

FOX CHAPEL AREA
SCHOOL DISTRICT

Book	Policy Manual
Section	700 Property
Title	Crowdfunding
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Purpose

The Board recognizes that crowdfunding has become an increasingly popular method by which school districts can procure funding for specific projects and/or programs.

Definition

Crowdfunding shall mean a mechanism by which an individual or organization solicits and accepts donations from the general public, via specially-designed websites, to fund a specific purpose or cause. **Crowdfunding** shall not include requests for donations the district makes using its own website or social media platforms.

Authority

The Board prohibits the use of crowdfunding by district employees or organizations on behalf of the district.