

Resolution - Comprehensive School Counseling Plan

BOARD RESOLUTION No. _____

WHEREAS, Chapter 28A.320 RCW authorizes local school boards to govern their respective districts, including the promotion of effective, efficient, and safe district operations, and RCW 28A.330.100 authorizes local school boards with additional powers, and RCW 28A.150.230 assigns local school boards the responsibility for ensuring quality in the content and extent of its educational program;

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 5030 – School Districts – Comprehensive School Counseling Programs became law following the 2021 legislative session;

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 5030 created new sections to chapter 28A.320 RCW that require school districts to create a long-term written plan for developing and implementing a comprehensive school counseling program and also requires school boards to adopt a transition plan that supports the full implementation of the written plan over time;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that after one or more Open Public Meetings, which included public notice and the opportunity for public comment, the _____ School Board/Public Schools (the Board) has reviewed the district's long-term written plan and its transition plan for the eventual full-implementation of the written plan. Having concluded that the district's plans include the required components of RCW 28A.320.600, the Board hereby adopts the transition plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board directs that its adopted plan be posted on the District's website, making it accessible for those with disabilities and those in the community whose language is one other than English.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that execution of this Resolution is conclusive evidence of the Board's approval of this action and of the authority granted herein. The Board warrants that it has, and at the time of this action had, full power and lawful authority to adopt this instrument. The Board reserves the right to update and revise this plan as appropriate or needed.

Adopted and approved this _____ day of _____.

By: _____
Board President or Designee

Attest: _____
Superintendent

Adoption Date: **03.22**
Classification: **Encouraged**
Revised Dates: **11.29.22**