

AMHERST, MONT VERNON, SOUHEGAN and SAU39 POLICY

KICL – PUBLIC ACCESS TO SAU 39 NETWORKS

The Board recognizes that public access to school networks is desirable or necessary for many activities where parents, relatives, and friends of students and staff, and members of the public are on school property, and access to the internet through school networks is desirable for members of the public attending non-school-related activities on school property.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all networks managed by SAU 39 accessible to the public have a technology protection measure that prevents access to visual depictions that are obscene or pornographic and that the operation of such measures is enforced. The Superintendent or designee may disable the technology protection measure during use by an adult to enable access for bona fide research, educational or other lawful purpose.

The Superintendent shall establish administrative regulations and an Acceptable Use Agreement that outlines the obligations and responsibilities related to the use of SAU 39 network technology by any person not otherwise covered by Policy JICL (District Online Access for Students) or Policy GBEF (Internet Access for Staff). The Superintendent also may establish guidelines and limits on the use of technological resources. Inappropriate use may result in a cancellation of the individual's user privileges, and/or legal action in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulations.

The Superintendent or designee shall make available the Acceptable Use Policy to all persons requesting access to SAU 39 networks. All persons requesting access to SAU 39 networks must agree to adhere to the Acceptable Use Policy before being granted access.

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