

Multnomah Education Service District

Code: **BI**
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Board Legislative Program

The Board shall represent MESD's interests in legislative action to promote the welfare of public education in the state of Oregon or shall direct those interests to be represented through the Superintendent or designee.

The Board shall periodically study, discuss and weigh the merits of pending legislation for the purpose of determining its official position through Board action. If established, these official positions shall be the stand of MESD in the legislative process.

Board members, individually or as members of professional organizations, shall not seek to represent any other positions on legislative matters unless it is made clear that such representation is not the official stand of MESD.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 334.125\(7\)](#)

[OAR 581-024-0206](#)

MESD Policy Cross Reference(s):

AA - MESD Purpose and Goals
AB - Mission, Vision, Values
AD - Educational Philosophy
AE - MESD Goal Setting
BBA - Board Powers and Duties
BBAA - Individual Board Member's Authority and Responsibilities
BBF - Board Member Standards of Conduct
BBFA - Board Member Ethics and Conflict of Interest
BC/BCA - Board Organization/Board Organizational Meeting
BH/BHA - Orientation of New Board Members
BHB - Board Member Development
BHBA - Board Travel
BJ/BJA - Board Memberships
BK - Evaluation of Board Operational Procedures