

**ENERGY EDUCATION MANAGEMENT**

**The Board of Education of USD 501, Topeka Public Schools, is responsible for ensuring that every effort is made to conserve energy and natural resources while exercising sound financial management.**

**The implementation of this policy is the joint responsibility of the Board of Education, the superintendent, administrators, teachers, students, Central Services, and other support personnel, and its success depends on cooperation at all levels.**

**The district will maintain accurate records of energy consumption and cost of energy and will provide information to the Board of Education on the goals and progress of the energy conservation program.**

**Each principal will be accountable for energy management in his/her building with annual energy audits being conducted and conservation program outlines being updated. Judicious use of the various energy systems of each building will be the joint responsibility of the principal, custodians, teachers, students, Central Services, and other support personnel to ensure that an efficient energy posture is maintained on a daily basis.**

**Curriculum will be developed to ensure that every student will participate as an "energy saver" in the district's energy conservation program.**