

DELAWARE VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROPERTY

TITLE: FACILITIES PLANNING

ADOPTED: NOVEMBER 20, 2014

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<p>1. Authority Title 22 Sec. 4.13 Pol. 100</p> <p>2. Delegation of Responsibility</p> <p>SC 701</p> <p>Pol 103, 103.1, 104</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">701. FACILITIES PLANNING</p> <p>The Board shall engage in short-term and long term facilities planning in order to meet the ongoing needs of the district’s educational programs and operations. Involvement of the Board, staff, community, businesses and parents/guardians is an important part of this process.</p> <p>In order to inform the Board of the district's future needs, the Superintendent or designee shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Prepare a written description of existing physical facilities. 2) Annually report to the Board on enrollment projections. 3) Report to the Board on the enrollment by grades during the school year. 4) Estimate each spring the number of students who will be enrolled in the district’s schools in September of the year for which the estimate is made. 5) Prepare student population projections and compare the actual population figures to the previously projected figures to detect early any changes in population trends. <p>When planning to enlarge or modify its facilities, the Board shall consider not only the number of students whose educational needs must be met, but also the physical requirements of the programs it deems best suited to meet those needs.</p> <p>Each school building and site shall provide suitable accommodations to carry out the educational program, including provision for the handicapped/disabled, pursuant to law and regulations.</p> <p>Reference’s:</p>
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	<p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec 501, 502, 503, 504, 701, 701.1, 702, 703, 703.1, 704, 706, 731, 731.1, 733, 736-741, 1351, 1601-Cet seq.</p> <p>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA code Sec. 21.1 et seq., 349.1 et seq</p> <p>Department of Environmental Protection Regulations – 25 PA Code Sec. 171.1 et seq.</p> <p>Board Policy – 100, 103, 103.1, 104, 122, 123</p>
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