POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018
7:30 p.m. in the District Office Conference Room

DISTRICT MISSION STATEMENT
Spring-Ford Area School District strives to be educationally relevant, focused on achievement and growth, and have a priority on people so that students are fully prepared to positively contribute to their society.

CALL TO ORDER

ANNOUNCEMENTS –
I. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY
II. MINUTES - From March 12, 2018

III. OLD BUSINESS
A. Policy # 707 – Use of Facilities – Recommendation for Dr. Roche to do a presentation at the April Action Meeting and shifting the May meeting to the Hurda and invite any organizations that use the facilities will be invited to attend and discuss the research and possible changes to the policy. Dr. Roche will contact the organizations with an invitation to have 1-2 reps per group attend.
B. Policy # 103 – Nondiscrimination in School and Classroom Practices - Move forward for First Reading with slight revisions and review by solicitor
C. Policy # 104 – Nondiscrimination in Employment Practices – Policy will be updated and shared at the next meeting.
D. Policy # 906.1 – Anonymous Communications - Move forward for First Reading with slight revisions and review by solicitor
E. Policy # 214 – Student Recognition (Class Rank) - Mrs. Heine gave an update on the recommendation from the Curriculum and Technology Committee in anticipation of a school board presentation on changes to Policy 214. The changes to this policy re being presented to the committee as a preview if the full board
F. Policy # 806 – Child Abuse – Defer to the June (1st agenda item)

IV. NEW BUSINESS
A. Policy # 903 – Public Participation in Board Meetings - Move forward for First Reading with slight revisions and review by solicitor

VII. OTHER BUSINESS – Deferred to future meeting
A. Policy # 918 – Title I Parent Involvement - Revisions to reflect ESSA changes in language specifically for Title I Parent and Family Engagement
B. Policy # 906 – Public Complaint (Procedures)
C. Policy – Acceptable Use and/or Use of Technology as a part of Modernized Learning
VIII. ACTIONABLE ITEMS

IX. NEEDS FOR NEXT MEETING

X. BOARD COMMENT

A. Mr. Dehnert – Discussion on contracts and standard(s) language, student data protection (data security breach), Student Protest policy, Code of Conduct – do school board members need to be involved?

XI. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD

XI. ADJOURNMENT