BOARD AGENDA ITEM June 13, 2017

SUBJECT:

Revisions to Policy ADF District Wellness - Final Reading

BACKGROUND:

The Student Health and Fitness Act of 2005 provided for physical education standards, school health services and nutritional standards for local school districts that participate in national school meal programs. The U.S. Department of Agriculture issued a final rule in July 2016 requiring all local educational agencies that participate in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs to meet expanded local school wellness policy requirements consistent with the requirements set forth in section 204 of the Healthy, Hunger- Free Kids Act of 2010. The final rule requires each local educational agency to establish minimum content requirements for the local school wellness policies, ensure stakeholder participation in the development and updates of such policies, and periodically assess and disclose to the public schools' compliance with the local school wellness policies. These regulations are expected to result in local school wellness policies that strengthen the ability of a local educational agency to create a school nutrition environment that promotes students' health, well-being, and ability to learn. In addition, these regulations will increase transparency for the public with regard to school wellness policies and contribute to integrity in the school nutrition program.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

The Coordinated District Health Advisory Council in collaboration with School Food Services researched the requirements and best practices for local wellness policies and developed the proposed update.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the proposed policy on final reading

ATTACHMENT:

Policy ADF District Wellness

PREPARED BY:

Tray Traxler
King Laurence
Karen Johnson