

Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting

May 25, 2010

District Acceptable Use Policy 2010-2011

Board Goal:

I, II, III, IV, VI

Purpose of Report

This report will brief the Board on changes in the Student and Employee AUP's allowing personal web enabled (Wi-Fi) devices to be used on campus for instructional enhancement.

Objectives

- Increase the collaboration tools for instructional interaction
- Develop a better understanding for safe and professional Internet awareness
- Help our instructional staff to be “in” the student’s communication world while developing real world problem solving skills

Operational Impact

There will be little operational impact as we will have campus CTS's, TI's and CT's helping with instruction and professional development. The Board will consider recommended changes in the District's Acceptable Use Policy which will allow student and staff web enabled devices on campus.

Results

This open access will help our students and staffs understand “Cloud Computing” and its “anytime/anywhere” rewards. The district Internet will be increased from 100mb's to 300mb's and the extra bandwidth will provide the conduit for our students and staff to utilize the Microsoft Live@Edu cloud computing workspace.

Other Options

The new open access Acceptable Use Policy will provide students with a more palatable solution to have more students' access real time/ real world content without the district incurring the cost of supplying funding for a 1 to 1 computing solution.

The new open access Acceptable Use Policy will update our posting policies to bring them in line with current practices on campuses and fully utilize existing Web 2.0 tools to enhance instruction.