

Executive Summary

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TASB Policy Update 87

Purpose of Report

TASB Update 87 includes 54 legal policies, 6 local policies and 4 Exhibits. This Update is the second of two post-legislative updates and encompasses changes in law from the 81st Legislative Session.

Update 87 includes new codes on accountability, required Web postings, safety and security, and interlocal cooperation contracts. The update also addresses a variety of other topics, including tax rates and bonds, financial solvency reviews, salary reduction agreements for investment products, use of district funds for property owned by or under control of an institution of higher education, required reports that districts must publish, employee resignations, drug-free workplace requirements, retention of staff at a repurposed campus, and elective courses on the Bible

Local policies included in Update 87:

- DFBB(LOCAL): TERM CONTRACTS - NONRENEWAL
- DFE(LOCAL): TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT - RESIGNATION
- DI(LOCAL): EMPLOYEE WELFARE
- FB(LOCAL): EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY
- FFH(LOCAL): STUDENT WELFARE - FREEDOM FROM DISCRIMINATION, HARASSMENT, AND RETALIATION

Operational Impact

These policies guide the District's operation and protect the rights of employees and students. Careful consideration should be given to each policy.

Results

Over the next several weeks, a first and second reading of the policies will be held. Policies will be adopted at the second reading.