

Agenda Item Title: Board Policy 6.202, *Home Schools*, on first reading

Board Meeting Date: July 28, 2026

Department: Legal

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Board Agenda Category:

Consent Agenda ☐

Action Item ☒

Reports and Information ☐

Requires City Council Approval: Yes ☐ No ☒

Summary

The proposed revision to Policy 6.202, *Home Schools*, updates the District's home-school testing requirements to comply with Public Chapter 912. The revision also removes language concerning the District's responsibility to follow up with home-school students and require re-enrollment when there was evidence of a lack of academic progress, as Public Chapter 912 removed that statutory requirement.

Staff Recommendation

Approve changes to Board Policy 6.202, *Home Schools*, on first reading.

Fiscal Impact

No direct fiscal impact is anticipated.

Connection to MCS's Five-Year Strategic Plan

- ☒ **Academic Success:** Raise academic achievement for all students across content areas by closing learning gaps and ensuring readiness for the next grade level so that every child is prepared for future success.
- ☐ **Ready to Learn:** Promote the success of every child by supporting their social, behavioral, and non-academic needs in partnership with families and the community so that students are ready to learn.
- ☐ **Highly Qualified Team:** Invest in the growth and retention of our employees so that every student benefits from a well-prepared and highly qualified team.
- ☐ **Operational Efficiency:** Ensure operational efficiency so that resources effectively support and enhance student learning.
- ☐ **District of Choice:** Strategically promote and expand the strengths and opportunities of our schools so that we are recognized as the district of choice for families.