

**MANSON SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD POLICY**

POLICY TYPE: GOVERNANCE PROCESS #2b

POLICY TITLE: BOARD JOB DESCRIPTION

Specific job outputs of the Board, as an informed agent of the Manson community, are those that ensure appropriate district performance within the laws of the State of Washington.

Accordingly, the Board has direct responsibility to create:

1. The link between the community ownership and the District's operational organization;
2. Written governing policies that address the broadest levels of all organizational decisions and situations;
 - a. Ends: The Mission of the Manson School District is continuous student learning
 - b. Executive Limitations: Constraints on the Superintendent's authority which establish the prudence and ethics boundaries within which all executive activity and decisions must take place
 - c. Governance Process: Specification of how the Board conceives, carries out and monitors its own task
 - d. Board-Superintendent Linkage: How power is delegated and its proper use monitored; the Superintendent's role, authority and accountability
3. Successful organizational performance on Ends and Executive Limitations;
4. Ballot issues for bond and levy elections; and
5. Legislative awareness of the District's financial and other needs through:
 - Board legislative representative
 - WSSDA legislative committee
 - Direct contact w/ legislators

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