



Memorandum

To: Board of Trustees
From: Tracy Barill, Director of Education
Date: March 6, 2023
Subject: **Policies to be Rescinded**

Recommendation

1. Social Media Policy (PO441)

Moved by _____, seconded by _____

“THAT the Durham Catholic District School Board approve the rescinding of the Social Media Policy (PO441).”

Rationale

In an effort to streamline the Board’s policy process and framework, Senior Administration has been reviewing policies and procedures for areas of risk, addressing gaps and seeking opportunities to create and/or revise more succinct policies and procedures.

PO441 Social Media was a stand-alone policy with no attendant administrative procedures. Upon review of this policy, it was found that most of the contents were procedural and should be captured under the existing administrative procedure AP440-5 Social Media Administration, Monitoring and Reporting which aligns with the Communications Policy (PO440). To that end, AP440-5 was revised to reflect the contents that were previously found in the policy (approved at Admin Council on February 21, 2023). PO441 has become redundant and should be rescinded.

TB/KA/cc

Attachments: (PO441 Social Media; AP440-5 Social Media)