

Browning Public Schools
Board Agenda Request
Meeting to Be Held: 5/26/21



Recognition: ☐ Students ☐ Staff ☐ Parents
Information: ☐ Building Report ☐ Old Business ☐ Superintendent's Report
Action: ☐ Resignation ☐ Hiring ☐ Contract Service Agreements
 ☐ Travel Out-of-State ☐ Travel In State ☒ Approvals
 ☐ Termination ☐ Legal Matters ☐ Other:
 This action request pertains to ☐ Elementary (only) ☒ High School/District Wide

Date: 5/18/21

To School board Members

From: Corrina Guardipee-Hall ED.S.
Title: Superintendent

Subject: Waive the policy #3535

Description: We are requesting to waive the policy #3535 for this year only. During this pandemic it has been difficult and no one had a choice of whether or not they would be remote. Therefore we are asking that the fines associated with our technology be waived this year as long as students turn in their devices regardless of condition.

Financial Impact: N/A

Funding Source (Budget/grant, etc.): N/A

Attachment(s): Policy

Approval: Superintendent's Office/Finance/Personnel as applicable (Initial) _____

Comments: _____

Board Action: ☐ N/A (Info) ☐ Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Tabled to: _____

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4 Policy #3535

5 Policy Name: *Student Fees, Fines and Charges*

6 Regulation: -----
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8 Within the concept of free public education, the District shall provide an educational program for the students as
9 free of costs as possible.

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11 A student may be charged a reasonable fee for any course or activity not reasonably related to a recognized academic
12 and educational goal of the District or any course of activity held outside normal school functions. The Board may
13 waive the fee in cases of financial hardship.
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15 The Board delegates authority to the Superintendent to establish appropriate fees and procedures governing the
16 collection of fees and to make annual reports to the Board regarding fee schedules. Fees may be required for the
17 actual cost of breakage and of excessive supplies used in courses such as commercial, industrial arts, music,
18 domestic science or agriculture.
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20 A student shall be responsible for the cost of replacing materials or property, which are lost, stolen, or damaged due
21 to negligence. The student and parent shall be notified regarding the nature of the violation or damage, how
22 restitution may be made, and how and appeal may be instituted. A student's grades or diploma may be withheld
23 until restitution is made. The student or parent may appeal the imposition of charges or restitution.
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29 **Cross Reference:** #3900 Student Appeal Policy
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31 **Legal Reference:** MCA 20-5-201 Duties and Sanctions
32 MCA 20-7-703 Free Textbook Provisions
33 MCA 20-9-214 Fees
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36 **Policy History:**

37 Adopted on: 4/13/00

38 Revised on: 7/25/19
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