

# InterMountain Education Service District

Code: **BCD**  
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## **Board-Superintendent Relationship**

The superintendent, designated by the Board as its executive officer, is responsible for implementing Board policy and decisions in the management of the ESD. In the absence of specific policy or guidelines from the Board, the superintendent is authorized to direct ESD operations and shall be held accountable for actions taken in the absence of policy.

As the executive officer of the ESD, the superintendent shall have the authority to develop regulations and procedures necessary to administer the policies of the district and the necessary laws of the state.

1. The superintendent shall be responsible for bringing to the Board recommendations for policies that are considered necessary for effective operation of the ESD.
2. The Board shall have final control and supervision of all ESD funds, but shall delegate the responsibility for fiscal management to the superintendent.

The superintendent can expect the Board will respect the superintendent's professional competence and extend to him/her full responsibility for implementation of Board policy decisions.

The Board holds the superintendent responsible for carrying out its policies within established guidelines and for keeping the Board informed about district operations.

END OF POLICY

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

[ORS 334.225](#)