

**Harney County
School District 3**

Code: **BCG**
Adopted: 11/09/04
Readopted: 3/12/13
Orig. Code(s): BCG

Attorney for the District

The Board will appoint an attorney to advise and represent the district. The appointment will be for one year on a fee basis, with reappointment subject to a vote of the Board.

The school attorney will be the chief legal advisor for the district. The responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Be present as requested at meetings of the Board and its committees;
2. Advise the Board and its officials on legal matters when requested to do so;
3. Advise the Board and superintendent on points of law where the rights and liabilities of the district may be affected;
4. Prepare legislation to be enacted by and for the district;
5. Prosecute legal actions brought by the Board and defend legal actions brought against the Board;
6. Investigate and report on accident claims and other claims made against the district.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.072](#)
[ORS 332.505](#)

Cross Reference(s):

BCH - Consultants to the Board