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BOARD AGENDA ITEM

ITEM NO: 5.2

BOARD MEETING DATE: Tuesday, October 13, 2026

NEW BUSINESS ITEM: Consideration of Revisions to Policy JJAB, *Limited Open / Closed Forum* (first reading)

SUBMITTED BY: Mindy Westover, Associate Superintendent

PRESENTED BY: Mindy Westover, Associate Superintendent

Policy JJAB, *Limited Open/Closed Forum*, is being recommended for revision to reflect the requirements of Chapter 4, HB 2312, establishing A.R.S. 15-120.08.

A new section titled Patriotic Youth Group has been added to the policy. The new section provides that a public school may not deny a patriotic youth group equal access or a fair opportunity to meet in a designated open or limited public forum or otherwise discriminate against the group based on its membership or leadership requirements or oath of allegiance to God and country.

The new section also establishes procedures for patriotic youth groups to request an opportunity to address students during the first quarter of the school year and provides that principals may accept materials from these groups for distribution to students in accordance with the statute.

RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move that the governing board approve revisions to Policy JJAB, *Limited Open / Closed Forum*, as presented.