

# Baker School District 5J

Code: **BCD**  
Adopted: 3/14/00  
Orig. Code(s): BCD

## **Board-Superintendent Relationship**

The Board believes that the legislation of policies is its most important function and that the execution of the policies should be the function of the superintendent. Delegation by the Board of its executive powers to the superintendent provides freedom for the superintendent to manage the district within the Board's policies and frees the Board to devote its time to policy making and appraisal functions.

The Board holds the superintendent responsible for carrying out its policies within established guidelines and for keeping the Board informed about district operations. The Board holds the superintendent responsible for acting as executive officer to the Board in resolving issues at the lowest possible level of authority and for exhausting all possible solutions before Board involvement in resolving an issue.

In his/her efforts to keep the Board informed, the superintendent will notify Board members as promptly as possible of any happenings of an emergency nature which occur in the district.

END OF POLICY

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### **Legal Reference(s):**

[ORS 332.505](#)  
[ORS 332.515](#)