North Marion School District 15

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Public Gifts to the District

The superintendent and others whom he/she may designate will be authorized to accept gifts to the district on behalf of the Board. In receiving gifts, the Board's acceptance will consider fairness and equity among the various school facilities.

Only the Board may accept and approve gifts which are over \$1,000 in value. Donors will be officially thanked in the board's name and publicly announced. Gifts which are less than \$1,000 in value may be accepted and approved by either the superintendent, business manager, or building administrator. All donors will be officially thanked in the recipients name and copied to the school board for formal public acknowledgement.

All gifts to the schools will become the property of the district and subject to the same controls, rules & regulations that govern the use of district-owned property.

In instances where the superintendent or designee doubts the appropriateness or usefulness of an offered gift, the gift may be declined or the matter may be referred to the Board. The Board reserves the right to refuse to accept any gift which does not contribute toward the achievement of the goals of the district.

The Board welcomes gifts of books and other materials to school libraries provided that they meet the same standards of selection as those applied to the purchase of library materials. School libraries may dispose of gifts when no longer relevant to the education program.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 294.326 ORS 332.107 ORS 332.385