

<b>BOARD POLICIES</b>	METRO TECHNOLOGY CENTERS <b>BOARD POLICIES</b> (BP-2023)	<b>The on-line version of the policy is official. Therefore, all printed versions are unofficial copies.</b>
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**1.0 POLICY:**

**Law, Philosophy, and Enforcement:** The superintendent and staff will make every effort to ensure that Board policies conform to state and federal laws. Questions concerning the legality of any policy should be addressed to the superintendent. The Board desires that formal policy be consistent toward continuous improvement for the District and its stakeholders.

**Policy Development:** Recognizing that formal guidelines are necessary to ensure that the District responds to the stated mission, and operates from a position of quality in an effective, efficient, and consistent manner, a set of written policy statements shall be formulated and maintained.

It is the Board's intention that its policies serve as sources of information and guidance for all stakeholders, internal and external, of Metro Technology Centers.

The basic responsibility for initiating, reviewing, and recommending new policies or policy modifications shall rest with the board, superintendent and staff.

**Policy Adoption:** Policies will be sent to Board Members one week prior to their presentation for adoption at a regular, special, reconvened or emergency meeting of the Board to allow Board Members an opportunity to visit with the superintendent if they have questions

**Policy Dissemination:** The superintendent will develop procedures to preserve and make accessible the policies adopted by the Board.

Accessibility is to extend to all employees of the school system, to members of the Board, students, and to persons in the community insofar as conveniently possible.

**Suspension of Policies:** The operation of any section or sections of board policies not established by law or contract may be temporarily suspended by a majority vote of board members present at any meeting.

Policy review will be on-going and aimed for continuous quality improvement.

**Administration in Policy Absence:** The superintendent shall have the power to take action if an emergency situation should develop for which the Board has no policy. The superintendent will present such action for Board ratification at the next regular meeting of the Board.

**2.0 LEGAL REFERENCE:** 70 O.S. § 5-117.A.2

**3.0 CROSS REFERENCE:** N/A

**4.0 REVISION HISTORY:**

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Description of Revision:</u>
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September 22, 2003	B	Reformatted
December 15, 2003	C	Legal references reviewed and revised as necessary
November 22, 2004	D	Revised

**5.0 PCF FRAMEWORK #:** 11.4.2 Manage board policies

**\*\*\* End of Policy \*\*\***