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POLICY COMMITTEE RSU 12 Central Office November 14, 2019 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Present: Monique Crummett, Frank Hample, Howard Tuttle,

Others: Kelsey Wollen (from Lincoln County Health)

- 1. Kelsey Wollen from Lincoln County Health visited to explain the updated law around tobacco prevention in schools. She suggested edits to our policies.
- 2. ADC and ADC-R Tobacco Prevention
 - a. Kelsey Wollen from Lincoln County Health met with the committee to explain the new law and help the committee update policies.
- 3. Discussion about the new law
 - a. Maine is a Tobacco 21 state.
 - b. Vaping is starting to become an issue with some middle school students. Need educate students and parents about vaping.
 - c. Need to know what the rules are and how to approach people.
 - d. What about hiring policies?
 - e. Discussion about how this is not an RSU 12 mandate. This is a state law.
- 4. Motion to send to the Board for First Reading. Unanimous

Respectfully Submitted,

Howard Tuttle Superintendent