

Board Resolution – Cybersecurity Policy Adoption

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-__

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE STOW-MUNROE FALLS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT ADOPTING A CYBERSECURITY POLICY PURSUANT TO HOUSE BILL 96 (ORC § 9.64).

WHEREAS,

the Board recognizes that protecting District data and technology resources is essential to effective operations and student safety; and

House Bill 96 (ORC § 9.64) requires political subdivisions, including school districts, to adopt a cybersecurity program aligned with recognized best practices; and

the Board finds it necessary and appropriate to adopt policies ensuring compliance with state law, protection of data, and accountability for cybersecurity;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

1. Policy po7540.07 – Cybersecurity Program is hereby adopted to establish and maintain a comprehensive cybersecurity program consistent with the NIST Cybersecurity Framework and CIS Controls, as required by ORC § 9.64. The Superintendent, Treasurer, and Director of Operations are authorized and directed to develop, implement, and update the accompanying administrative guidelines, which shall include procedures for risk management, incident and ransomware response, disaster recovery and business continuity, staff training, vendor oversight, and related cybersecurity measures.

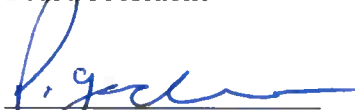
2. The Superintendent, Treasurer, and Director of Operations shall provide an annual report to the Board regarding the status of the District's cybersecurity program and any significant incidents.

3. Ransomware payments are prohibited unless explicitly authorized by resolution of the Board in accordance with ORC § 9.64.

Adopted this 8 day of September, 2025.



Board President



Treasurer