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<u>Action/Discussion Item:</u> Proposal to create a Full Time Districtwide Guidance Counselor Position for the 2018-19 school year.

<u>Applicable Statutes or Regulations:</u> BOE Policy 0.11 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education.

<u>Background and major Policy Implications:</u> The social and emotional wellbeing of our students is of great importance. A district wide counselor would work with multiple schools to ensure that our students and schools staff have access to supports and instruction around important topics such as anti-bullying, character education, suicide prevention, etc.

Fiscal Budgetary Impact: The general fund will pay the salary and fringe.

Alternatives: None proposed.

Recommended Action: To create a FT guidance counselor position.

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