

UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Subject:

ACTION: R277-914, Career and Technical Student Organizations (Amendment & Continuation)

Agenda item type:

Action Item

Recommended Action:

That the Committee continue and approve R277-914, Career and Technical Student Organizations, Draft 1, on first reading and forward to the Board for continuation and approval on second and final reading.

Purpose of Memo:

5-year review

Background:**Background**

Rule R277-914 establishes requirements for the oversight and fiscal accountability of Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs) recognized by the Utah State Board of Education. As part of the Board's required five-year review of administrative rules, the rule was reviewed to ensure it remains consistent with current statute, Board authority, and agency practice. The review determined that the rule continues to provide appropriate governance for CTSOs while supporting the Board's administration of career and technical education programs under Section 53E-3-507.

Summary of Proposed Amendments

The proposed amendments update Rule R277-914 as part of the required five-year review. The amendments revise and clarify definitions, improve organization and readability, update cross-references, and make technical and conforming changes throughout the rule. The amendments do not make substantive changes to the oversight, governance, or fiscal accountability requirements for Career and Technical Student Organizations.

Staff will present R277-914, Career and Technical Student Organizations, Draft 1, for consideration and approval.

Authorizing, and Implemented or Interpreted Law: [53E-3-507](#)(1); [53E-3-507](#)(3); [53E-3-401](#)(4)

Contact:

Name: Jennifer Wadsworth

Title: Policy Advisor

Phone: 801-538-7521

Email: jennifer.wadsworth@schools.utah.gov

Thalea Longhurst

Director of Career and Technical
Education

801-538-7889

Thalea.Longhurst@schools.utah.gov

Attachments:

1. R277-914 - Draft 1 - August 2026 Committee
2. R277-914 Reporting Burden and Fiscal Impact Estimate Form

