

**AN ORDINANCE ADDING CHAPTER 9, ARTICLE 5, SECTION 9-5.2:1 ENTITLED "NOTICE OF VIOLATION COMMITTED BY STUDENTS IN ALTERNATIVE SETTING; PLAN FOR CORRECTING BEHAVIOR" OF THE POLICIES OF THE SUFFOLK CITY SCHOOL BOARD - SECOND READING**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the School Board of the City of Suffolk, Virginia that Chapter 9, Article 5, Section 9-5.2:1 entitled "Notice of Violation committed by students in alternative setting; plan for correcting behavior" of the Policies of the Suffolk City School Board, be, and the same is hereby added as follows:

**Section 9-5.2:1. Notice of Violation committed by students in alternative setting; plan for correcting behavior.** — A. The School Board requires written notification of an offense to the parent, guardian or other person having charge or control of a pupil in an alternative education program as described in Va. Code § 22.1-209.1:2 when (1) a pupil commits an offense in violation of School Board policies and school officials determine the offense was committed without the willful intent to violate such policies, or (2) the offense did not endanger the health and safety of the individual or other persons.

B. The notification identifying the nature of the offense shall be made no later than two school days following the incident. The School Board requires the principal of the school the child attends, or other appropriate school personnel, to develop appropriate measures, in conjunction with the pupil's parent or guardian, for correcting such behavior.

**Legal Authority** — Virginia Code § 22.1-209.1:2.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, subsections, sections and chapters of the School Board's Policy Manual not amended or repealed shall remain in full force and effect.

**FIRST READING:** August 15, 2024


**SECOND READING:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TESTE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Approved as to form and content:**

  
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