

Mt. Diablo USD

Exhibit

Student Board Members

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Board Bylaws

STUDENT BOARD MEMBER GUIDELINES

Duties of Student Board Member

The duties of the student Governing Board member include the following:

1. To attend all scheduled Board meetings, except closed sessions.
2. To provide continuing input for Board deliberations.
3. To strengthen communications between the Board and district students.
4. To represent all students and facilitate the discussion of all sides of issues. This duty does not preclude the student Board member from stating his/her individual opinion.

Selection and Term

The student Board member shall be chosen annually by the Board based on the following criteria and process:

1. The Superintendent or designee may nominate, and the Board may appoint at its discretion, one pupil enrolled in a district high school as its initial Student Board Member pursuant to Education Code 35012. Thereafter, the student Board Member shall be elected in accordance to the following criteria.
2. All student Board candidates shall be enrolled in a district high school. Each school may have one student Board member candidate.
3. Student Board member candidates must meet district extracurricular eligibility requirements per *Administrative Regulation 6145*.
3. Candidates will participate in an interview process with representative Board members and/or student representatives who have been elected or appointed from each high school campus. Each school may have only one student representative participate in the interview process.

4. If the elected or appointed student representative is a student Board member candidate, then a different student representative from that high school may be appointed to participate in the interview process.
5. The student representatives will vote by ranked choice voting following the student Board candidate interviews. Failure of a school's student representative to attend the interviews will nullify that school's opportunity to vote in the student Board member selection process.
6. The student Board member term of office shall be July 1 - June 30.

Vacancy

If the position of student Board member becomes vacant, another student Board member shall be elected following the steps listed above or appointed by the Board at its discretion.

Board Materials Information

The Superintendent or designee's office shall provide the student Board member with full and complete agendas and copies of any materials received by the Board except for those materials covered in closed session and any other confidential materials. The Superintendent's office shall serve as the "home office" for the student Board member, where he/she may make use of secretarial facilities and receive advice and/or information upon request.