

Issue Paper

DATE:

February 23, 2023

AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve Resolution supporting the Council for Better Educations' legal challenge to the unconstitutionality of House Bill 9, Charter School Legislation from the 2022 Legislative Session.

APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

01.5 School Board Policies

HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

The Kentucky Legislature passed HB 9, Charter School Legislation, during the 2022 legislative session. The Council for Better Education (CBE) believes that this law is in violation of the Kentucky Constitution and has filed a lawsuit to ensure the Constitution is protected. The CBE was formed in the very early 90's to ensure that the Public Education is protected in the Commonwealth as it relates to the Constitution.

FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

\$13, 138.77 GF

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval to Resolution supporting the Council for Better Education's legal challenge to the unconstitutionality of House Bill 9, Charter School Legislation from the 2022 Legislative Session.

CONTACT PERSON: Henry Webb Principal/Administrator District Administrator Superintendent

Use this form to submit your request to the Superintendent for items to be added to the Board Meeting Agenda.

Principal –complete, print, sign and send to your Director. Director –if approved, sign and put in the Superintendent's mailbox.

| IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the | Board of Education |
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| authorizes Superintendent | to take all necessary steps to support the |
| Council for Better Education, Inc. ("CBE"), | , in its legal challenge to the unconstitutionality of |
| House Bill 9, and the payment of any appropriate dues or assessments related to this school | |
| district's membership in CBE or its support of the referenced legal challenge. | |