

POLICY 7410
NAMING AN AREA WITHIN OR ON A DISTRICT SITE

The Board of Education shall be the body to approve the official naming of all District facilities. It is not the intention of this policy to initiate the naming of areas within existing facilities or on a District site. However, when a former student, staff or community member who has been deceased for more than two years has achieved national, state or local prominence, the School Board may name an area within a school or on a District site after that individual.

Staff or community members may nominate a name for a specific area within a school or on a District site to the Board of Education. The nomination must include background information and significance to the educational process and cultural significance.

The School Board will request the Superintendent to appoint a broad based committee, which will research the name. When a school is affected by the recommended name, it will be given the opportunity to offer input to the committee. This committee will develop and present to the School Board the process used and the rationale used in making their determination.

LEGAL REF.: Wisconsin Statutes
Section 120.12(1) (Care and Management of School Property)

CROSS REF.: Policy 1131, Memorials/Dedications Within Schools
Policy 7400, Naming or Renaming District Buildings

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION: None

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