

**DUPAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT 13**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Bloomington, Illinois**  
Regular Meeting      January 27, 2025

**FOR DISCUSSION**

**Subject:      First Reading of Amendments to Board Policies**

Anytime a school board proposes to amend or develop a new policy, the proper procedure is to place this policy on first reading status. By doing this, it permits members of the School Board and others the opportunity to read the language and to make any suggested changes.

Attached is Proposed Policy 4:20 Fund Balances. According to the District's bond counsel, the absence of a policy that reflects the practices of the organization's Finance Department could negatively impact the rating the District receives for the issuance of bonds. Since the District is engaged in this process, the policy, from PRESS services, is available for first reading. Upon second reading of the policy at the February 10 special meeting, it will be voted upon, and then added with the other policies of the District:

Please contact me at any time with your thoughts or concerns about proposed policy 4:20.