NEW CONSTRUCTION: Designing School Site Selection and Acquisition

I. Policy Statement

A. The Board of Education of Baltimore County (Board) recognizes the need to have a comprehensive and coordinated approach to the selection and acquisition of school sites in anticipation of the need for new school facilities.

B. The Superintendent shall be responsible for recommending sites for acquisition to the Board and for directing staff on all matters relating to this policy.

II. Implementation

The Board directs the Superintendent to implement this policy.

Legal References: Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §4-109, Establishment of Public Schools
Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §4-115, Acquisition and Disposition of Real Property; Construction, etc., of School Buildings
Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §4-116, Selection of School Sites; Public Hearing
Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §5-301, State Payment of Certain Public School Construction and Capital Improvement Costs
Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §5-302, Interagency Committee on School Construction
Annotated Code of Maryland, General Provisions Article §§3-101 to 3-501 (Open Meetings Act)
Related Policies: Board of Education Policy 7110, *Determining Needs*
Board of Education Policy 8120, *Purpose, Role, and Responsibilities of the Board of Education*

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