

Policy Type: Board/Superintendent Relationship

Unity of Control

Only motions officially passed by the Board acting as a whole are binding on the Superintendent.

Accordingly:

1. Decisions or instructions of individual Board members, officers or committees are not binding on the Superintendent except in rare instances when the Board has specifically authorized such exercise of authority.
2. Individual Board members, when requesting information, shall forward all such requests to the Superintendent.
3. In the case of Board members or committees requesting information or assistance without Board authorization, the Superintendent can refuse such requests that require, in the Superintendent's opinion, a material amount of staff time or resources or that are disruptive or unreasonable.