# Revision of EIE (Local) Academic Achievement: Retention & Promotion

April 10, 2007

# **SUMMARY:**

This item requests approval of revised EIE (Local) Academic Achievement: Retention and Promotion Policy

## **PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:**

EIE (Local) Action: DATE ISSUED: 04/01/2005 UPDATE 75 EIE(LOCAL)-X

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## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Section 101.2019 (b) states "The school board of each district and each charter school may establish a policy that provides for the placement of retained students in an age-appropriate learning environment in accordance with local grade configurations for elementary, middle, and high school campuses, this policy may specify the age by which a retained student should be placed on the next level campus even though not yet promoted to the grade of that campus."

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

None

## **BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

Provide for an age appropriate placement when students have multiple retentions

# PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

None

# **PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:**

None

# **ALTERNATIVES:**

- Adhere to Section 101.2003 grade advancement testing requirements with no placement options in grade 3, 5 and 8
- Maintain EIE (Local) issued 4/1/2005

### SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

Approve revised EIE (Local) Academic Achievement: Retention and Promotion Policy on first reading.

### STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Dr. Roger Rutherford, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Academic Programs Happy Carrico, Executive Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Staff Development

# **ATTACHMENT:**

None

### **APPROVAL:**

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:

Signature of Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_