# First Reading Approval - Policy DGB (LOCAL)

May 11, 2010

#### **SUMMARY:**

This item requests first reading approval of changes recommended to Policy DGB (LOCAL).

### **BOARD GOAL:**

To promote and nourish a safe learning and working environment which is supportive, cooperative, ethical, and ensures open communication.

### PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

The Board reviewed the proposed changes in workshop setting on April 20, 2010.

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Policy DGB (LOCAL) details the functions and operations of the Board approved Teacher Communication Committee (TCC).

#### SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

This policy is being recommended for modification by the TCC membership. The policy has not been updated in many years and is no longer reflective of current practices based on the growth of the district.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

None.

### **BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

Approval of these modifications will align the policy to current practices based on the size of the district.

### PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

Once approved, the changes will be recorded by the district's policy service and incorporated into the policy manual.

### PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

Members of the Teacher Communication Committee outlined the proposed changes before the Board on April 20, 2010.

### **ALTERNATIVES:**

The Board may take no action leaving the current policy language in place or the Board may make further modifications.

### **OTHER COMMENTS:**

None.

### SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

The Superintendent recommends that the Board approve on First Reading the proposed modifications to Policy DGB (LOCAL) as presented in the attachment.

## STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Vicki Storrie, TCC Chairperson Karen Guenther, TCC Secretary Ray Braswell, Superintendent

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

Proposed changes to Policy DGB (LOCAL)

APPROVAL: Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:
Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:
Signature of Superintendent: