



**Concord/Concord-Carlisle School Committees
Policy Subcommittee Meeting Minutes
Meeting via Zoom & Ripley Conference Room 3**

**April 5, 2022
5:30 PM**

Present: Court Booth, Tracey Marano, Eva Mostoufi, Laurie Hunter

1. **Call to Order** – Mr. Booth called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM, noting that it was being recorded. Roll call attendance was taken: Booth, aye; Marano, aye; Mostoufi, aye.
2. **Vote to Approve Minutes** – A motion was made by Ms. Mostoufi, seconded by Ms. Marano, to approve the March 24, 2022 minutes. The motion was unanimously approved. A motion as made by Ms. Marano, seconded by Ms. Mostoufi, to approve the March 31, 2022 minutes. The motion was unanimously approved.
3. **Public Comments**
 1. Kande McDonald, 208 Wright Road, Concord MA. Ms. McDonald stated that she was a member of COAR and was in support of having METCO representation on the SC.
4. **Policies Reviewed:**

METCO Representative/s to the School Committee. Mr. Booth reviewed a draft document regarding METCO representation on the SC, noting that all suggestions were being considered seriously. He stated that they would not be bringing forward a policy to the SC at its meeting tonight because they would like ample time for community input to ensure all voices are heard. Ms. Marano shared information she obtained about the METCO reps models from Weston, Lincoln and Bedford. The SC discussed different aspects of the role of the representative.
5. **Public Comments**
 1. Ms. McDonald questioned how the METCO families in the district would be brought into the process of designing the position.
 2. Joyce DeGreef, 1400 Lowell Road. Ms. DeGreef stated that she was also a member of COAR, noting that she was in support of the conversation. She stated that she liked the model from Weston that encourages a Boston METCO parent to sit in for the public portion of the meetings in the case that the representative cannot attend.
6. **Adjournment** - A motion was made by Ms. Marano, seconded by Ms. Mostoufi, to adjourn the meeting. The motion was unanimously approved by roll call and the meeting adjourned at 5:59 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Erin Higgins

Approved: 5.5.22

[Link to Meeting Recording](#)

Abbreviations:

COAR – Communities Organizing Against Racism