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### Rationale

#### I. Non-Resident Student Enrollment

Nonresident students are those who do not meet the definition of a resident student. Turner USD 202 does not accept new non-resident students with two exceptions.

1. Children whose parents are employees of the district or Turner Recreation Commission (parent as defined above in this policy) or as otherwise specified herein. Employee is defined ~~as KPERS-eligible~~ any individual working regularly in a Turner facility under the supervision of the Superintendent, or designee excluding any temporary or substitute employee. . Employees' children must meet the criteria for good standing annually.
2. Siblings of currently enrolled non-resident students entering school for the first time.

Previously enrolled non-resident students will be allowed to apply for re-admittance annually. (See Policy JBC)

#### A. Non-Resident Enrollment/Continuing Enrollment

Students enrolled as **non-resident students or resident students that relocate outside of the district may apply for enrollment.** The admittance of a non-resident student to Turner Schools is on an annual basis. The student's standing will be reviewed at the end of the school year and the student and parents will be notified by the district of their eligibility to return by June 15.

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New and continuing non-resident students may be admitted only to the extent that staff, facilities, equipment and supplies are available. No allowance is made for transportation as this is to be provided by the student or the family.

If for any reason the non-resident student begins to experience academic, behavioral or attendance problems, the student will be withdrawn from the Turner School District. The superintendent, or designee, is authorized to re-admit the non-resident student on a probationary basis due to extraordinary circumstances.

Students that relocate outside the district may apply for non-resident enrollment if in the fourth consecutive semester of enrollment as a resident and the student is in good standing. An application must be completed and approved.

If a student's district residency is determined to be fraudulent, said student does not qualify for continuing non-resident enrollment.

A non-resident student who has attended a Turner school in the past two school years may apply for re-admittance as a non-resident student provided that the student withdrew from the Turner School District while in good standing. Additionally, school records from interim schools verify the student remained in good standing outside the district.

A student may be admitted to the Turner School District based on the parents/guardians declaring intent to move into the school district by the end of the current semester, and proof is furnished to this end.

#### B. Criteria for Non-Resident Continuing Enrollment (Good Standing)

The non-resident student must meet the following criteria:

- the student must be in good standing academically at the school he/she currently attends; good standing academically is defined as maintaining no less than a "C-" in every course at every grade period. Academic standing must be verified by official school documents;
- the student must be a citizen in good standing at the school he/she currently attends; a citizen in good standing is defined as having had no out of school suspensions or expulsions during the student's school career; no office referrals during the previous two school years; no violations of Turner's non-negotiable rules during the student's school career. The student must submit as part of his/her transfer application, an official school document showing he/she is a citizen in good standing;
- the student must demonstrate regular attendance habits; regular attendance habits is defined as no more than ten (10) days of absences during the previous school year; student attendance must be verified by official school attendance records;

- the parent/guardian agrees to furnish all transportation for the student to and from school and related school events; Turner USD will provide transportation within the assigned schools attendance boundaries to a location designated by the parent or guardian when resources are available.

C. Placement of the Non-Resident Student

If the student who gains admittance into the Turner Schools is an elementary school age student, the student will be allowed admission into the elementary school with the lowest enrollment, or greatest space available at his/her grade level, as assigned by the superintendent, or designee.