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The Iredell-Statesville Board of Education considers naming facilities to be a significant endeavor since the name of a facility can reflect upon the students, staff, school district and community.

During the initial facility naming process, or at a time subsequent to initial naming of a facility, the Board of Education may consider, on an individual basis, any request for special naming of a building or a portion of a building at a facility in recognition of a person or entity which has made an outstanding contribution to the Iredell-Statesville Schools.

If a building or a portion of a building located at a facility has been named for an individual or entity which has made a substantial monetary contribution to the Iredell-Statesville Schools Board of Education, then it shall be the policy of the Iredell-Statesville Schools Board of Education to encourage each donor to provide equitably for each school in the same grade level.

The Superintendent will involve the staff and students assigned to the facility and the students' parents in the process of identifying possible names for a new school facility or facility being renamed. The Superintendent will consider the following criteria as well as other factors the superintendent determines to be relevant in identifying potential names for the facility:

- (a) the name should not be so similar to the names of existing facilities as to cause confusion;
- (b) the name should include a designation of the type of school, such as elementary, middle, high or brief description of a school of a specialized kind;
- (c) the name may specify the geographic locality of the school;
- (d) the Superintendent will submit a recommended name or limited list of recommended names to the board for approval.

Legal References: G.S. 115C-36, -47

Cross References:

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