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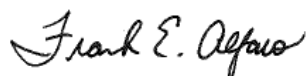
Dr. Dana Bashara,

We have the following local policy revisions to recommend that the school board approve in the April 2026 regular board meeting.

- CE(LOCAL): This revision simply catches up to the change in the budget year that the board approved in June 2024, changing the district's budget year from July-June to September-August. CE(LOCAL) was an accompanying local policy that we overlooked at that time.
- There are also several local policy revisions based on District of Innovation (DOI) exemptions the board has previously approved:
 - BQ(LOCAL), BQA(LOCAL), and BQB(LOCAL): The revisions are cosmetic changes, not substantive, based on how the TASB policy is now making DOI notations in the policy manual.
 - DGBA(LOCAL), FNG(LOCAL), and GF(LOCAL): These revisions are to reflect the decision that the board made earlier this school year to exempt the district from changes in state law about grievances. Instead of changing our grievance policy, the board approved a DOI exemption to enable the district to keep our grievance policies as they were prior to the 89th legislative session. DGBA deals with employee grievances. FNG deals with student and parent grievances. GF deals with grievances from the public.
 - (added 3/25/26) EEB(L) is marked for deletion. FYI: The class size ratio exemption will still be reflected in EEB(LEGAL), but TASB no longer creates (LOCAL) DOI local policies unless the local already has provisions about the exemption in standard text. This, too, is "clean up" and not a substantial change in policy.

We respectfully request that the Board of Trustees approve these local policy revisions.

Sincerely,



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