

7410 MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR (M)

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[See POLICY ALERT Nos. 182 and 227]

The Board of Education recognizes that the fixed assets of this district represent a significant investment of this community; their maintenance is, therefore, of prime concern to the Board.

The ~~Board-school district is will-required to~~ develop, approve, and implement a comprehensive maintenance plan in accordance with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 6A:26-~~20.5A-3.1 and 6A:26A-3.2~~. A “comprehensive maintenance plan” means a multi-year maintenance plan ~~developed by a school district~~ covering required maintenance activities for each school facility in the school district ~~adopted~~ pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:26-~~A-1.1 et seq.~~

Required maintenance activities, ~~include those activities outlined in N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.3. The school district shall determine the required maintenance activities to reasonably maintain each school facility in the school district, and shall report the activities in its annual comprehensive maintenance plan pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.5, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:26A-2.1, are those specific activities necessary for the purpose of keeping a school facility open and safe for the use or in its original condition, and for keeping its constituent building systems fully and efficiently functional and for keeping their warranties valid. The activities address interior and exterior conditions; include preventative and corrective measures; and prevent premature breakdown or failure of the school facility and its building systems.~~

~~In accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.4(a), expenditures for required maintenance activities set forth in N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.3 shall qualify as investments in maintenance for purposes of calculating the required maintenance expenditure in N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.4(d) and (e), the annual required maintenance budget amount pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.8, and the maintenance factor (M) in N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-9. Expenditures that qualify as required maintenance shall be in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.4.~~

~~The school district’s comprehensive maintenance plan shall be submitted to the Executive County Superintendent by a Board of Education resolution every school year, pursuant N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.5(a)1.~~

~~Expenditures for required maintenance activities set forth in N.J.A.C. 6A:26A-2.1 shall be accounted for in accordance with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 6A:26A-2.2.~~



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The required annual maintenance budget amount as reported in its ~~in the~~ comprehensive maintenance plan shall be included in the district's annual budget certified for taxes in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:26-~~20.8(a)~~A-4.1(a). The required annual maintenance budget amount shall be calculated and adjusted in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:26-~~20.8(b)~~A-4.1(b). The Executive County Superintendent, ~~in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:26A:4.1(c)~~, may shall not approve the school district's budget ~~if the required annual maintenance budget is not included in the budget certified for taxes that does not comply with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:26-20.1 et seq.~~

Commencing September 1, 2002, no person shall be employed by the Board of Education as a buildings and grounds supervisor, as defined in N.J.S.A. 18A:17-49, unless the person is a certified educational facilities manager pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:17-49 and 18A: 17-50.

Facilities maintenance, repair scheduling and accounting shall be in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-6.9 and Regulation 7410.01.

N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-9; 18A:17-49; 18A:17-50;
18A:18A-43; 18A:21-1
N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-6.9; 6A:26A-1.1 et seq.; 6A:26-20.3;
6A:26-20.4; 6A:26-20.5; 6A:26-20.6; 6A:26-20.8

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