

BOARD MEMBERS
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(LOCAL)

The Board has final authority to determine and interpret the policies that govern the College District and, within the limits imposed by other legal authorities, has complete and full control of the College District.

Official Board action shall be taken only in meetings that comply with the Open Meetings Act. The affirmative vote of a majority of all Board members shall be required to transact business. [See BD] Each action of the Board supported by the majority is binding on the whole Board.

Board members as individuals shall not exercise authority over the College District, its property, or its employees. Except for appropriate duties and functions of the Chairperson of the Board, an individual member may act on behalf of the Board only with the express authorization of the Board. Without such authorization, no individual member may commit the Board on any issue. [See BCAB]

An individual Board member, acting in his or her official capacity, shall have the right to seek information pertaining to College District fiscal affairs, business transactions, governance, and personnel matters, including information that properly may be withheld from members of the general public in accordance with the Public Information Chapter of the Government Code.

In accordance with the policies on student records at FJ(LEGAL) and (LOCAL), individual members shall not have access to confidential student records unless the member is acting in his or her official capacityia6 (P a)10.5e 6 (s).6 (y)ts<.6 ()1- 6 (s)(A)2 (L))(s<.6 d (6 (i)2.s).

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