Watertown School Committee

Policy Subcommittee Report

Meeting Date: December 21, 2017

Location: Phillips School

Subcommittee Members in Attendance: Guido Guidotti (chair), Eileen Hsu-Balzer and

Elizabeth Yusem

Other School Committee Members in Attendance: John Portz and Amy Donohue

School Officials in Attendance: Dede Galdston, Mary DeLai and Kathy Desmarais

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:04 P.M.

II. Policy Review

By a vote of 3-0, the subcommittee recommended that the full committee approve the accompanying changes to the attached policies, with the exception of vi, which the subcommittee recommended 3-0 be struck and x, which the subcommittee recommended 3-0 be tabled.

- i. JB Equal Educational Opportunities
- ii. JBA Student-to-Student Harassment/Bullying
- iii. JIC Student Conduct
- iv. JJ/JJI Extracurricular Activities
- v. JKAA Prevention of Restraint of Students
- vi. JKD/JKE Expulsion and Suspension Policy
- vii. IHBEA English Language Learners
- viii. IHBF Homebound Instruction
- ix. IHBG Home Schooling
- x. KI Visitors to School
- xi. KF Building Use

III. District Policy Manual Update

The superintendent reported that the contract with MASC for updating the policy manual has been signed and bi-weekly meetings will begin as soon as the new policy subcommittee is seated.

IV. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:11 P.M.

Submitted by Guido Guidotti, Chair