

Sherwood School District 88J

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Energy Conservation

The Board of Education recognize that it is important that the district be responsible by conserving nonrenewable energy resources thereby minimizing energy waste. It is equally important, as steward of public taxes, for the district to prevent wasted dollars being diverted away from district's educational mission.

As the district's energy needs continue to grow and as energy supply rates continue to escalate, it becomes ever more important to manage that growth and to minimize related costs. Accordingly, the Board directs the superintendent or superintendent's designee to establish a long-term sustainable energy management program, which will be overseen by an on-going energy advisory committee.

Scope

The primary objective of this energy management program will be to heighten awareness of all district employees and students to the cost of energy associated with the use of district's facilities, and get their active participation in efficient use of energy through continuous education and incentives.

Efficient use of energy at each site will be the joint responsibility of the administrator for each site, and the District's Energy Manager.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 455.560](#)
[ORS 455.565](#)