THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

<u>Membership</u>

The District is governed by a Board of Trustees consisting of seven (7) members. The powers and duties of the Board include the broad authority to adopt and enforce all policies necessary for the management, operations and governance of the District. Except as otherwise provided by law, trustees shall hold office for terms of three (3) years, or until their successors are elected and qualified. Terms of trustees shall be staggered as provided by law.

All trustees shall participate on an equal basis with other members in all business transactions pertaining to the high school maintained by the District. Only those trustees elected from the high school district may participate in business transactions pertaining to the elementary schools maintained by the District.

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18	Legal References:	§ 20-3-301, MCA	Election and term of office
19	_	§ 20-3-302, MCA	Legislative intent to elect less than majority of
20			trustees
21		§ 20-3-305, MCA	Candidate qualification and nomination
22		§ 20-3-306, MCA	Conduct of election
23		§ 20-3-307, MCA	Qualification and oath
24		§ 20-3-341, MCA	Number of trustee positions in elementary districts
25			B transition
26		§ 20-3-344, MCA	Nominating of candidates by petition in first-class
27			elementary district
28		§ 20-3-351, MCA	Number of trustee positions in high school districts
29		§ 20-3-352, MCA	Request and determination of number of high
30			school district additional trustee positions B
31			nonvoting trustee
32		§ 20-3-361, MCA	Joint board of trustees organization and voting
33			membership
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- Policy History:
- 36 Adopted on:
- 37 Reviewed on:
- 38 Revised on: 10/01/15