

NOTICE OF HEARING ON NONRESIDENT ENROLLMENT POLICY

The governing body of Unified School District No. 501 will meet on November 2, 2023 at 6 P.M., at 624 SW 24th Street, Topeka, KS 66611 for the purpose of hearing and answering questions from the public relating to the proposed enrollment of nonresident students policy. Detailed information about the proposed changes to the District's Enrollment of Nonresident Students, Board Policy 8025 and Regulations, to implement Legislative changes to K.S.A. 72-3123 and K.S.A. 72-3126 is available at the Burnett Center at 624 SW 24th Street, Topeka, Kansas or on the District's webpage (topekapublicschools.net) under Board of Education Proposed Policy.

This proposed policy is being presented for board consideration due to the 2022 and 2023 legislative changes to K.S.A. 72-3123 and K.S.A. 72-3126, requiring School Boards to adopt a policy to allow any nonresident school age student to attend a USD 501 school if the school district has open seats as determined by the procedures set forth in K.S.A. 72-3123 (b) through (n).

At such hearing, the proposed USD 501 Nonresident Enrollment Policy shall be presented and the board shall hear comments and testimony regarding the proposed policy.

Following the public hearing, after consideration of any testimony and evidence submitted at the hearing, the Board of Education shall determine whether to adopt the proposed policy at its November 16, 2023 meeting.

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