

Series 3000 – Business & Non-Instructional Operations

5. Non-Instructional Operations

C. Buildings

(1) Utilities

(a) Energy Conservation

Measures should be taken to conserve energy resources and to reduce expenditures of funds for energy, while providing a safe and comfortable learning environment. Continual assessment of energy consumption and implementation of reasonable operating procedures to reduce energy consumption in the district is expected of administration.

The Superintendent or his/her designee shall establish energy efficiency programs 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 report annually in October or November to the Board on the district's progress in meeting its energy conservation goals.

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