

**Section 200 – School Board**  
**School Board Policy Process**  
**Policy Adoption**

**File: 205.02**

The board shall give notice of proposed policy changes or adoption of new policies by placing the item on the agenda of two regular board meetings. The proposed policy changes shall be distributed in writing and public comment will be allowed at each meeting prior to final board action.

The final action taken to adopt the proposed policy may be approved by a simple majority vote of the board at the second regular meeting. The policy will be effective on the later of the date of passage or the date stated in the motion.

If a majority of all the members of the board of education vote to do so, the requirement to consider a proposal at two scheduled meetings may be waived to permit specific action to be taken after one reading of the proposal if notice of the pending action has appeared in the published agenda.

It is the intention of the district to comply with all state and federal laws and regulations, and in the event any policies are in conflict, they are to be construed in compliance with those laws or regulations, and in the event the district has no policy on a given law, the federal or state statutes shall constitute the law or policy of the school district.

Legal Reference:                   Neb. Statute 79-520  
  79-526  
  84-712 et seq.  
  NDE Rule 10.004.01A1

Cross Reference:               201.01 Board Powers and Responsibilities