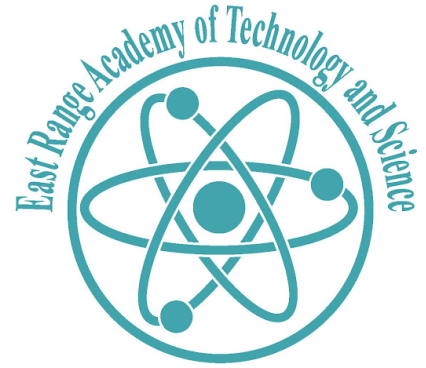


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Board Policy Development and Implementation



Adopted: 9-14-2020 Revised:

I. POLICY DEVELOPMENT

The East Range Academy School Board will evaluate policies on an ongoing basis and directs the school's Director and staff to bring to its attention any areas in need of a new policy or an existing policy's revision. Policies also may be proposed for adoption, amendment or repeal by any member of the administration, staff, or a parent or community member.

II. POLICY ADOPTION

To allow time to study proposed policies, to provide an opportunity for interested parties to react, and for the views of the public and staff to be heard and considered, the Board will adhere to the following procedure in considering proposals to adopt, amend or delete. This procedure will ensure that a proposed policy is placed on the Board agenda for no fewer than three (3) public meetings before official Board action is taken.

1. First Reading - the proposal will be presented for information and possible discussion.
2. Second Reading - the proposal will be presented for additional discussion.
3. Third Reading - the proposal will be presented for additional discussion and possible adoption.

At the discretion of the Board, policies may **not** require three readings if they are being presented:

1. For amendment, where such amendment may be administrative in nature or does not materially alter the intent of the policy;
2. For deletion;
3. To be adopted in compliance within a timeframe established by the schools Authorizer or by state or federal law, or to meet emergency conditions; or
4. After at least one publicly-posted meeting of the Policy Committee where the community has been provided opportunity for input.

During discussion of a policy, Board members may propose amendments. Such amendments will **not** require that the policy be subject to additional readings **unless** the Board determines that a further reading is necessary. The formal adoption, amendment, or deletion of policies will be recorded in the minutes of the Board meetings and will become effective immediately.

The procedures for amending the Bylaws of East Range Academy are identical to the procedures for amending Board Policies.