

REGULAR BOARD

REPORT OF THE GOVERNANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE ON UPDATE TO OPENING AND CLOSING EXERCISES POLICY (S.S.02)

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

Philippians 4:6

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RECOMMENDATION REPORT

Vision:

At Toronto Catholic we transform the world through witness, faith, innovation and action.

Mission:

The Toronto Catholic District School Board is an inclusive learning community uniting home, parish and school and rooted in the love of Christ.

We educate students to grow in grace and knowledge to lead lives of faith, hope and charity.



Members of the Committee:

Nancy Crawford, Chair Ann Andrachuk, Vice Chair Jo-Ann Davis, Trustee Ward 9 Maria Rizzo, Trustee Ward 5 Angela Kennedy, Ex-Officio Frank D'Amico, Ex-Officio

A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report recommends updating the Opening and Closing Exercises policy (S.S.02) to include daily recognition in school opening and closing exercises that we live, work, play and learn on indigenous lands.

B. PURPOSE

This Recommendation Report is on the Order Paper of the Regular Board as it recommends a policy revision.

C. APPENDIX

APPENDIX A: Opening and Closing Exercises Policy (S.S.02) with proposed amendments

D. COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

That the Board accept the recommendation of the Governance and Policy Committee and approve the Opening and Closing Exercises Policy (S.S.02) as amended and proposed in Appendix A.