

Policy 1150: Commendations And Awards

~~The Board of Education believes that individuals and organizations deserve recognition when they provide~~To encourage community involvement in district programs and activities, the Governing Board may publicly recognize and commend parents/guardians, community members, businesses, and organizations that make outstanding contributions or long-standing provide longstanding service to the district. ~~The Board believes that commending such service promotes increased community understanding and participation.~~ ¶

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~~The Superintendent or designee shall establish procedures by which Board members, employees or members of the community may suggest persons or organizations for Board recognition. At the Board's discretion, letters of recognition, Board resolutions, plaques or awards may be presented or district students.~~

Any Governing Board member, employee, parent/guardian, student, or community member may recommend an individual or organization for Governing Board recognition. They he/she shall submit to the Superintendent or designee the name of the individual or organization and a description of the outstanding contribution or service.

At the Governing Board's discretion, the Governing Board may present a letter of recognition, Board resolution, plaque, or other award at a public Board meeting or may hold a reception or informal recognition activity. The Governing Board also may designate a day, week, or month for special recognition of volunteers.

The Governing Board encourages similar forms of recognition for achievement or services as part of school-level commendation programs.