

## GOVERNING BOARD AGENDA ITEM AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10

DATE OF MEETING: February 5, 2013

TITLE: Study of Proposed Revisions to Governing Board Policies BK (School

Board Memberships), CBA (Qualifications and Duties of the Superintendent), EHB (Data/Records Retention), and KF (Community Use

of School Facilities)

## **BACKGROUND:**

Arizona School Boards Association Policy Services periodically provides suggested revisions to Governing Board policies. This item is presented to permit the Board to review proposed policy revisions to the following Policies:

**BK (School Board Memberships).** House Bill 2002 establishes new language in A.R.S. 15-511 that prohibits a school district from spending monies for membership in an association that attempts to influence the outcome of an election. Corresponding language has been added to policy document model BK, School Board Memberships. The Superintendent is evaluating the District's local, state, and national memberships to determine if the association with each organization is compliant with statute. ASBA, for example, has already taken organizational steps to comply with the new language thereby allowing school systems to continue their membership in the Association.

**CBA (Qualifications and Duties of the Superintendent).** Language added to A.R.S. 15-802 by Senate Bill 1141 directs school districts and charter schools to require and maintain verifiable documentation of residency in Arizona for pupils who enroll in the school district or charter school. Policy document model CBA, Qualifications and Duties of the Superintendent, has been revised to reflect the new requirement.

**EHB (Data/Records Retention).** A.R.S. 15-341, as modified by Senate Bill 1263, now has language that enables the storage of public records either on paper or in an electronic format, or a combination of paper or electronic format. Policy document model EHB, Data/Records Retention, and Regulation EHB-R have been adjusted accordingly.

**KF** (Community Use of School Facilities). Proposition 203, The Arizona Medical Marijuana Act, was passed by the voters in the 2010 General Election. The Act, recorded as Chapter 28.1 in Arizona Revised Statutes Title 36, prescribes the mandatory, permissive, and restrictive laws pertinent to qualified cardholder patients, caregivers, and nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agents, as well as the employment of qualified cardholders, the policies and rules applicable to district employee and student personnel, public conduct on school property, and the use of school facilities by the community. The Board Members may recall that modifications of personnel policies related to this same issue have already been approved. This makes corresponding changes for the general public.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

This item is presented for the Board's study at this time. The policy revisions will be presented again for the Board's action.

**INITIATED BY:** 

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Date: January 29, 2013

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