**OE-17 Sustainability**

Policy Type: Operational Expectation

*The Board believes that integrating sustainable practices into all district operations, curricula and buildings is essential for fostering an environmentally responsible educational environment.*

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The Superintendent shall ensure sustainability is embedded throughout the District.

**The Superintendent will:**

# Develop and implement a comprehensive resource management plan.

# Establish and maintain a robust waste management program.

# Evaluate and implement a sustainable transportation plan while considering available District financial resources.

# Integrate sustainability education into the curriculum at appropriate grade levels.

# Provide professional staff development on sustainability.

# Ensure all new construction and renovations meet sustainable building practices.

# Develop and implement a long-term plan to minimize the environmental impact of district buildings while considering available District financial resources.

# Enhance the resiliency of the District’s infrastructure to future environmental impacts.

# Communicate information on the District’s sustainability programs to the community.

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Monitoring Method - Internal report

Monitoring Frequency - Annually