POLICY DEVELOPMENT

It is the intent of the Board to develop polices and to put them in writing so they may serve as
guidelines and goals for the successful functioning of the school district. The formulation and
adoption of written polices along with the provision of personnel, facilities, equipment, and
materials to properly administer and execute these policies is a chief function of the Board.

The board accepts the definition of policy set forth by the National School Boards associations:

“Policies are principles adopted by the school board to chart a course of
action. They tell what is wanted; they may include why and how much.
Policies should be broad enough to indicate a line of action to be followed
by the administration, which then sets the rules and regulations to provide
specific directions to school district personnel.”

Proposals for development of polices may originate from any source: such as, a parent, a student,
a taxpayer, a school employee, a civic group.

Proposals shall be placed in written form. The Superintendent of Schools shall assist in drafting
the policy statement when requested.

The Superintendent of Schools shall record the number of times a policy is brought to the
attention of the school board for discussion and what action is taken concerning the policy. The
Superintendent of Schools shall annually apprise the School Board of these records.