

To: Board of Education
From: Karen Vespestad (ext.4693)
Date: April 23, 2008
Re: Board Policy Update (Consent Agenda)

Background: The Board Policy Review Committee meets twice monthly to review current policies, consider amendments, examine new and revised policies from KASB, and discuss with administrators how policy and practice can both be aligned to ensure compliance with state statutes while meeting the situational requirements of all district entities. Policies H, J, K, L, M are scheduled for review during the 2007-08 school year.

Rationale: The table below delineates the policies that you will be asked to consider for 1st reading at the April 28th Board meeting.

Recommendations:

Policy	Explanation of Change	April 28
BBBF – District Payment for Board Professional Development and Business Travel	This paragraph was added to the original policy in 2005; however, since that time, additional procedures for professional development and travel have been put into place which makes this language unnecessary.	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Rdg
JGEC – Discrimination and Harassment	Content clarification edit	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Rdg
JGFG – Student Accidents	Content clarification edit	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Rdg
JQKA – International Students	Content clarification edit	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Rdg

Motion: “I move the board approve policies XXX on 1st reading.”