

TOPIC PAPER

Topic:	Recommendation of Approval of Updated to Self-Sufficiency Policy
Date:	July 18, 2023

Purpose/Need: Separate Local Area Policy: State policy specifically requires the local WDB to develop a policy for implementation in the local area.
 May Use State Policy as Local Policy: State policy does not specifically require an area-specific policy, however, the WDB may adopt the state policy to ensure compliance in program implementation.
 No Need for Local Policy: State policy establishes all necessary requirements for compliance.
 Link to State Policies: http://jfs.ohio.gov/owd/WorkforceProf/policy_info.stm

Action Necessary: Approval of the lowering the self-sufficiency percentage from 300% to 250%. The action requires a motion with a second and a vote.

History of Project: At the Governance Committee meeting on July 17, 2023, the Governance Committee reviewed the self-sufficiency policy and agrees to the lowering of the poverty level from 300% over poverty to 250% over poverty level.

Cost: None

Effective Date(s): August 1, 2023

Responsible Committee(s): Governance Committee

Miscellaneous: