



BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

KELLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

3A. Report

Date: September 16, 2005

SUBJECT: EXTRA-CURRICULAR CODE OF CONDUCT

BOARD GOAL: Keller Independent School District facilities and services will be operated in a safe manner so that all students and employees may thrive in a secure and nurturing environment.

FISCAL NOTE: None

Background Information:

- Discussion of Extra-Curricular Codes of Conduct
- Comparisons with other districts

Administrative Considerations:

- Application of Extra-Curricular Code of among various organizations

On or about the fall of 1999 the Keller School District began using an Extra-Curricular Code of Conduct. During the summer of 2002 the Keller ISD Extra-Curricular Code of conduct was modified to its current form. In both instances the document was developed and later modified through input of administrators, program sponsors, and coaches as well as the results of a comparative study of neighboring districts. The Keller school board approved the document as an action item on August 5, 2002.

The Extra-Curricular Code of Conduct is a set of standards and expectations as they relate to on and off campus behavior in activities such as band, drill team, cheerleading and athletics. The document stipulates that coaches and directors may develop within their program, more stringent or additional consequences than listed in the document. With that in mind, it is noteworthy that like programs are expected to operate under the same standards, ex. All drill teams should be alike and all athletic teams should be alike.

Implementation standards and procedures in the Keller School District as well as neighboring districts will be examined with special emphasis on the implications of having discretionary consequences for different programs.

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Respectfully submitted,

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