

ITEM FOR ACTION AT A FUTURE MEETING

CONSIDER PROPOSED REVISIONS TO BOARD POLICIES GCBDD, IKF

SUMMARY

Revisions are recommended to update school board policies GCBDD and IKF. Changes were generated by the Oregon School Boards Association, which provides policy recommendations to reflect changes in state statutes and/or regulations and best practices, and integrated and recommended by staff. Most of the proposed changes are necessary to align district policy to changes in the law.

POLICY DRAFT KEY

<u>Blue Underlined</u> Recommended language additions or changes

Removed outdated language

Black Italicized Existing language moved within policy

BACKGROUND

GCBDD - Sick Time - NEW

The district proposes adopting this recommended policy from OSBA which aligns with Oregon law providing that the district as an employer must provide sick time to all employees as defined in ORS 653.601. The provision and use of sick time for most employees is governed by the district's agreements with its employee associations. This policy would not alter the provisions articulated in those agreements; it would establish sick time provisions to apply only where not otherwise specified in an applicable employee agreement.

IKF - Graduation Requirements - REVISED

This update adds language to align with changes in state law regarding new graduation requirements including personal financial education and higher education and career path skills, reflect the change in Oregon high school completion options to eliminate the alternative certificate and provide a certificate of attendance, and include the new provision to waive certain diploma requirements for students who complete a full International Baccalaureate diploma or career-related program.

RECOMMENDATION

The proposed revisions to these policies are presented for initial consideration and will come before the board for approval at its next meeting:

- Adoption of board policy GCBDD
- Revisions to board policy IKF