

Malden School Committee
Policy & Procedure Subcommittee
Tuesday, January 19, 2023
6:30pm EST

Location: Malden City Hall; Room #105 / Zoom Remote Participation

Attendees: Ms. Jennifer Spadafora (Chair), Ms. Dawn Macklin, Mr. Robert McCarthy, Mr. Adam Weldai, Superintendent Noriega-Murphy

Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm EST.

Agenda

1. Welcome Center Transfer Policy

The subcommittee discussed the current school transfer policy that allows students to transfer from one Malden Public School to another. Ms. Spadafora explained that the current policy doesn't allow for extenuating circumstances and students are currently placed on a waiting list. Superintendent Noriega-Murphy spoke to the need of creating a policy that would allow students to transfer schools, with the permission of the superintendent, if there was a safety concern, court order or other extenuating circumstance. The subcommittee agreed that a policy should be created so families are aware of options they have. Ms. Spadafora asked Superintendent Noriega-Murphy to look into surrounding district policies and create a draft for the next meeting.

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Ms. Macklin. Seconded by Mr. McCarthy. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 6:57 pm EST.