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POLICY:

Head Start Shared Governance

The McPherson USD 418 Board of Education (BOE) and the Head Start Policy Council (PC) will share the decision-making process for the Head Start program as stated in the Head Start regulations.

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PROCEDURE:

1. As an approved program of USD 418, McPherson Head Start shall adhere to all established policies of BOE.
2. The PC shall adopt plans and policies that apply only to the Head Start program; however, such policies shall be submitted for information purposes and review to BOE prior to final acceptance.
3. The Head Start Director shall be an employee of BOE and shall represent the BOE and the PC at the respective board meetings as required. Presentations to BOE regarding Head Start shall be made by the Head Start Director or a designated PC member.
4. BOE members may be invited to participate in joint training sponsored by PC to address issues related to shared decision making.
5. A BOE member will participate in PC meetings and act as a liaison between the BOE and the PC.