

**Wakefield Community School
Hearings for Parent Involvement in Ed Practices & Title 1
Monday, August 14, 2017 7:05 PM**

The Board of Education Regular Meeting convened in open and public session on Monday, August 14, 2017 at 7:05 PM in the Board of Education Room at the Board of Education Room 802 Highland Street Wakefield, NE 68784.

President Brown informed the group of the Open Meetings Act posted in the room and accessible to all members of the public as required by law. All board members had received notice of the meeting and the meeting notice had been published/posted in a timely manner prior to the meeting date.

ATTENDANCE TAKEN AT 7:05 PM:

Present: Mrs. Karen Borg, Bree Brown, Arianne Conley, Mr. Ben Donner, Shannon Johnson, Mark Victor. Present: 6.

Call to Order

Policy 5018 Parental Involvement in Education

Adjournment

motion to adjourn Passed with a motion by Bree Brown and a second by Arianne Conley.

Mrs. Karen Borg: Yea

Bree Brown: Yea

Arianne Conley: Yea

Mr. Ben Donner: Yea

Shannon Johnson: Yea

Mark Victor: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Call to Order

Hearing Agenda

Policy 5057 Parental Involvement in the Title 1 program

Adjournment

Move to adjourn Passed with a motion by Shannon Johnson and a second by Mr. Ben Donner.

Mrs. Karen Borg: Yea

Bree Brown: Yea

Arianne Conley: Yea

Mr. Ben Donner: Yea

Shannon Johnson: Yea

Mark Victor: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

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Parental Involvement In the Title I Program

The school district will jointly develop with parents a School-Parent-Student Compact that outlines shared responsibility for improved student academic achievement.

The school district recognizes the unique needs of students who are being served in its Title I program, and the importance of parental involvement in the Title I program. Parental Involvement in the Title I Program shall include, but is not limited to:

1. An annual meeting to which all parents of participating children will be invited. Invitations may take the form of notes sent with students or announcements in the school newsletter. Additional meetings may be scheduled, based upon need and interest for such meetings.
2. An explanation of the details for the child's participation, including but not limited to: curriculum objectives, type and extent of participation, parental input in educational decisions, coordination and integration with other district programs, and evaluations of progress. This information may be included in the annual Title I Individual Education Plan (IEP) for the student.
3. Opportunities for parent involvement activities such as training on ways to support children's learning. This opportunity may include, but is not limited to, attendance at the annual Nebraska State Title I Parent Involvement Conference. The goal of these parent activities is to provide parents with opportunities to participate in decisions relating to the education of their students, where appropriate.
4. The district will, to the extent practicable, provide parents of limited English proficiency, parents with disabilities, and parents of migratory children with opportunities for involvement in the Title I Program. Communication to parents about student progress will be provided in the language used in the. Responses to parent concerns will be provided in a timely manner.
5. Opportunities for parent-teacher conferences, in addition to those regularly scheduled by the school district, if requested by the parents or as deemed necessary by school district staff.
6. The District will coordinate and integrate parental involvement programs and activities with other community programs. These may include cooperation with other community programs such as Head Start and preschools and other community services such as the public library.

This policy shall be reviewed annually at the annual meeting where concerned parties can have a conversation about possible changes to the Parental Involvement Policy, and the board shall either (1) alter the policy and adopt it as altered, or (2) reaffirm the policy, following a public hearing.

Adopted on: 6/14/2010

Revised on: 7/11/2016

Reviewed on: 8/8/2016-8/14/2017