- Leigh Rankin – Present
<u>Board of Education</u> Chester- John Stack - Absent Deep River- Paula Weglzarz - Present Essex- DG Fitton – Present (Chair) Region 4 – Kate Sandmann - Present	<u>Police</u> Chester – Matt Ward - Absent Deep River – Dawn Taylor - Absent Essex – Dave Tretter - Absent

Call to Order: 2:05 PM

Introductions were made. The charge of the Committee was reviewed. It has been 5 years since the advisory committee last convened. At that time the committee conducted interior and exterior walk-throughs of all of the buildings and staff training was conducted. Troop F also did walk-throughs of all of the buildings. The Committee will plan to schedule the same types of walk-throughs again this.

A check list for school safety was reviewed. Procedures for emergencies and safety plans for each school were discussed as was “Stop the Bleed” training and IDs for visitors in buildings.

DG Fitton was appointed as Committee Chair.

Next Meeting

Ruth will schedule the next meeting in the Fall. (Please note: has been scheduled for Oct. 3rd at 9:00 a.m. in Central Office).

Meeting Adjourned at approx. 3:20 PM