

**Policy Committee Meeting 01/15/26**

**5:30pm - 7:00pm**

**North Monterey County High School Media Center**

**13990 Castroville Blvd. Castroville, CA**

Chair: Angelo DiMarco

Committee Members: Adriana Melgoza, Matt Turkie, Sandy Ruiz, Ángel Garibaldo, Gabriela Modglin, Joel Ruiz, Noemi Alonzo, Christina Kalenda, Eric Stover

**CSBA Policy Updates November 2025: Staff Recommendations**

POLICY	TITLE	Staff responsible	Staff Recommendations	MANDATED? M= Mandate C = Conditionally Mandated
BP 1000	Concepts and Roles	Matt	Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BP 1114	District-Sponsored Social Media	Rebecca	Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
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AR 1114	District-Sponsored Social Media	Rebecca	Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BP 2120	Superintendent Recruitment and Selection	Matt	Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				

AR 3311.3	Design-Build Contracts	Brenda / Nathan	<p>Brenda:  Until January 1, 2025, the Governing Board may approve a design-build contract with a single entity for both design and construction of any school facility in excess of \$1,000,000, awarding the contract to either the low bid or the best value as determined by evaluation of objective criteria. (Education Code 17250.20)</p> <p><b>EDITED VERSION Change the sentence above to the below:</b></p> <p><b>Pursuant to Education Code 17250.20, the Board may approve a design-build contract with a single entity for both design and construction of any school facility in excess of \$1,000,000, awarding the contract to either the low bid or the best value as determined by evaluation of objective criteria.</b></p> <p>Nathan:</p>	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with Brenda's recommendation.				
BP 3470	Debt Issuance and Management	Brenda	<p><b>Red is to remove, Purple is to add</b></p> <p>Special financing programs or structures offered by the federal or state government, such as <b>Qualified Zone Academy Bonds</b> or <b>including tax-credit or subsidized interest obligations or other similar programs that are legally available</b>, when the use of such programs or structures is determined to result in sufficiently lower financing costs compared to traditional tax-exempt bonds and/or COPs</p>	C
<b>Notes:</b> Go with Brenda's recommendation.				
BP 4000	Concepts and Roles	Matt	Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				

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<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BP 5020	Parent Rights and Responsibilities	Matt / Antonio	Matt: Adopt as recommended by CSBA Antonio: Adopt as recommended.	M
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<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BP 5117	Interdistrict Attendance	Sophie	<input type="checkbox"/> OPTION 1: <input type="checkbox"/> OPTION 2: <i>Sophie:</i> I worked with the lawyer to update the BP 5117. I have also incorporated the suggestions from CSBA.  Please forward these policies for Board approval: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">BP 5117 Red Lined</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">BP 5117 Clean</a></li> </ul>	This has already been approved by the board
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<b>Notes:</b> Already approved by the board.				

BP 5138	Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation	Antonio / Katie	<p>Katie: Move forward with adoption, this is just an amendment to an original policy to include confidentiality for peer mediators and specific training. We have only just begun this at one school- the middle school.</p> <p>Antonio: Adopt as recommended.</p>	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BP 6020	Parent Involvement	Antonio	<p>Antonio: Adopt as recommended with some edits, in purple</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ “The Board shall establish and convene a parent advisory committee (PAC), and, as applicable, an English learner parent advisory committee (ELPAC) to review and comment on the LCAP, in accordance Board Policy 0460 – Local Control and Accountability Plan, including the use of federal funds and how funds will be allocated for parent/guardian involvement activities as well as activities related to increasing student achievement.</li> <li>■ “As required by law, the Superintendent or designee shall annually attend a regular meeting of the PAC or ELPAC, if applicable parent advisory committee and District English Learner Advisory Committee meeting, to receive input and feedback on topics that support student achievement and programs that reach parents/guardians and family members at home, in the community, and at school. (20 USC 6318)”.</li> </ul>	C
<p><b>Notes:</b> Angelo recommended revising the language to improve clarity and accessibility for the public and indicated that he will prepare an amendment.</p> <p>Eric Stover reported that feedback from LPAC meetings suggested the discussions felt more directive rather than focused on gathering parent input. He agreed that the language should be revised for clarity.</p> <p>Angelo will fix the wording and will send out an email by 02/04/26.</p>				

AMENDMENTS:

- “The Board shall establish and convene the LCAP advisory parent committee and DELAC to review and comment on the LCAP, in accordance Board Policy 0460 – Local Control and Accountability Plan, including the use of federal funds and how funds will be allocated for parent/guardian involvement activities as well as activities related to increasing student achievement.
- As required by law, the Superintendent or designee shall annually attend a regular LCAP advisory parent committee and DLAC parent committee to receive input and feedback on topics that support student achievement and programs that reach parents/guardians and family members at home, in the community, and at school.”

AR 6020	Parent Involvement	Antonio	Antonio: Adopt as recommended.	C
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**Notes:**

BP 6143	Courses of Study	Antonio / Kim	Antonio: Adopt as recommended.	C
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**Notes:** Go with state recommendation.

CC recommended that the Personal Finance Program be offered as a course, preferably designated as an A–G elective at the G level.

AR 6143	Courses of Study	Antonio / Kim	Antonio: Adopt as recommended	
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BP 6146.2	Certificate of Proficiency/High School Equivalency	Antonio / Kim	Antonio: Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
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E(1) 6146.2	Certificate of Proficiency/High School Equivalency	Antonio / Kim	Antonio: Adopt this exhibit as recommended	
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BP 7000	Concepts and Roles	Matt	Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BP 7131	Relations with Local Agencies	Brenda Matt	Matt: Adopt as recommended by CSBA	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with state recommendation.				
BB 9310	Board Policies	Matt	Adopt as recommended, with one amendment, Under Board Policy development and adoption, point 4, change “shall” to “may”, as this reflects district practice.	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with Matt’s recommendation.				
BB 9321	Closed Session	Matt / Curtis	Matt: To adopt as recommended, with the amendment to not include the following statement: “On a case-by-case basis, the student Board member(s) may make restorative justice recommendations to the Board regarding specific expulsion matters in accordance with Board Bylaw 9150 - Student Board Members.”  Curtis:	
<b>Notes:</b> Go with Matt’s recommendation.				
E(1) 9321	Closed Session	Matt	To adopt as recommended	
<b>Notes:</b>				
E(2) 9321	Closed Session	Matt	To adopt as recommended	
<b>Notes:</b>				

### Future Items

Angelo discussed proposed administrative regulation changes aimed at demilitarizing the campus and reducing the appearance of security staff as law enforcement, in light of current events related to ICE activity. He noted that security staff could wear bulletproof vests underneath their clothing.

Eric suggested that security staff presentation should be more approachable to support a welcoming campus environment.