



NORTHWEST FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE

Memo

To: Board of Trustees

From: Dr. Devin Stephenson, President

Date: June 20, 2023

Re: Request to Advertise – Student Code of Conduct

The Student Code of Conduct is in the College Catalog within the Student Handbook. The Code of Conduct is required by Florida Statutes § 1006.60; to edit the Code of Conduct, we must follow the same rulemaking procedure that we follow for Board policies.

The attached, revised Student Code of Conduct is the College's proposed revision to our existing code based on recent amendments to Florida Statutes. The changes detail new offenses including prohibiting adult live performances, unauthorized use of a restroom/changing facility, and violation of other secondary or postsecondary institution's Code of Conduct. Additionally, the procedure outlines dual enrollment program requirements and related disciplinary actions.

The Board of Trustees will be presented with a Request to Advertise this procedure in July with final Board approval anticipated in August. The excerpted pages, if approved, will be effective at the start of the Fall 2023 term, and placed within the Student Handbook's Collected Grievance Procedures in the 2023-2024 College Catalog.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Board of Trustees approves the request to advertise the changes to the Student Code of Conduct, as presented.