



OPERATIONAL EXPECTATIONS

ISD 197 School Board

Superintendent/Board Relations

Contact: Superintendent

302.3 SINGLE UNIT CONTROL

The Board shall direct the Superintendent only through official decisions of the full board, and

1. The Board shall make decisions by formal, recorded vote in order to avoid any lack of clarity about what direction the Superintendent has been given.
2. The Superintendent is neither obligated nor expected to follow the directions or instructions of individual Board members, officers or committees unless the Board has specifically voted to delegate such exercise of authority to an individual board member.
3. In the case of Board members or committees requesting information or assistance which, in the Superintendent's opinion, require and redirect a material amount of staff time or resources that would be disruptive or unreasonable, the Superintendent may refer such requests to the full board for official authorization.

POLICY ADOPTED:

September 9, 2009

POLICY REVIEWED/REVISED:

October 16, 2017; May 15, 2023; May 4, 2026

Monitoring Method:

Administrative Review

Monitoring Frequency:

Every three years