## Seaside School District 10

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## **Cellular Telephones**

The Board recognizes that the use of cellular telephones may be appropriate to provide for the effective and efficient operations of the District and to help ensure safety and security of District property, staff, and others while on District property or engaged in District-sponsored activities. To this end, the Board authorizes the purchase and employee use of cellular telephones, as deemed appropriate by the Business Manager.

District-owned cellular telephones shall be used for authorized District business purposes, consistent with the District's mission and goals. Personal use of such equipment is prohibited except in emergency situations. Any expenses incurred for such personal use shall be reimbursed to the District.

Use of cellular telephones in violation of Board policies, administrative regulations and/or state and federal laws will result in discipline up to and including dismissal and/or referral to Government Standards and Practices Commission and law enforcement officials, as appropriate.

The Superintendent is directed to develop administrative regulations for the implementation of this policy, including a uniform and controlled system for identifying employee cellular telephone needs, monitoring use, and reimbursement. Provisions may also be included for staff use of privately-owned cellular telephones for authorized District business.

## END OF POLICY

## **Legal Reference(s):**

ORS 244.010 ORS 244.120 ORS 244.020 ORS 332.105 ORS 244.040 (1)(a) ORS 332.107

Davidson v. Or. Gov't Ethics Comm'n, 300 Or. 415 (1985) OR. GOV'T STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMM'N ADVISORY OPINIONS 02S-020 (Aug. 2, 2002), 02A-1008 (July 12, 2002), 01A-1004 (June 1, 2001) and 98A-1003 (July 9, 1998).