SUSQUEHANNA TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION

APPROVED:

REVISED:

122-AR-6. REQUEST TO ESTABLISH STUDENT ACTIVITY

NAME OF ORGANIZED STUDENT ACTIVITY: Garage Band

PURPOSE OR OBJECTIVE: (Briefly describe why this organization is being formed.)

Organization for student musicians to work independently and in groups on music projects outside of the usual HS ensembles, such as rock bands, hip hop groups, and more!

BENEFIT: (Briefly describe how the students/district will benefit from the establishment of this organization.)

Students would benefit from a chance to work independently and collaboratively according to the 'Music as a Second Language' pedagogy framework. Students and district will benefit from public showcases meant to show off the talent & work of these students 1-2 times a year.

LEADERSHIP: (Briefly describe how this activity will be organized, how it will be run and whether the officers will be elected or appointed.)

Teacher/Advisor will be at Garage Band meetings to facilitate & direct music projects & practice, advise on industry-standard practice, and complete district logistics such as facility requests.

Student leadership will be elected at the start of each year & will work together with other School of Fine Arts organization & students for the talent showcase and representation where needed.

FACULTY ADVISOR: (Name and Subject)

Mr. Justin Hollenberg, HS Chorus/Music

FUNDRAISING:

- Will this organization raise funds? ☐ No ☒ Yes
- If yes, briefly describe typical fundraising activities and who will be involved.

Fundraising will be organized through the STHS Music Boosters

USE OF FUNDS: (Briefly describe how these funds will be used to benefit the students or the district.)

Funds will be used to secure equipment/supplies as needed for club activities or the talent showcase.

Examples: Programs, instruments/electronics, concessions, etc.

FINANCIAL DEPENDENCE:

- Will this organization require facilities or equipment to be provided by the school?
  ☐ No ☒ Yes
- If yes, briefly describe the assistance needed and whether it is a continuing, year-to-year need.

As an extension of the HS music department, garage band advisors & students should work in tandem with the department to share equipment, instruments, and facilities as needed from year to year.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY: (Briefly describe who will be responsible for these funds and how fundraising, expenditure and/or transfer decisions will be made.)

Garage Band advisor will need to communicate with Music Dept. Chair and Staff regarding the question of what can be shared, should be fundraised for, or should be purchased using department funds.

In most cases, priority for facilities and shared equipment will go to curricular music activities.

◆ *Attach a copy of the Constitution or Bylaws that will govern this student activity.*

Request Submitted by — Date Submitted: 10.8.26

Approved by (Building Principal) — Date Approved: 10/8/2028

SCHOOL BOARD ACTION

This request was ☐ Approved ☐ Denied by the School Board at its meeting held on _____

Reasons for disapproval or qualifications of approval, if applicable, are as follows: _____

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