## 6151 - Addition of an Athletic Program

An applicant proposing the addition of a new athletic program shall:

- Provide <u>Submit</u> a formal written request that shall be submitted to the Director of School Operations <u>Assistant Superintendent</u>. This request should indicate: what facilities the district currently has to provide for this type of activity and should include:
- a) Facility usage plans
- b) what Defined level(s) of activity activities is being sought
- an estimate of the initial start-up <u>A detailed financial report defining the start-up</u> costs including, but not limited to, equipment, rental and leasing, uniforms, facilities, <u>etc.</u>
- d) <u>Detailed financial report defining the costs of operating the</u> program will require as far as annual <u>annually</u> funding including, but not limited to, the cost for transportation, rental and leasing, officials, coaching salaries, <u>maintenance</u>, entry fees, and annual supplies <u>etc</u>. A formal, written request for the addition of a specific athletic program can be submitted to the Director of School Operations only once within a calendar year.
- e) Feeder program numbers (local and state)
- f) <u>Community support for the program</u>
- g) Coaching availability
- h) Regional and local competition (schedule)
- This <u>Written</u> request will be reviewed by a committee consisting of the <u>Director of School Operations</u>; <u>Assistant Superintendent</u>, the <u>CFO</u>/Director of Business <u>Services</u> and Finance, the Activities Directors, and principals from Central, <u>Denfeld</u>, and East High Schools; and the School Board member assigned to assess co-curricular programs. This committee will consider Title IX implications, the impact the proposed athletic program will have on existing athletic programs, DFT concerns, estimated expenses, individual school concerns, and other items covered or not covered in the formal request.
- 2) The Committee's recommendation including, but not limited to, the new program's anticipated expenses, a recommended time frame for implementation, minimum number of participants necessary for implementation, and level of play offered, will be forwarded to the Education Committee for a recommendation to the School Board. The School Board shall make the final determination to

approve, deny, or table the request. The Superintendent or his/her designee shall respond to the applicant with a summary of the School Board's decision.

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