

FACILITIES, NEBRASKA STATE COLLEGE SYSTEM

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Facilities; Planning for Technology

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BOARD POLICY

Information and instructional technology play an increasingly important role in the efforts of the Colleges to deliver programs which address institutional objectives in instruction, research, public service and support areas. In order for the Colleges to be prepared to utilize technology in the pursuit of such objectives, planning for facilities development must include consideration of the types of technology available at the time plans are developed and the types projected for the future, including computer-assisted instruction, virtual classrooms, electronically published library materials, computer-assisted facilities management and the like. All campus facilities, existing and planned for the future, must offer an environment which supports the installation and use of information and instructional technology capabilities in classrooms, laboratories, offices, libraries, physical plant and infrastructure. As plans are developed for the renovation of existing facilities or for the construction of new ones, the Colleges shall insure that design documents and specifications incorporate the components and features necessary to meet the technological requirements of the structure at the time of construction and for the foreseeable future. The College Chief Information Officer (CIO) or Director of Computer Services, shall be consulted during the development of the program statement, and throughout the design and construction of the project.

Legal Reference:	RRS 72-802	Public buildings; plans and specifications; limitations; bids; appropriations; limits
	RRS 72-803	Public buildings; construction; improvement and repair; contracts; bidding; procedure; exceptions
	RRS 81-1192	Information Technology Infrastructure Act
	RRS 85-304	Board of Trustees; powers; enumerated
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