

BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 18, 2007

TO: **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

FROM: Dr. Joe A. Hairston, Superintendent

SUBJECT: **PROPOSED CHANGES OF BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY 7120**
NEW CONSTRUCTION: PLANNING

ORIGINATOR: J. Robert Haines, Deputy Superintendent

RESOURCE
PERSON(S): Michael Sines, Executive Director, Physical Facilities

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Education considers the changes to Policy 7120. This is the third reading of this policy.

Attachment I – Policy Analysis
Attachment II – Proposed Policy 7120

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
Policy Analysis for Proposed Revision to Policy 7120
New Construction – Planning – Patterns of Participation

Statement of Issues Addressed by the Proposed Policy Revision

Text has been modified to reflect current practices.

Cost Analysis

There will be no fiscal impact on the system as a result of the proposed revisions.

Relationship to Other Board of Education Policies

Revisions will not affect any other Board policy.

Legal Requirement

Revisions are not mandated by legal requirement.

Similar Policies Adopted by Other School Systems

Montgomery County Public Schools has a similar policy for school planning process. No other comparable policies were found.

Draft of Proposed Policy

See attached.

Other Alternatives Considered by Staff

No other alternative was considered.

NEW CONSTRUCTION: Planning

Patterns of Participation

The Superintendent [of Schools] shall establish administrative procedures [for the purpose of utilizing to the fullest extent all available resources in an effort to enrich and improve all aspects of the planning phase of new school construction] TO DIRECT COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.

Policy
Adopted: 9/25/69
REVISED:

Board of Education of Baltimore County