



## Plum Borough Board of School Directors Safe and Supportive Schools Meeting Minutes

**Date:** April 5, 2016

**Time:** Immediately following the Policy Meeting

**Location:** Plum Senior High School - Board Room

**Committee:** Vicky Roessler - Chair and Michele Gallagher - Member

**In Attendance:**

**Committee Members:** Vicky Roessler - Chair and Michele Gallagher - Member

**Administrative Representatives:** Dr. Glasspool, Dr. Rossi and Mr. Brewer

**Board Members:** Mr. Zucco, Mr. Schlauch, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Colella, Mrs. Gallagher, Mr. Rogers, Mrs. Caldwell and Mr. Dowdell

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- I. Call Meeting to Order: Mrs. Roessler called the meeting to order at 7:48 PM.
  - II. Citizens' Comments:
    - a. On agenda items: None.
    - b. On non-agenda items: Mr. Bob Chapla spoke in regards to the existing key fob system and the AWAREITY program implementation and timeline.
  - III. Agenda Action Items: None.
  - IV. Agenda Discussion Items:
    - a. Bus Camera Status:
      1. Mr. Brewer informed the Board that within a 3 to 4 week period, all operational buses will be housed with security cameras.
    - b. Policy 824 Training Status:
      1. Most Spring coaches have been trained, we are coordinating the completion of some coaches that have not been trained along with Fall coaches being trained in August of 2016.

c. GMAIL Coaches:

1. Dr. Rossi informed that if the coaches desire a GMAIL application, they can contact the IT Department for one.

d. Beautification Program:

1. Mr. Russo will be contacted to obtain a cost for a new marquee for the High School. It was determined to be approximately \$30,000.

e. Safety Committee at Each School:

1. Bona fide committees are designated at each school. Meeting minutes will be collected for a month time frame and delivered to the Board for review.

f. Safety Coordinator Position:

1. The job description is complete, however we are awaiting the Board's decision for complete implementation due to budget concerns.

g. Bullying:

1. Vicky Roessler asked if our bullying program was working within the District. Dr. Glasspool said we have two programs in place that are working but we are researching a more up-to-date program.

h. AWAREITY Update:

1. The Board granted a two week period to have the AWAREITY program fully implemented. We are awaiting Verizon to completely install the anonymous tipline.

i. SRO Officers:

1. The District is awaiting information from the Borough Council in reference to subsidizing the position.

j. Climate Survey:

1. Dr. Rossi and Mr. Brewer are assessing questions to develop a climate survey for review.

k. Status of the Ad Hoc Safety Council:

1. The Board spoke on the status of the Ad Hoc Council and its sustainability. The Board decided that the Ad Hoc Council will meet for the last time in May of 2016. A new "Town Hall" format will be instituted this Fall.

**V. Motion to Adjourn: Committee adjourned at 10:18 PM.**