

SMYRNA SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Policy

Article: 1000 Community Relations

Title: Citizens Advisory Committees

Policy #: 1220

The Board may, from time to time, appoint Citizen Advisory Committees who will be invited to study a topic of interest or concern to the Board. The Smyrna Board in regular session will provide the Committee with a written statement of the problem(s) which they are to consider, and also provide some indication concerning the date on which their findings are desired. Following this date, the Committee is dissolved unless recalled by the Smyrna Board of Education for some purpose. Due to the critical importance of efficiently managing the district's financial resources, this condition shall not apply to the Citizens' Financial Advisory Committee which shall meet at least four times each year. These Committees will be advisory only and will be responsible directly to the Board. Having no power of themselves, they will release their findings and conclusions only to the Smyrna Board for use by the Smyrna Board.

Upon receipt of these committee recommendations the Board will vote to accept the Committee's report, but will refer any specific recommendations contained in the report to the administration for their review. After reviewing the Committee's recommendations, the administration will make its recommendation to the School Board by the next Board meeting.

Some school-related person (board member, administrator, teacher) will participate on all Advisory Committees.

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