

**WHITE RIVER SCHOOL DISTRICT #416
BOARD POLICY**

No. 0300

0000 - STRATEGIC PLANNING

0300 - Planning Process

The district's strategic planning process includes the following elements:

1. Strategic Visioning and Planning Initiative: The Board shall initiate strategic visioning and planning by charging the district's planning team with overseeing the strategic planning process.

The Superintendent, in consultation with the Board, is authorized to appoint the planning team. A cross-section of community and educational leaders will constitute the planning team. The team will establish a schedule of planning meetings.

The planning team continues to oversee implementation of the strategic plan over time. Vacancies are filled by the Superintendent on the advice of the planning team and in consultation with the Board.

2. Strategic Planning: A series of planning sessions shall be held over the course of a year on dates established by the planning team. The process shall conclude with a draft strategic plan. The plan shall be submitted to the Board for review, amendment and adoption following a public hearing. The strategic plan adopted by the Board shall be incorporated in the district's official policies.
3. Strategic Management and Implementation: The management and implementation phase of the strategic planning process is primarily the responsibility of the administration. The strategic action plans shall be developed by staff and reviewed by the Board.
4. Annual Strategic Refocusing Meeting: Prior to June 1st of each year, the planning team will report to the Board in a public meeting on the progress of the plan and recommend changes that may be necessary or beneficial. The Board, in consultation with the administration, will consider amendments and changes in priorities in the plan in terms of changed and changing circumstances. Proposed amendments to components of the strategic plan shall be considered by the Board.

Cross Reference: Board Policy 0560
Board Policy 0700

Strategic Action Plans
Strategic Plan Evaluation

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