

School Board

School Board Member Development

I. Purpose

This policy encourages members of the school board to participate in professional development activities designed for them so that they may perform their responsibilities.

II. General Statement of Policy

- A. New school board members will be provided the opportunity and encouragement to attend the orientation and training sessions sponsored by the Minnesota School Boards Association (MSBA). Board members receive training in school finance and management developed in consultation with MSBA.
- B. All board members are encouraged to participate in board and related workshops and activities sponsored by local, state and national school boards associations, as well as in the activities of other educational groups.
- C. Board members are expected to report back to the board with materials of interest gathered at the various meetings and workshops.
- D. The board will reimburse the necessary expenses of all board members who attend meetings and conventions pertaining to school activities and the objectives of the board, within the approved policy and budget allocations of the school district.

Legal Reference:

Minn. Stat. § 123B.09, Subd. 2 (School Board Member Training)

Cross Reference:

Policy 214 (Out-of-State Travel by School Board Members)

Policy 708 (Expense Reimbursement)

Policy

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