

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Educational Foundation

~~Because demands on the educational system exceed available public funding, the~~ The Governing Board recognizes ~~that member~~the importance of ~~the community are often willing to~~ make support of district programs, including voluntary financial contributions ~~that will provide needed additional funds,~~ to assist the district in achieving its goals for ~~the school district.~~ The Board therefore approves student learning.

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

(cf. 1230 - School-Connected Organizations)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and encourages the creation of an independent educational foundation to actively raise funds that will enhance educational opportunities for our students. Cocurricular Activities)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

The Board desires to work cooperatively with the educational foundation in determining the purposes for which funds may be used to meet the changing needs of the district and its students. The Board recognizes that an educational foundation is a separate legal entity, independent of the district. However, the foundation is encouraged to provide regular reports to the Board on the status of its work and to communicate ways that the district can help support the foundation's activities.

(cf. 3290 - Gifts, Grants and Bequests)

(cf. 9140 - Board Representatives)

With the consent of the Superintendent or designee, the educational foundation, as appropriate, may use the district's name, a school's name, a school team's name, or any logo attributable to a school or the district.

The Board supports foundation allocations that serve all district schools equitably.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

38130-38138 Civic Center Act, use of school property for public purposes

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE

12580-12599.7 Fundraisers for Charitable Purposes Act

17510-17510.95 Solicitations for charitable purposes

25608 Alcohol on school property; use in connection with instruction

PENAL CODE

319-329 Lottery, raffle

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 11

300-312.1 Fundraising for charitable purposes

COURT DECISIONS

Serrano v. Priest, (1976) 18 Cal. 3d 728

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>

California Consortium of Education Foundations: <http://www.cceflink.org>

California Office of the Attorney General, charitable trust registry: <http://caag.state.ca.us/charities>

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