



Geneva Community Unit School District 304

Office of Learning & Teaching

TO: Board of Education
FROM: Andy Barrett, Superintendent
RE: Hearing Officer Services for Disciplinary Matters
DATE: August 25, 2025

Over the last few months the Board has engaged in dialogue regarding the potential of utilizing a hearing officer in certain student disciplinary matters as outlined in School Board Policy 7:210. Should the Board be interested in exploring this further, the next step in this process would call for the administration to seek a proposal for potential hearing officer services. The proposal would then be presented to the Board at a future meeting for consideration and potential approval.

Today I am seeking direction via a formal vote of the Board of Education regarding this potential next step. The question:

Should the administration seek a formal proposal for hearing officer services for potential use in future student disciplinary matters?



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