

Board of Education

ACTION

TITLE: CONSIDER APPROVAL OF FORMATION OF AN ADVISORY PANEL

DATE: JUNE 25, 2018

RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR: Doug Brubaker, Ph.D.
Superintendent

BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:

Board Policy GCQF, which was originally adopted in 1970 and last updated in 1987, includes a process that enables one or both teams involved in policy consultations (the Classroom Teachers Association and district leadership) to request a three-person advisory panel for policy proposals that were not approved by either party during consultations. The Board must authorize the formation of the panel.

This year, the Classroom Teachers Association has requested the appointment of a three-person advisory panel for a policy proposal. Consistent with the procedure outlined in Board Policy GCQF, the Classroom Teachers Association has selected Lynn Pevehouse to serve as a member of the panel. District leadership has selected Bonneville Elementary School Principal Sharla Whitson to serve as a member of this group. Under this policy, the CTA and the district leadership are to jointly select a third member who will serve as chairman. The Honorable Robert T. Dawson, Senior U.S. District Judge for the Western District of Arkansas, has been named the third member and has agreed to serve.

RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends approval of the appointment of the advisory panel.

If the Board agrees, the motion would read: ***move to approve the appointment of the advisory panel as recommended.***