

## College Station Independent School District

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## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Dr. Eddie Coulson, Superintendent

From: Greg McIntyre, Deputy Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction

Date: April 11, 2013

Subject: Policy Update 96

Agenda Item: H-1

Board Priority/

District Goal: Priorities A, B and C: Goals 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

## **BACKGROUND**

At the March School Board Workshop, Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) Policy Update 96 was presented for discussion. This update provides the legal and local policy updates recommended by TASB.

Among the topics addressed in Update 96 are board member powers and duties, the Framework for School Board Development, legal services for districts, use of leave while on military duty, selection of instructional materials, and student attendance. Local policy issues focus on the accrual of state personal leave and salary deductions for unearned leave, selection of instructional materials, and student attendance accounting.

As with each update we receive, the legal policy updates are governed by current law or court rulings, so the district is bound to include them in its policy. The local policy updates are designed to provide clarification to the legal policies and to provide the Board appropriate discretion as decisions are made regarding the school district.

## RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended the CSISD Board of Trustees approve TASB Policy Update 96 as presented.

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