Lackawanna Trail School District

LACKAWANNA TRAIL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Adopted

Revised

228. STUDENT GOVERNMENT

1. Purpose

The Board acknowledges the importance of offering students the opportunity to participate in self-government within the establishment of the schools.

2. Authority

Students shall have the right to organize, conduct meetings, elect officers and representatives and petition the Board.

The Board will recognize the Student Senate as the official voice of the student body for students in grades 7 - 12 for the purpose of developing student leadership, providing a learning experience in democratic decision making, and offering another avenue toward the realization of the goals of this district provided that the charter, constitution or bylaws of that organization have been duly adopted by the members of the student body it represents and furnished to the Board for its information.

The Board shall appoint a qualified member of the faculty to serve as advisor to student government activities.

The Student Senate shall be fully responsible for the planning and organization or coordination of the following activities: its own government and activities and projects suggested by students except that all such activities must first be approved by the building principal, and the Student Senate faculty advisor.

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