

DATE:	October 16, 2024
TO:	Board of Education
FROM:	Mrs. Kerstin Kramer, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer
SUBJECT:	Approve the Proposed Revisions to Board Policies 4140/4240/4340 Bargaining Units
<b>PRESENTED BY:</b>	Mike Shepherd, Executive Director of Human Resources

## **ACTION REOUESTED**

Approve the proposed revisions to Board Policies 4140/4240/4340 - Bargaining Units.

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Policy updated to clarify use of "employee organization," "recognized employee organization," "exclusive representative," and "bargaining unit". Additionally, policy updated to clarify Public Employee Relations Board opinions regarding when a district may restrict the wearing of union buttons, insignia, or other pictorial or written messages by employees, when a district may limit an employee organization's ability to communicate with its members, and what constitutes "reasonable restrictions" by a district. In addition, policy updated to remove outdated material related to COVID-19, and reflect NEW LAW (AB 243, 2023) which extends the Safe at Home address confidentiality protection to victims of child abduction and members of their households. Policy also updated for clarity, precision, organization, and consistency.

## **RESOURCES REOUIRED:** N/A

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Attachments: Board Policies Compared