Energy Conservation

The Bethany Board of Education (Board) believes that measures should be taken to conserve energy resources and to reduce expenditures of funds for energy while providing a safe and comfortable learning environment for all staff and students. Therefore, the Board hereby directs the administration, supported by the school staff, to continually assess the consumption of energy and implement reasonable operating procedures to reduce energy consumption in the Bethany Public School District (District).

The Superintendent or his/her designee shall establish an energy efficiency program which shall include specific strategies designed to help the District use energy more efficiently and to help ensure that funds intended for student learning are not diverted to cover energy costs.

The Superintendent or his/her designee shall regularly inspect District facilities and operations and make recommendations for maintenance and capital expenditures which may help the District reach its energy conservation goals. Further, every effort shall be made to identify funding opportunities and cost-reducing incentive programs to help the District achieve its conservation goals.

The Superintendent or his/her designee shall periodically report to the Board on the District's progress in meeting its energy conservation goals.

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