

The Board of Trustees recognizes the importance of minimizing the District's use of natural resources, providing a high-quality environment that promotes health and productivity, and effectively managing the District's fiscal resources. The Board of Trustees embraces energy conservation and believes it to be our responsibility to ensure that every reasonable effort is made to conserve energy and natural resources while exercising sound financial management.

The Board has a desire for the Anaheim Union High School District to become an institutional leader in energy conservation as part of our social responsibility to respect our natural resources. To that end, the superintendent or designee shall develop an energy conservation program, which includes strategies for implementing effective and sustainable resource practices, exploring renewable and clean energy technologies, reducing energy and water consumption, minimizing utility costs, reducing the amount of solid waste, encouraging recycling and green procurement practices, as well as promoting conservation principles.

*(cf. 3100 - Budget)*

*(cf. 3300 - Expenditures and Purchases)*

*(cf. 3511.1- Integrated Waste Management)*

*(cf. 3512 – Equipment)*

*(cf. 6142.5 – Environmental Education)*

The Board recognizes the importance of adopting an energy conservation policy to govern this program. The implementation of this policy will be the joint responsibility of the Board, administration, faculty, staff, students, and support personnel. Success is based on cooperation among all groups.

To ensure the overall success of our energy conservation program, the following areas will be emphasized:

1. A designated campus administrator will be accountable for energy conservation on his/her campus with the energy manager, conducting energy audits and providing timely feedback.
2. All personnel at each campus are expected to make a positive contribution to maximize energy conservation and produce real energy savings.
3. The District will implement an energy and water conservation program primarily through the energy management team led by the energy manager in accordance with adopted guidelines.
4. Accurate records of energy consumption and cost will be maintained by the energy manager for each campus to provide verifiable performance results on the goals and progress of the energy conservation program.
5. Provide recommendations for energy efficient fixtures.

Regular inspections of District facilities will be made by the energy manager, or designee, with recommendations to the director of Maintenance and Operations for

maintenance and capital expenditures which may help the district reach its conservation and management goals.

*(cf. 7110 – Facilities Master Plan)*

*(cf. 7111 – Evaluating Existing Buildings)*

The superintendent or designee shall make every effort to identify funding opportunities and incentive programs to help the District achieve its conservation and management goals.

The superintendent or designee shall annually report to the Board on the District's progress in meeting its conservation and management goals.

*Legal Reference:*

EDUCATION CODE

*41422 – School term or session length, failure to comply due to disaster*

*46392 – Emergency conditions; ADA estimate*

PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE

*25410-25421 – Energy conservation assistance*

WATER CODE

*13383.5 – Storm water discharge monitoring requirements*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 23

*2200 – Discharge permit fees*

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 33

*1342 National pollutant discharge elimination system*

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 40

*122.1-122.64 – National pollutant discharge elimination system*

*Management Resources:*

*CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION MANAGEMENT ADVISORIES*

*0118.01 – California's Energy Challenge*

*0706.90 – Water Conservation Advisory, 90-09*

*0222.90 – Average Daily Attendance Credit During Periods of Emergency 90-01*

*WEB SITES*

*CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>*

*Alliance to Save Energy: <http://www.ase.org>*

*California Department of Education, Facilities: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/l/f/a>*

*California Energy Commission: <http://www.energy.ca.gov>*

*California State Water Resources Control Board: <http://swrcb.ca.gov>*

*Department of General Resources, Green California, Sustainable Schools:*

*<http://www.green.ca.gov/GreenBuildings/schools>*

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