



**NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
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TO: Roxanne Brower, President
Members of the School Board

THROUGH: Stewart McDonald, Superintendent

THROUGH: Lincoln Saito, Chief Operations Officer

FROM: Brian Freeman, Coordinator of Grants, Foundations and Partnerships

DATE: November 16, 2017

SUBJECT: BP 6174.2 Public Participation in Educational Program Determination **MEMO#: SB17-Action Item**

NSBSD Strategic Plan Goal:

2.2 COMMUNITY IN THE SCHOOL: Honoring ideas generated by the community for the inclusion of Elders, parents and community members in school academics and activities as well as utilizing community resources and expertise in learning.

Issue Summary:

To comply with new Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) include specific Tribal consultation requirements. The current BP 6173.2 includes participation by the Federal Parent Program Advisory Committee that is being proposed to be included in BP 6173.3 Tribal Participation in Impact Aid Determination and Other Federal Programs (First Reading). Public participation in Impact Aid and other Federal Programs is addressed in BP 6173.3.

Background:

During the reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) required changes to Indian Policies and Procedures (IPP) Regulatory Changes per 34 CFR222.94. This included specific language for School Districts to consult with the Federal Program Parent Advisory Committee (FPPAC), the Indian Education Committee. The language referring to the FPPAC in current BP 6173.2 is not compliant with the regulatory changes. The compliant changes are reflected in BP 6173.3 (First Reading). Further, the title of the current policy is BP 6174.2 Public Participation in Impact Aid-Determination. The recommended title change reflects the purpose of the School Advisory Councils participation in educational programs.

Recommendation:

Board Policy BP 6174.2 Public Participation in Impact Aid-Determination will be replaced by BP 6174.2 Public Participation in Educational Program Determination.

Motion:

“I move that the NSBSD Board of Education accept BP 6174.2 Public Participation in Educational Program Determination including changes to the title and removing reference to the Federal Programs Parent Advisory Committee as a first reading.”

