

New Construction

NAMING OF FACILITY

The Governing Board shall consider all possible names submitted when naming and/or renaming a facility. At the time when the Board approves construction of the facility, the Board will solicit recommendations in writing from the community in which the facility is located and from other sources including students, parents/guardians, citizens and staff. Solicitation may be through local community newspapers and district and school community publications.

A 30-day period will be provided for persons to make recommendations. Appropriate documentation should accompany each recommendation. The Board will endeavor to select the name of the facility within a 30-day period following the close of receipt of recommendations from interested persons.

In naming a facility consideration may include persons making significant contributions to community, state or nation, geographic references, historical sites, etc.

Recognizing that the ethnic and cultural composition of a school community may change and school names are permanent, the name selected should have a broad acceptance in multicultural society.

The final decision of naming or renaming a facility rests with the Board.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

35160 Authority of governing boards, commencing January 1, 1976