

**Fiscal Authority**

The Bethany Board of Education (Board) believes that it has an obligation beyond that imposed by law to work with the municipal fiscal authority (Bethany Board of Finance) throughout the budgeting process in order to develop the kind of understanding of the needs of the school and the students which will work for the betterment of education in our community.

The Board accepts the legal requirement that it meets and negotiates with the municipal Board of Finance, and further, it will do everything in its power to cooperate with the municipal Board of Finance toward the development of a sound fiscal base for the operation of the school.

Legal Reference:           Connecticut General Statutes § 10-153d

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