



REPORT TO

GOVERNANCE AND POLICY  
COMMITTEE

UPDATE TO SPONSORSHIP POLICY F.F.26

And looking at them Jesus said to them, "With people this is impossible,  
but with God all things are possible."  
Matthew 19:26

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| RECOMMENDATION REPORT  |                  |   |

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## **A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

In order to provide parameters and clarify the process required for school sponsorships, staff recommend updating the current Sponsorship policy (F.F.26) along with adding an appendix to the policy entitled, “Determining Whether to Have a Sponsorship—The Sponsorship Process.” An update of the policy in meta format is attached as APPENDIX A.

## **B. PURPOSE**

1. This Recommendation Report is on the Order Paper of the Governance and Policy Committee by a Trustee request through approved motion on September 13, 2016:

*That the Committee recommends to Board that the Sponsorship Policy F.F.26 be added as high priority review for the Governance and Policy Committee.*

## **C. BACKGROUND**

1. The Sponsorship policy was approved at Board on August 26, 2010 and has not been reviewed since.
2. At the November 8, 2016 meeting of the Governance and Policy Committee, staff provided a verbal update regarding the Sponsorship policy to the Committee. Staff are to report back to the December 2016 meeting of the Governance and Policy Committee with a final draft of the Sponsorship policy.

## **D. EVIDENCE/RESEARCH/ANALYSIS**

1. Given the need for clarity and what can or cannot be done in terms of school sponsorship, the policy has been updated to include an appendix outlining the sponsorship process for principals and stakeholders to reference (see Appendix B).

2. The appendix includes all considerations to take into account when considering a sponsorship.

## **E. METRICS AND ACCOUNTABILITY**

1. Recommendations in this report will be monitored by policy development staff and the Partnership Development department.
2. Further reports to Board will be brought as necessary.

## **F. IMPLEMENTATION, STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS AND STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PLAN**

1. Implementation will include updating the policy on the TCDSB policy register.
2. The updates will be communicated to all schools and stakeholders to ensure compliance.

## **G. STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends that the updated Sponsorship policy (F.F.26) provided in APPENDIX A be adopted.