

School Board Meeting:

June 26, 2012

Subject:

Buildings and Sites

Presenter:

Eric Hamilton and Moreen Martell

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

Board action is required for the final reading of a policy.

DESCRIPTION:

New policy and policy revision

Final Reading of a New Policy (Board Action Required)

The following new policy is being presented to the School Board for final reading:

- **Policy #807 – Health and Safety Policy**
X Mandatory Policy

Brief Description:

This is a new mandatory policy required by M.S. 123B.57, Subd. 2, for school boards to qualify for health and safety revenue. To receive health and safety revenue, school districts must submit an application to the Commissioner of Education, along with a health and safety budget adopted and confirmed by the school board as being consistent with the school district's health and safety policy. The provisions of this policy substantially reflect statutory requirements. The Minnesota Department of Education indicated in the March 22, 2012, *Weekly Superintendent Mail*, that the adoption deadline for a Health and Safety Policy is July 20, 2012. The Minnesota Department of Education has approved this policy.

Final Reading of a Revised Policy (Board Action Required)

The following revised policy is being presented to the School Board for final reading:

- **Policy #850 – Vandalism**
X District Policy Only

Brief Description:

Policy #807 – Vandalism is an internally created policy (December 1979) that was given the policy number of #807. In May 2012 we received a new mandatory MSBA policy with the same policy number of #807. Since MSBA's policy is mandatory, we recommend renumbering our internal Vandalism Policy from #807 to #850.