

**HARWOOD UNIFIED UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
POLICY WORK GROUP MEETING
JANUARY 25, 2017 6:00 P.M.
WASHINGTON WEST SU OFFICE**

Approved Minutes

Present: Brigid Nease, Jill Ellis, Sam Jackson, Garrett MacCurtain, Gabriel Gilman

Meeting was called to order at 6:10 p.m.

As a formality, Gabe Gilman was elected chair.

Group discussed policy development and priorities generally, then turned to school choice policy as its top priority. The group collaborated on a choice policy consistent with Article 13 of the Articles of Agreement, developing draft language to be recommended to the full HUUSD Board. Policy addresses deadline to make choice request, options available for those moving to or within the district mid-year, expectation of full-year commitment to a chosen school, and avenues for challenging choice decisions.

There was further discussion with Brigid Nease regarding further priorities. Next priority policies will be (1) Facilities Use, (2) Class Size, (3) Admission of Tuitioned Students.

Next meeting will be February 1, 2017, at Harwood, immediately following the Harwood Board meeting (approximately 6 p.m.).

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Submitted by Gabriel Gilman